

Saratoga Community Band

May 19, 2024 | Wildwood Park, Saratoga Village
Norman Dea, Interim Director



Picnic in the Park

An Old-Fashioned Open Air Concert

Pathfinder of Panama..... John Philip Sousa (1854-1932)
Dick Robbins, Guest Conductor *Ed. Frank Byrne*

River of LifeSteven Reineke (1970-)

Nessun Dorma from “Turandot”..... Giacomo Puccini (1858-1924)
arr. Michael Brown

Sabre and Spurs John Phillip Sousa (1854-1932)
Craig Northrup, Founding Director *Ed. Frederick Fennell*

Intermission

Fandango Frank Perkins (1908-1988)
arr. Floyd E. Werle

Selections from “The Music Man”Meredith Willson (1902-1984)
arr. Philip J. Lang

Selections from Disney/Pixar’s “Up”Michael Giacchino (1967-)
Arr. Michael Brown

His HonorHenry Fillmore (1881-1956)
Ed. Frederick Fennell

Personnel

Norman Dea, Interim Director

Craig D. Northrup, Founding Director

Flute/Piccolo

Tricia McHale
Leela McGowan
Ann Northrup*
Debbie Regalbuto
Misako Tsuda

Oboe

Babette McKay*
Alan Patmore

Clarinet

Eva Chapman
Cesar Crusius
Karen Eshoff
Kevin Hayashi
Rick Janowski
Frank Kibbish*
Craig Northrup
Nadine Paulsen
Susan Peterson
Christina Robert
Ginny Snyder

Bass Clarinet

Charlie Robert

Bassoon

John Bertschy
Marilyn Paulsen

Band Administration

Ann Northrup

Website

Frank Kibbish

Program/Promotion

Babette McKay

Alto Saxophone

Vikram Anjur
Rob Espina

Tenor Saxophone

Gina Lucca

Baritone Saxophone

Cindy Fachner

Trumpet

Dino Certa*
Matt Carey
Hugo Huey
Steve Kim
Armand Rundquist
Nick Tripsas
Bruce Weller

Horn

Stephanie Janowski
Ken Okuno

Trombone

Todd Bevis
Karen Cheong
Dick King
Dick Robbins
Frank Robertson
Nathan Shows

Euphonium

Ian Lee
Davin Tjong

Tuba

Barry Guerrero
Sue Pearring
Bill Walker*

String Bass

William Strauss

Percussion

Mayer Adelberg
Tom Beckmann*
Chuck Luce
David Lung
Diana Shull
Richard Stolzman

Percussion

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Guest Musicians

Akshat Bora, bassoon
Aiden Chen, trumpet
Johnathan Hsu, tuba
Ethan Lee, bassoon
Nathan Lee, trumpet
Chris Okuno, euphonium
Jet Tsang, trumpet
Hector Vash-Munoz,
trumpet
Barbara Vasilyeva,
baritone saxophone

** = Advisory Committee
Member*

About the Band

Founded in 1989 by Craig D. Northrup, the Saratoga Community Band is made up of wind musicians and percussionists of all ages from Saratoga, Los Gatos and the greater Silicon Valley. Becky Dugan served as Director from 2014-2020. In Fall 2021, Michael Boitz was selected to become the SCB's third Director.



Michael Boitz has served as Director of Orchestra and Band at Saratoga High School since 1998. He has received numerous awards, including Teacher-of-the-Year for the Los Gatos-Saratoga High School District, the CMEA (California Music Educators Association) Band Educator of the year and the Richard R. Levin Orchestra Educator of the Year. Michael studied at Concordia College (BA) and Northwestern University (MA). Michael was born and raised in Anoka, MN, and is the proud father of twin boys.

Norman Dea is Past President of the California Band Directors Association and the California Music Educators Association. After 35 years of teaching in the Acalanes Union High School District, Norm retired from public school teaching in June 2018. He serves as an adjudicator, clinician, honor band conductor, and music education consultant.

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If you are interested in joining the band, visit www.saratogaband.com or come sit in on a rehearsal with us. No audition is necessary, just the ability to read music and play your instrument with general proficiency. Rehearsals are Mondays from 7:00-9:00 pm at Saratoga High School, September-May and we present 3-4 free public concerts throughout the year.

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