Rockheights Music Proudly Presents...

2022 FINAL CONCERT!

7pm, Wednesday, May 25th, 2022
Rockheights Middle School Gym

BAND, STRINGS AND CHOIR STUDENTS PERFORMING MUSIC BY COLDPLAY, BRUNO MARS, OFFENBACH AND MORE!

Admission is free!
Donations in support of the music program are gratefully accepted!

PROGRAM

Welcome!

Risa McDonell, Music Teacher and Ms. Pelletier, Vice Principal

Choir
Ms. Francis Pollet, Piano Accompanist

Here Comes the Sun — George Harrison, arr. Mac Huff

Wau Bulan (Malaysian Folk Song in Dikir Barat Style) — *Arr. Tracey Wong*

Sachleen Kaur, Soloist

Fix You — Coldplay (Guy Berryman, Chris Martin, Jon Buckland and will Champion)

Soloists: Sachleen Kaur, Anne Hart, Dana Goian, and Angelica Balbin

May a Rainbow Run Beside You; An Irish Blessing — Mark Burrows

Beginning Strings

March from Peasant's Cantata — J.S. Bach

Theme from Masterpiece Theatre — Mouret

Cabbage Countdown (Variations on an American Folk Song) — Arr. Bob Phillips

Intermediate Strings

Viva La Vida — Coldplay (Guy Berryman, Chris Martin, Jon Buckland and will Champion), arr. Larry Moore

Soloists: Murray Fagen, Loden Foster, violins; and Colm Wolf-Gage, cello

Combined Strings

Sourwood Mountain — Appalachian Folk Song, arr. Carlie Lane Gruselle

Overture to Orpheus In The Underworld — Jacques Offenbach, arr. Sandra Dackow

Door Prize!
(A bottle of wine graciously donated by the Hoffman Family)

****Intermission****

Jazz Band

Sunday Afternoon — Mike Steinel
Soloists: Cooper Goain, Alto Sax; Harrisson Ade, bass guitar

Bubbert's Groove — Mike Steinel
Soloists: Colm Wolf-Gage, tenor Sax; Cooper Goain, Alto Sax

UpTown Funk — Bruno Mars

Band 6

Let's Go Band! — Andrew Balent

Dance of the Jabberwocky — Rob Grice

Star Wars (Main Theme) — John Williams, arr. Carl Strommen

Band 7

Lean On Me — Bill Withers, arr. Robert Longfield

Band 8

Lowrider — WAR (Sylvester Allen, Harold R. Brown, Morris Dickerson, Jerry Goldstein, Leroy Jordan, Lee Oskar, Charles W. Miller and Howard Scott, arr. Michael Brown
Solo: Luigi Salvatore, Xylophone

Door Prize!
(A bottle of wine graciously donated by Il Terrazzo Restaurant and the Scales Family)

Combined Grade 7 and 8 Bands

Highlights from Pirates of the Caribbean — Klaus Badelt, arr. Michael Sweeney

Scorpion! — Richard Saucedo

2021 2022 ROCKHEIGHTS MUSIC PROGRAM MEMBERS

Choir 6, 7 and 8

Andrews, Sam
Antill, Cameron
Balbin, Angelica
Bird, Alex
Botsford, Lexi
Bowman, Eli
Carey, Morgan
Estanboli, Ram
Goian, Dana
Hagley, Amiah
Hart, Anne
Ince, Lindsay
Kaur, Sachleen
Kennedy, Chloe
Lloyd, Emily
Matthews, Myka
Nelson, Seisha
Sandhals, Connor
Tavares Ignacio
Madalena, Igor

Beginning Band 6

Ade, Isla
Andesron, Anja
Balbin, Angelica
Botsford, Lexi
Burrell, Liam
Carvalho Moreira, Enzo
Duke, Keira
Easton, Cassie
Gillett, Evy
Goian, Dana
Hart, Anne
Ince, Lindsay
McAdam, Cameron
McMillan, Holly
Moll, Faith
Nash, Zoe
Nelson, Ethan
Olssen, Owen
Phyo, Jericho
Prieto, Julian
Ross, Andi
Scales, Jade
Tavares Ignacio
Madalena, Igor
Vidallon, Charze
Weber, Ethan
Wilmot, Isabella
Yun, Halynn

