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**IPSD 204 GENERAL/CHORAL MUSIC**

Brookdale ..... Tony Pape, Melissa Plaskota  
Brooks ..... Marycate Hines, Kathy Muno  
Builta ..... Mary Schmitz  
Clow ..... Ryan Henry  
Cowlshaw ..... Chris DiMarco, Cristy Wagoner  
Fry ..... Ryan Henry, Mary Schmitz  
Georgetown ..... Andrea Burck  
Gombert ..... Shelley May Hutchison  
Graham ..... Kathy Muno  
Kendall ..... Kari Rothmeyer  
Longwood ..... Kaitlin Yi  
May Watts ..... Danielle Donaldson  
McCarty ..... Jeannie Brooks  
Owen ..... Chris DiMarco  
Patterson ..... Shelley May Hutchison, Kari Rothmeyer  
Peterson ..... Rachel Luhn  
Spring Brook ..... Adam Duym  
Steck ..... Kim Pieczynki, Melissa Plaskota  
Welch ..... Maureen McCoy  
White Eagle ..... Jamie Styrzczula  
Young ..... Marycate Hines, Tony Pape, Jamie Styrzczula  
Crone Middle School ..... Anne Kasprzak, Michael Sillar  
Fischer Middle School ..... Allison Rider, Veronica Roman-Meyer  
Granger Middle School ..... Jeff Haeger  
Gregory Middle School ..... Claire Fenton, David Pfenninger  
Hill Middle School ..... Ron Korbitz  
Scullen Middle School ..... Michael Ferguson  
Still Middle School ..... Mary Whitney  
Metea Valley High School ..... Paulette Boddy, Nathan Bramstedt, Nicole DiGrazia  
Neuqua Valley High School ..... Anne Kasprzak, J. Ryan Rimington, Reid Spears  
Waubonsie Valley High School ..... Seth Durbin, Carrie Marcotte, Kristen Murray

**IPSD 204 INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC**

Crone Middle School ..... Katie Brown, Regina Kazda, Brad Pfeil, EJ Roberts, John Timmins  
Fischer Middle School ..... Caitlynne Burgess, Matt Carder, Bethany Lugay, Beth Myers, Allison Rider  
Granger Middle School ..... Jason Dyhouse, David Pakkebie, Dawn Pakkebie, Andrada Pteanc  
Gregory Middle School ..... Kelly Dimidik, Claire Fenton, Lori Lauf, Stephanie Lein  
Hill Middle School ..... Sarah Friederich, Megan LoPresto, Heidi Rogers, Loretta Valentin  
Scullen Middle School ..... Graham Heise, Laura Patterson, Jessica Sanders, Matthew White  
Still Middle School ..... Michael Naughton, Chris Niesluchowski, Doug Ruhs, Megan Zalokar  
Metea Valley High School Band ..... Don Devany, Josh Kaminsky, Scott Oliver, Glen Schneider  
Metea Valley High School Orchestra ..... Mark Hornig, Mark Liu, Robin Sackschewsky  
Neuqua Valley High School Band ..... Emily Binder, Corinne Collier, Jonathan Lauff, Andrew Seidel  
Neuqua Valley High School Orchestra ..... Kevan Kosobayashi, Brad Pfeil, Greg Schwaegler  
Waubonsie Valley High School Band ..... Kevin Carroll, Chris Dandeles, Mark Duker  
Waubonsie Valley High School Orchestra ..... John William Burck, Daryl Silberman

The Indian Prairie School District music program thanks the Indian Prairie Educational Foundation for their continual, generous support of the arts.

WAUBONSIE VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL  
MUSIC DEPARTMENT

presents

Our Seventeenth Annual  
MEET THE ARTIST CONCERT

featuring



Bass Chorus  
Cecilian Singers  
Concert Band  
Concert Orchestra  
Concert Strings



With Special Guest  
TRACY SILVERMAN



directed by  
Kevin Carroll  
Chris Dandeles  
Seth Durbin  
Kristen Murray  
Daryl Silberman



Thursday, January 9th, 2020  
7 pm WVHS Auditorium



## WELCOME!

The Waubonsie Valley music staff and students are very excited to welcome you to our seventeenth annual Meet the Artist concert! Meet the Artist has evolved into an incredible experience for musicians and audiences alike.

The Meet the Artist concert features our freshmen performers and a guest artist who may be a conductor, performer, composer, or any combination of the three. This year we are happy to welcome Tracy Silverman. Our students have had a wonderful time learning and growing from Tracy's high energy and musical gifts.

Thank you for being here to share this new adventure with us. Now sit back, leave your cares behind, and...

Let the music take you!



