

Groton Area 8-12 Spring Concert/Awards Night

“There are many paths but only one journey”

May 4th, 2023

7:00 PM

Directors:

Mr. Scott Glodt, 8-12 Choir

Miss Megan Dockter, NSU Junior Field Intern

Mrs. Desiree Yeigh, 8-12 Band, Flex Band

Mrs. Janene Harry, MS/HS Art

8-12 Choir

Amy Warrington, Accompanist

Simple Gifts.....Arr. John
Leavitt

Why We Sing.....Greg
Gilpin

8-12 Band

Directed by Miss Megan Dockter, NSU Junior Field Intern

Pilatus (Mountain of Dragons).....Steven Reineke Arr.
Conaway

Soloists: Carter Barse, Alto Saxophone Gretchen Dinger, Flute

Aces of the Air (March).....Karl L. King Arr.
Swearingen

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Country Roads Take Me Home.....B. Danoff, T. Nivert, and J. Denver, Arr. by Chuck
Cassey

From Now On from “The Greatest Showman”.....B. Pasek and J. Paul, Arr. by Roger Emerson

8-12 Band

Danger Zone.....Arranged by Michael Story

Flex Band

Home.....Arr. by Michael

Brown

Dedicated to the Class of 2023

Soloist: Sierra Ehresmann, Trumpet

The Best of Journey.....Arr. by Paul

Murtha

Soloists: Sierra Ehresmann, Trumpet Carter Barse, Alto Sax

Special Thanks:

- Mike Nehls and our custodial staff. Thanks for all you do!
- Mrs. Amy Warrington for accompanying the 8-12 Choir.
- Mrs. Harry and the Art Students for displaying their artwork.
- Our supportive school board, administration, and staff.
- Our amazing music parents for your encouragement and support of our music program.
- Our talented music students. We wouldn't be able to do what we love without you!

8-12 Choir:

Soprano: Savannah Bible, *Anna Bisbee, Mia Crank, Rylee Dunker, Teagan Hanten, Paisley Mitchell, *+Shaylee Peterson, Hannah Sandness, *+Cadance Tullis, Natalia Warrington

Alto: Emma Bahr, Kira Clocksene, ReAnn Dennert, Ashlyn Feser, Carly Gilbert, Brooklyn Hansen,

Kennedy Hansen, Breslyn Jeschke, Jerica Locke, Emily Overacker, +KayLynn Overacker, Jaedyn Penning, *Rebecca Poor, *Kianna Sander, Cali Tollifson, *+Elliana Weismantel, Talli Wright

Tenor: *+Carter Barse, Lucas Carda, Aiden Heathcote Karsten Jeschke, Elijah Lich, +Tyson Parrow, Turner Thompson, Keegen Tracy, *Axel Warrington, Logan Warrington,

Bass: +James Brooks, Riley Carman, Logan Clocksene, Blake Dennert, Teylor Diegel, Brevin Flihs, Ryder Johnson, Jaeger Kampa, Karter Moody, Michael Powers Dinger, Caden McInerney,

Gage Sippel, Drew Thurston, Jacob Zak

*All State Chorus Member

+Senior

8-12 Band:

Flute: *>#<Gretchen Dinger, Rebecca Poor, Jeslyn Kosel, Ashlynn Warrington

Clarinet: *Kayla Lehr, <Natalia Warrington, <Kira Clocksene

Alto Sax: *#<+Carter Barse, <Cadence Feist, ^Emerlee Jones

Tenor Sax: #<+Kamryn Fliehs, <Kianna Sander
Trumpet: *+Sierra Ehresmann, *<Jayden Schwan, Nathan Unzen, Ben Hoeft,
 Addison Hoffman, Isaiah Scepaniak
French Horn: *>^<Carlee Johnson, #<+Jackson Dinger
Trombone: *<Gavin Kroll, ^<Brody Lord, Jackson Hopfinger, <Logan Clocksene
Baritone: *<+Ethan Clark, Garrett Schultz **Tuba:** ^<Blake Lord
Percussion: <+Ashtyn Bahr, #<+Jacob Lewandowski, #+Cadance Tullis, #<+Elliana
 Weismantel,
 <Emily Clark, Faith Fliehs, <Axel Warrington, Lincoln Krause, ^<Teagan Hanten

> 2023 MS/HS All State Band Member

North Area Honor Band Member

^ Northwestern Middle School Festival Member

* Section Leader

< Flex Band Member

+ Senior

Choir Awards

Rising Star Award-The Rising Star Award is presented to a freshman or sophomore who is an emerging leader in the vocal department. This recipient exhibits ongoing and exceptional growth in ensemble and solo voice work, demonstrates leadership and responsibility, and has been active in all facets of the program.

Choral Excellence-This award is presented to the choir students who have shown dedication to the choral program through musicianship, leadership, commitment, and a positive attitude.

Show Choir Leadership Award-This award, voted upon by the show choir members, is given to two students who have set a good example to other show choir members with their leadership, musicianship, and inspiration.

Outstanding Senior Vocalist-This award is presented to two seniors who have demonstrated achievement, leadership, inspiration, initiative, and service to the vocal program through the use of their voice.

Band Awards

Excellence in Band Award- Awarded to students that have consistently shown great leadership, reliability, and a positive attitude.

John Phillip Sousa- Awarded to one senior that has demonstrated outstanding dedication to the band program through leadership, reliability, attitude, and musical abilities.

Letterwinners- Any student can letter by achieving a certain number of points for participation in activities outside of the classroom.

2022-2023 8-12 Band Achievements

-Gold Rating at NSU Gypsy Days Parade

-All Small Group Ensembles received a Superior Rating at Contest

-Pep Band was selected to play at the State A Girls Basketball Tournament

-Large Group Received a Superior Rating from all 3 judges at Contest

Team GPA's Awards from SDHSAA

All-State Chorus: 3.91

Band Solo/Ensemble Group: 3.76

Large Group Band: 3.63

Large Group Chorus: 3.36

Vocal Solo/Ensemble Group: 3.36