Beginning Strings 6, 7 and 8

Ade, Harrison
Birkett, Justin
Burke, Annabelle
Kaur, Sachleen
Macalinao, Sophia

Intermediate Strings 7 and 8

Campiou-Coutoreille, Ryder
Fagen, Murray
Fisher, Drake
Foster, Loden
Hewlett, Justin
Wolf Gage, Colm

Intermediate Band 7

Ade, Harrisosn
Amos, Hayden
Basi, Amrit
Carey, Morgan*
Cea, Christian
Ferandos, Elijah
Foster, Loden
Hoffman, Molly
Matthews, Myka
Ordze, Kaylee
Roberts, Zen
Simcoff, Isaac
Smith, Noah
Stoddart, Sasha

**Morgan is in grade 6*

Advanced Band 8
Class of 2022!

Benning, Beau
Fagen, Murray
Goian, Cooper
Halbert, Greer
Karpes, Colton
MacLean, Sienna
Nelson, Seisha
Quentien, Maisie
Salvatore, Luigi
Stinchcombe, Gabe
Stoddart, Ish
Wiggens, Madeline
Wolf Gage, Colm

Jazz Band

Ade, Harrisson
Amos, Hayden
Cea, Christian
Ferandos, Elijah
Foster, Loden
Goain, Cooper
Halbert, Greer
Hoffman, Molly
Karpes, Colton
MacLean, Sienna
McIeish, Zempei
Quentien, Maisie
Smith, Noah
Stoddart, Ish
Stoddart, Sasha
Wolf Gage, Colm

BIOS

Risa McDonell, Music Teacher

Risa is proud to be the music teacher at Rockheights Middle School! Risa returned to her hometown of Victoria with her young family, after 14 years of teaching at Seycove Secondary and Windsor Secondary School, both in North Vancouver. Risa's concert and jazz bands performed at the Vancouver International Jazz Festival, Musicfest Canada Nationals, Canadian Rocky Mountain Music Festival in Banff, and Heritage Music Festivals in New York, San Diego and Chicago. Risa coordinated exchange programs with some of Japan's most celebrated high school bands, and conducted and produced large-scale musical theatre productions at North Vancouver's Centennial Theatre. Risa has performed as both a flutist and conductor with the West Coast Symphony Orchestra, the Vancouver Philharmonic Orchestra and the Meridiem Wind Orchestra and is currently guest-conducting the Greater Victoria Concert Band Intermediate Ensemble. (*photo credit: Long and McQuade Musical Instruments*)

Fran Pollet, Piano Accompanist

Fran Pollet is currently Organist and Music Director of St. Dunstan's Anglican Church and most recently has been director of the Vancouver Island Chamber Choir. Past experience includes 24 years as Minister of Music at First Metropolitan United Church from which she retired in 2015, and 25 years of conducting the Linden Singers (founding director). Still active in Victoria's choral community, she currently serves on the Board of the BC Choral Federation.

THANK YOU'S

First and foremost, thank you to all of the **parents** for supporting your child's music education! Your presence here tonight, and your engagement in their lives sends a powerful message of love and support. Thank you to all the **parent volunteers**, particularly **Jodi Dong**, **Joanne Truscott and Ally Hoffman**, for being our front-of-house people. Thank you to the **Hoffman** and **Scales** Families, and **Il Terrazzo Restaurant** for graciously donating wine for our door prizes. Thank you to **Principal Aaron Maxwell** and **Vice Principal Christina Pelletier** for their support for the music program. Thank you to the **Rockheights Staff**, particularly **Amanda Sullivan**, who is always behind the scenes supporting music at Rockheights. **Pam Coburn** and **Loa Peters** for the many ways you support the program from keeping track of pizza sales to watching over instruments and to the teaching staff for supporting these students. Thank you to **David Symonds** from **Long and McQuade Musical Instruments**, who goes above and beyond to help supply our program with the things we need.