We offer our heartfelt gratitude to the  
INDIAN PRAIRIE EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION  
for sponsoring tonight's performance and for their faithful support of the Fine Arts throughout District 204.

## Upcoming Events

- Winter Percussion Concert & Schlagzeugfest!** Saturday, January 11th  
4:30 PM WVHS Auditorium
- ILMEA All-State Music Conference** January 29th-February 1st Peoria, IL
- District 204 Organizational Festival (Band & Orch.)** Monday, February 17th  
Metea Valley High School
- Solo & Ensemble Festival & Honors Recital** Saturday, February 22nd  
9 AM - 3 PM WVHS  
Honors Recital @ 7 PM Neuqua Valley HS Auditorium
- Jazz Showcase** Tuesday, March 3rd  
7 PM WVHS Auditorium
- "Music in Our Schools Month" Concert #1** Tuesday, March 10th  
*Cecilian Singers, Concert Choir, Bass Chorus, Treble Choir, Mosaic Ensemble, Varsity Singers, Pink Notes, Cloud 9, UnaVoce, Tour Choir*  
7 PM WVHS Auditorium
- "Music in Our Schools Month" Concert #2** Thursday, March 12th  
*Wind Ensemble, Varsity Chamber & Chamber Strings*  
7:30 PM Wentz Hall
- "Music in Our Schools Month" Concert #3** Wednesday, March 18th  
*Band Concert*  
7 PM WVHS Auditorium
- "Music in Our Schools Month" Concert #4** Thursday, March 19th  
*Concert Orchestra, Concert Strings, Symphonic Orchestra & Symphonic Strings*  
7 PM WVHS Auditorium
- Band Booster Craft Fair** Saturday, March 21st  
9 AM - 4 PM
- Mosaic & Worldbeat Concert** Tuesday, March 24th  
7 PM WVHS Auditorium
- Percussion Concert** Thursday, March 26th  
7 PM WVHS Auditorium
- WVHS Vocal Pops Concert** Thursday & Saturday, April 9th & 11th  
7 PM WVHS Auditorium
- WVHS Senior Concerto Concert** Tuesday, April 14th  
*Chamber Strings, Orchestra Winds, Symphonic Strings & Concert Strings*  
7 PM WVHS Auditorium
- WVHS Spring Musical** Thursday, April 30th-Saturday, May 2nd  
7 PM WVHS Auditorium



**MANY THANKS  
TO OUR  
AUDITORIUM STAFF**



**Student Auditorium Staff**



Parker Bade  
Japna Bhatia  
Joe Burck  
Jada Caldwell  
Ryan Calkins  
Robert Cohen  
Parker Collins  
Robert Elkins  
Molly Gruman  
Reese Humphreys  
Anastasia Kichakov  
Marianna Kontos  
Kira Morris  
Elle Morson  
Monishaa Murali  
Vidhi Patel  
Rianna Pecson  
Aaron Sharma  
Alexandra Skurka  
Grant Skurka  
Alyssa Toledo  
Erik Wig



**Technical Directors**

Joel Brens  
Dave Calvert  
Bryan Clark  
Alexandria Collins  
Amy Haga  
Ryan VanKampen



**Auditorium Managers**

Alexandria Collins  
Amy Haga



**TRACY SILVERMAN**

Redefining the role of the violin in contemporary music, **Tracy Silverman** has contributed significantly to the repertoire and development of the 6-string electric violin and what he calls “post-classical violin playing.”

Lauded by **BBC Radio** as “the greatest living exponent of the electric violin”, Silverman’s groundbreaking work defies musical boundaries. Formerly first violinist with the innovative **Turtle Island String Quartet**, Silverman was named one of 100 distinguished alumni by **The Juilliard School**. A concert electric violinist, Silverman is the subject of several electric violin concertos composed specifically for him by Pulitzer winner **John Adams**, “Father of Minimalism” **Terry Riley**, **Nico Muhly** and **Kenji Bunch**, as well as the composer of 3 electric violin concertos of his own.

Silverman has performed as a soloist with **The Los Angeles Philharmonic**, the **Cabrillo Festival Orchestra**, **Carl St. Clair** and **The Pacific Symphony**, **The Montreal Symphony**, **The Stuttgart Staatsorchester** and many others. He has appeared as a soloist at **Carnegie Hall**, **Walt Disney Concert Hall**, **Royal Albert Hall**, **Avery Fisher Hall**, **Adelaide’s Festival Theatre**, **Sao Paulo’s Auditorio Ibirapuera**, **The Hollywood Bowl**, **Linz’s Brucknerhaus** and **Vienna’s Musikverein**, and made his debut with **The Chicago Symphony** at age 13. Silverman’s original works have been performed by orchestras and chamber music groups internationally and his scoring work has appeared in episodes of **PBS’s NOVA** among others.

