



ST. PAUL ACADEMY
AND SUMMIT SCHOOL



MIDDLE SCHOOL SPRING CHOIR CONCERT

MAY 26, 2022, 7:00 P.M.
HUSS CENTER FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS

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Anne Klus, Director of Choral Activities

Tim Kraack, Assistant Director of Middle School Choirs and Collaborative Pianist

Joshua Melchert '26, Guitar and Electric Bass

Todd Mulliken, Percussion

TENOR BASS CHOIR

Stand By Me.....Words and Music by Ben E. King
Mike Stoller, and Jerry Leiber

Come and Get Your Love.....Words and Music by Lolly Vegas

Viva La Vida.....Words and Music by Guy Berryman, Jon Buckland,
Will Champion and Chris Martin

EIGHTH GRADE ENSEMBLE

Wake Me Up.....Tim Bergling, Aloe Blacc and Michael Einziger

TREBLE CHOIR

Over the Rainbow.....Lyrics by E. Y. Harburg
Music by Harold Arlen
Arranged by Andy Beck

Soloists: Beatrix Rhone and Luca Kempcke

Cups.....Words and Music by A.P. Carter and Luisa Gerstein
Arranged by Roger Emerson

Soloists: Lucille Brooks and Abigail McKinney

Team Cups: Avital Coleman, Lucien-Sinclair Herndon, Laura Kimmel, Louise Mahoney, Palmer Olson

Mamma Mia Medley.....Words and Music by Benny Andersson,
Bjorn Ulvaeus and Stig Anderson
Arranged by Mac Huff

Mamma Mia

Slipping Through My Fingers

Soloists: Eliza Dayton and Hazel Biganek

Dancing Queen

MIDDLE SCHOOL COMBINED CHOIRS

I'm Still Standing.....Words and Music by Elton John and Bernie Taupin
Arranged by Pete Schmutte

Mr. Blue Sky.....Words and Music by Jeff Lynne
Arranged by Roger Emerson

Bohemian Rhapsody.....Words and Music by Freddie Mercury
Arranged by Mark Brymer

Chamber Ensemble

Sofia Rivera, Bella Moet and Cosette Switzer

Eliza Dayton, Taryn Karasti and Bea Moore

Izzy Middlebrook and Abigail McKinney

Phillippe Cristobal, Ezra Cunningham and William Hanna

CHOIR PERSONNEL

TENOR BASS CHOIR

Hugh Adams	Ezra Cunningham	Andrew Lipinsky
Malcolm Adams	James England	Bokii Mullataa
Ollie Bisanz	William Hanna	Ben Sieben
Will Bogdan	Eli Henretta	
Phillippe Cristobal	LaRon Johnson	

TREBLE CHOIR

Vivian Atkinson	Gus Hembre	Palmer Olson
Ella Barlow	Lucien-Sinclair Herndon	Axel Pearson
Jocelyn Barnes	Zoe Huelster	Audrey Peltier
Hazel Bieganek	Sofia Johnson	Addy Peterson
Sophia Blumenthal	Ella Judeh	Juliet Pickens
Ella Bond	Taryn Karasti	Raaghima Ray
Eliza Bray	Sasha Karpowitz	Beatrix Rhone
Lucille Brooks	Luca Kempcke	Sofia Rivera
Dagny Bruun	Yasmin Khan	Richard Romans
Ellie Camp	Rory Kigin	Evy Sachs
Via Campbell	Laura Kimmel	Hannah Sanders
Mariya Chaudhary	Clara Lovelace	Luke Sieben
Avital Coleman	Lucy Lowman	Lilly Spurgeon
Marcelle Danz	Louise Mahoney	Cosette Switzer
Eliza Dayton	Naomi Mann	Senetneb Theba
Sophie Donahue	Abigail McKinney	Abigail Tilton
Norah Evens	Elizabeth Mena-Larsen	Maisy Torres
Millie Farrington	Izzy Middlebrook	Michu Tufaa
Teagan Fruehling	Murphy Miltner	Gwendolyn Uhlhorn
Brooks Geiger	Bella Moet	Hart Waltz
Max George	Bea Moore	Maddie Wright
Lucas Granucci	Magarsaa Mullataa	Charlie Zakaib
Francis Hanna		

DIRECTOR'S NOTES

As the school year comes to a close and our final concert is done, I look ahead to my retirement from SPA this spring. Teaching at SPA has been my life for the past 34 years, and I have directed choirs and musicals for almost five decades. I am a dinosaur! I have loved every minute of it and my joy has been working with great students and adults throughout the years, sharing that same joy and love of singing.

I have been blessed to do what I was destined to do for my life's work. To the entire SPA Community: thank you for all of the encouragement and support you have given me and our students throughout my many years of teaching, whether on the Goodrich stage, at St. Kate's, at Carnegie Hall, or right here on our magnificent Huss stage. SPA's music program has grown by leaps and bounds since my first years of teaching, thanks to my amazing music and theater colleagues. I am confident that our programs and performances will continue to grow and prosper, challenging our students to explore the lifelong pursuit of expressing themselves through the arts. As one parent said to me, "You are going to Intermission, and your Second Act will start soon." I look forward to what that Second Act will bring in my future!

With deepest gratitude,
Anne Klus

SPECIAL THANKS

American Sign Language Interpreter Michele “Shelly” Lehner, SPA Administration and Middle School Faculty, Pete Kilibarda and SPA Facilities Staff, Stephanie Holman-Strafelda, Eric Severson, Daryn Lowman, Garry Clum and SPA Technology Staff, Matt Edens, Gene Swanson, Ami Berger, Anne Odegard and SPA Safety and Security Staff.

ANNE KLUS CHORAL ENDOWMENT FUND

*In celebration of Anne Klus’ extraordinary 34-year career, St. Paul Academy and Summit School has begun an effort to endow a fund in her honor. The Anne Klus Choral Endowment Fund will pay tribute to the creativity and joy Anne brought into the lives of her students and the SPA community through music making. The Klus Fund will provide resources to further SPA’s Choral Music program and will support new initiatives such as commissions, guest performers and conductors, workshops, touring expenses, recordings, or other programming that creates the best possible choral experience for SPA students and inspires in them a lifelong love of singing. **To make a gift to the Klus Fund please use the QR code to visit www.spa.edu/giving/make-a-gift/anne-klus-fund or call 651-696-1320.***



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