

Blacksburg Community Band

Jay A. Durner, Conductor

Fall Concert

Sunday, October 28, 2018

3:00 pm

Blacksburg High School

FREE concert with refreshments to follow.



2018 Fall Concert Notes

Welcome to the 2018 Fall Concert of the Blacksburg Community Band. We hope you enjoy our varied program featuring music from Broadway.

Each year the band recognizes and supports an outstanding high school band musician with our **Founder's Scholarship**. General donations at the door today will support this award. This year's winner will be recognized at our spring concert.

Today we thank **Mary Walters**, who recently "retired" from the Band after 19 years playing flute and piccolo with us. You have probably marveled at her piccolo solo in "The Stars and Stripes Forever."

Flute player Vicki Scarratt shares the following about Mary's career:

Mary began playing at the age of 9 in Dover, Delaware. She took lessons with another young student at the cost of 50¢ a lesson but quickly surpassed the other student. She got her union card at the age of 12.

After high school, Mary went to nursing school but still continued to play the flute. She married Jack Walters, and they raised four boys. When Jack and Mary moved to Las Vegas in 1977, she gave up nursing and focused on teaching flute and playing in many groups in the Las Vegas area. Her students consistently placed in the top at district and state auditions, and many continued on to major in music in college.

Jack and Mary moved to Blacksburg in 1999, and the rest is history! We all should be so fortunate to play at her level at the age of 89. She has had a remarkable career, and I am so fortunate to have been her friend for the last 19 years.

Band Members Performing

CONDUCTOR
Jay Durner
FLUTE
Thomas Godfrey
Kacie Hodges
Vicki Scarratt
Leda Stubbs
Barbara Valenza
Carey Vice *
CLARINET
Katia Almeida
Carl Derfler *
Terri Fisher
Trevin Glasgow
Karen Haga
Renee Jacobsen
Mary Keffer
Kendra Kohl
ALTO CLARINET
Barbara Self
BASS CLARINET
Dixon Smiley
BASSOON
Mary Rhoades *
Beth Paterson

ALTO SAX
Kristy Hudson
Charlie Katz
Jim Mitchell
TENOR SAX
Mack Hilton
Bill Davis
BARITONE SAX
Casey Dillon
Caleb Stinchcomb
TRUMPET
Wesley Brewer
Martin Chapman
George Hemingway
Cynthia Hurst
Matthew James
Scott Malbon *
Jim Marchman
Daniel McPherson
Bill Murphy
Ryan Sincavage
Ben Stovall
FRENCH HORN
Jennifer Hundley
Derry Hutt *

Amanda Morris
Terry Nicholson
Scott Vice
TROMBONE
Dean Chiapetto
Bill Finley
Katie Morris
Jeff Ritchie
Larry Root *
EUPHONIUM
Bert Blanton *
Betsy Davies
Kai Duncan
Dave Kibler
TUBA
Patrick Feucht
PERCUSSION
Lianna Almeida
Matt Chan
Jordan Israel
Bob Schoner *
Holden Trimmer
Parker Vice
Sam Woolsey
* Section Leaders