TV/internet and radio includes a solo performance on NPR’s **Tiny Desk Concerts**, a profile on **CBS News Sunday Morning with Charles Osgood**, NPR’s **Performance Today**, **St. Paul Sunday**, and appearances on **Garrison Keillor’s A Prairie Home Companion**.

A long-standing advocate for music education, Silverman is the author of *The Strum Bowing Method: How to Groove on Strings*, is an in-demand clinician, and on the string faculty at **Belmont University** in Nashville, TN. [TracySilverman.com](http://TracySilverman.com)

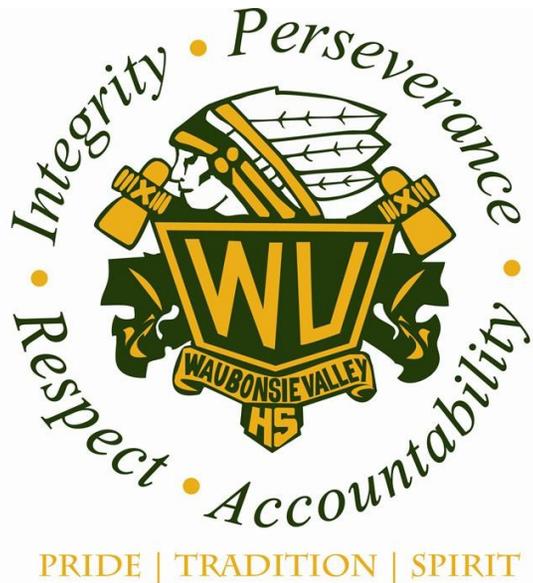
## Our Mission...

“At Waubonsie Valley High School our mission is to foster students’ learning to its highest potential while providing diverse and challenging educational experiences that academically, socially, and emotionally shape our students into independent and productive members of society.”

## Our Vision...

“In support of our mission, Waubonsie is a community where students, staff, and parents can safely and collaboratively work to create a culture that promotes student learning, self-advocacy, and tradition & spirit.”

## Our Values...



## Family

The Bishop Family  
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Charlie Liu

Ravi & Deepa Menon  
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O'Brien Family  
Paranjape Family  
Parents of Neel Parikh  
Paul and Kellie Pirkle  
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The Smeltzer Family

Stahl Family  
Mahesh & Vidya Sundaram  
Vidhya & Narendar Sundaram  
Ulliana I Vasiliev  
Joan Vitro  
Wei Zhou  
Anonymous

## Alumni

Jae Han Dorao Bernardo (2019) Jackie Gruman (2013) Leah C. Williams (2016)  
Ben Gruman (2015)

We regret any errors or omissions to Music Patron names in the program.  
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The Siodlarz Family  
Umesh K. Tiwari

## PROGRAM

Invictus  
Old Man Noah

Daniel J. Hall

Trad. Sea Chantey, arr. Bartholomew

*Bass Chorus*

100 Years

John Ondrasik, arr. Ryan James

*Cecillian Singers & Bass Chorus*  
*Tracy Silverman, guest soloist*

Winter Stars  
The Rose

Jimmy Baas  
Ola Gjeilo

*Cecillian Singers*

Black Ice  
The Strummin' Waubonsies

Jeffrey S. Bishop  
Tracy Silverman

*Concert Orchestra & Concert Strings*  
*Tracy Silverman, guest soloist*

Earthdance

Michael Sweeney

*Concert Band*  
*Tracy Silverman, guest soloist*

Can't Buy Me Love  
(Medley of Hits by The Beatles)

Arr. Paul Murtha and Audrey Snyder

*Everyone*  
*Tracy Silverman, guest soloist*

*“Music can name the unnameable  
and communicate the unknowable.”  
-Leonard Bernstein*



## Cecillian Singers

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Qamer Adnan  
Ayesha Ajaz  
Alison Albrecht  
Aalyah Aranda  
Jorie Bender \*  
Danika Benziger  
Avery Brahm  
Morgan Bruner  
Ava Daudelin  
Alexandra Doytcheva  
Amiah Dutton  
Jasmeen Eustaquio  
Kylie Ferris +  
Kristen Gits +  
Catherine Godo  
Therese Hagen  
Rachel Hammelman  
Cassidy Hastings  
Elenny Huerta  
Emma Hutchison  
Lia Israelsen

Nyah Jones  
Ghantharini Kanagasabapathi  
Kinsey Kelch  
Namyaa Khanna  
Caroline Lucas  
Olivia Marr  
Kylie Melton  
Risa Mohapatra ^  
Hannah Nebel  
Alexandra Nebel  
Favour Oladele  
Maria Palasz  
Anika Paranjape  
Ashley Pazos  
Alexa Peddle  
Riya Puranik  
Krystyn Shae Reyes  
Gabrielle Rhodes  
Zakiya Robinson  
Hayley Romero

Stella Sanders \*  
Adithi Sasikumar  
Victoria Schiro  
Hannah Searles  
Aayushi Shah  
Soumiya Shanmugam  
Aubree Simon  
Bailey Soto  
Noelle Speers  
Neya Sridhar  
Sunanda Sundaram  
Stephanie Svec  
Samantha Tagliavia  
Maeve Thurman-Keup  
Sofia Vitro  
Amanda Wayne  
Reese Williams  
Aimee Wroblewski  
Maya Yohannes  
Caitlin Zwirek

## Gold Bass Chorus

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Carlos Avila  
Austin Barnett  
Eric Benson  
Tristan Colin ^  
Gavin Ebenezzer \*  
Robert Enriquez

Matthew Heyl  
Zexin Jiang +  
Carter King  
Noah Nabicht  
John Nieman  
Peter Overstreet

Nick Polsky  
Rohan Satapathy  
Jacob Walker  
Aedin Whirl  
Jacob Woodham



## Key

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+ = President  
^ = Vice President  
\* = Secretary

## ACCOMPANIST

Carrie Marcotte



## Concert Band

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**FLUTE**  
Julie Brachmann  
Emily Campos  
Sarina Grandison  
Sahaja Katragadda  
Vaishavi Kottamasu  
Calista Leja  
Crystal Perez  
Sophia Trevino  
Emerson Whildin

**BASSOON**  
Brandon Wolfington

**CLARINET**  
Talha Ahmed  
Alexandra Barbier  
Nithin Boopalan  
William Potthoff  
Ruby Rodriguez

**SAXOPHONE**  
Janna Braga  
Liam Clark  
Peter Eta  
Anthony Greco  
Xavier Isaacson

**SAXOPHONE (cont'd.)**  
Toni Ishola  
Rami Nasser (Tenor)  
Amir Patel (Bari)  
Allison Schoeck  
Ahmed Shafeek  
Kailey Swineford  
Dylan Traviss

**TRUMPET**  
Luke Bebar  
Colin Bishop  
Ryan Burk  
Zion Bush  
Ryan Calkins  
John Daniels  
Srikumar Kalyan  
Jackson Lee  
Katie Nelson  
Angad Singh  
Marina Vio de Sampaio Mattos

**FRENCH HORN**  
Brooks Kearney  
Jeffrey Rinckenberger  
Aidan Tremain

**TROMBONE**  
Kathleen Bessey  
Reginald Cowles  
Caleb Dowd  
Emilio Guerero  
Quinn O'Brien  
Chloe Venditti  
Jacob Walker  
Mike Zhou

**EUPHONIUM**  
Chris Cassidy

**TUBA**  
Sean Choi  
Alexei Kichakov  
Mitch Stahl

**PERCUSSION**  
Nathan Boubal  
Ethan Fuji  
Rushil Ghosh  
Jordan Landtiser  
Stefan Paunovac  
Austin Ramsey  
Matthew Sprout

## Concert Orchestra & Concert Strings

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**VIOLIN**  
Fernanda Alvarez  
Sharon Amaning  
Liliana Andrade  
Aliza Joyce Bernardo  
Musa Bukhari  
Keith Cabinian  
Griffin Carter  
Elliah Chamberlain  
Thiyagarajaan Chokkalingan  
Kelcey Cielo  
Anthony Cuahuizo  
Daniel Ghiasvand  
Ethan Huynh  
Nyah Jones  
Starlline Laguerre  
Victoria Li  
Anika Manelkar  
Sheila Manguni

**VIOLIN (cont'd.)**  
Subbu Muthiah  
Neel Parikh  
Meridith Pazos  
Sofia San Pedro  
Antra Soni  
Amrita Sundaram  
Nathan Wang  
Jackie Zhang

**VIOLA**  
Bhavyaa Chauhan  
Isabela Estevez  
Lucas Fu  
Leela Harpalani  
Karthik Kesavarapu  
Rena Mehta  
Shannon Rogers  
Abby Walton

**CELLO**  
Parker Bade  
Anya Ganapathy  
Tyler Gray  
Lorenzo Jaime  
Megan Kelly  
Aiden Lam  
Zachary Nelson  
Sofia Perez  
Ian Polgar  
Victoria Schiro  
Joseph Sunderlin  
Afridi Faruk

**BASS**  
Joshua Frost  
Ryan Lee  
Matthew Pikus  
Mason Ringenbach  
Diane Rodriguez-Ruiz  
Sindhu Tiwari