

CLARENCE MUSIC DEPARTMENT
PRESENTS

**CMS 7TH GRADE
CHORUS AND ORCHESTRA
CONCERT**



**March 10, 2026
CMS Auditorium, 7:30 PM**



CONCERT ETIQUETTE

**Please follow these guidelines
for appropriate concert behavior:**

1. Arrive on time.

If you are late, please wait until the end of the selection before entering the hall so that latecomers trying to find a seat will not distract the performers and other audience members.

2. Listen quietly while the performance is taking place.

Performers and audience members should never be distracted by unnecessary talking and movement.

3. Applause at the end of a performance.

Applause should be used only at the completion of a piece of music and that is generally indicated when the conductor's arms are dropped to the side.

4. Please do not wave or call out to performers.

Students have worked hard for weeks to prepare for performances.

Please do not distract them with improper concert behavior.

Applause, as noted above, is the best way to thank the performers.

5. Stay for the entire performance and wait until the end of the selection to leave.

If there is an emergency and you must leave before the final performance, please wait until there is a break in the program.

Please silence your cell phones.



PROGRAM

CONCERT ORCHESTRA
Daniel Polino, Conductor

The Bachaneer Jeffrey E. Turner

Desert Sands Soon He Newbold

Conducted by: Ms. Leah Dylag, student teacher

A Million Dreams (from "The Greatest Showman")
Benj Pasek and Justin Paul
arr. by James Kazik

Featuring: Charlotte Cleary, violin

Wood Splitter Fanfare Brian Balmages



"Spring: the music of open windows."
— Terri Guillemets

PROGRAM

SEVENTH GRADE CHORUS

Erin Alexander, Director

Garrett Martin, Accompanist

Sutoku In Ruth Morris Gray
Words from a Traditional Japanese Poem by Emperor Sutoku
(1119-1164)

Journey the Night Lisa Longe

Oh Won't You Sit Down Based on a Traditional Spiritual
arr. Greg Gilpin

Lily McLaughlin, Emmie Wochna, Alex Holmes, Elizabeth Burger,
Peyton Cante, Hannah Wentland, Isabella Seguin, Payton Holden,
featured singers



COMBINED CONCERT ORCHESTRA AND SEVENTH GRADE CHORUS:

Touch the Sky (from “Brave”)
Alexander I. Mandel and Mark Andrews
Choral arrangement by Mac Huff
String arrangement by Dan Polino

Avery Kalisz, Emilio Salerno, Mia Yuzbasheva, and Gabriel Koehler,
soloists

Juliette Hardy, Colette Patti, Scarlett Williamson, Eda McGee,
featured singers

CONCERT ORCHESTRA

Violin 1

Charlotte Cleary
Ava Ramachandran
Chelsea Viljoen
Lillian Pepper
Isla Kinsman
Elle Punyon
Juliana Barkley
Lea Mendelevich
Evelyn Popiolkowski
Sofia Pastuhova
Reid Denison
Nolan Dominik

Violin 2

Michael Chirayath
Caroline Muller
Brielle Mahon
Owen Zhu
Violet Norris
Luciano Wells
Natalie Phillips
Emelia Yager
London Zakes
Andrew LaPaglia
Nathan Grocock
Ronin Beck



Viola

Julia Fortunato
Emilia Webster
Katherine Gaughan
Benjamin Burow
Alex Matskevich
Jacob Dominiak

Cello

Henry Kreher
Dainius Selvadurai
Evan Manson
Abigail Luk
Gwendolyn Ryan
Jack Rubadeaux
Gemma Highway

Bass

Trevor Winters
Stotra Nalawade

"Music gives a soul to the universe, wings to the mind, flight to the imagination" — Plato

SEVENTH GRADE CHORUS

Addison Abrams	Juliette Hardy	Emilio Salerno
Alaska Anderson	Ammar Heakal	Porter Santiago
Theodora Apostolopoulos	Payton Holden	Isabelle Seguin
Ava Appleton	Alexandra Holmes	Isabelle Selig
Valentina Ballarin	Gavin James	William Setlik
Andrew Belanger	Jayla Johnson	Benjamin Shouldice
Giuliana Bellacose	Avery Kalisz	Michael Simard
Mark Bogner	Karina Kharlip	Henry Streicher
Claire Borawski	Hailey Kirisits	Evan Swiatek
Mary Boulos	Gabriel Koehler	Madison Talun
Oakley Brunner	Michael Lignos	Adelaide Tauriello
Elizabeth Burger	Owen Lomas	Joseph Terpin
Chloe Campolo	Brynn Loomis	Navah Thomann
Peyton Cante	Kennedy Lubick	Arshvir Tuteja
Elena Callahan	Simon Mammen	Amelia Upson
Elena Carpenter	Reid Masiello	Yaroslav Vielieshyn
Emma Cohen	Rebecca Mason	Henry Watkins
Mia Dambra	Ava McCormick	Harper Welch
Alison Davignon	Eda McGee	Hannah Wentland
Eliana Dermott	Liliana McLaughlin	Jackson West
Sydney DeSantis	Kaliyan Mesanovic	Scarlett Williamson
Mariella DeStefano	Blake Miller	Camila Wilson
Giuliana Elia	Grace Monile	Emilia Wochna
Makenzie Ellis	Augustin	Mia Yuzbasheva
Isaiah Endres	Mpawenimana	Drew Zahn
Katia Eyrick	Weston Newman	Olivia Zeis
Maria Beatriz Fagerberg	April Ostrov	
Luca Falbo	Abigail Panchal	
Addison Fischlein	Colette Patti	
Adele Giglio	Taylor Piersa	
Camryn Graffam	Joseph Riad	
Jaxen Guziejka	Eliana Rivera	
Emma Haberl	Josie Rivet	
	Alaina Rosa	



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Thank You

Thank you all for sharing our music with us this evening. We gratefully thank those members of the faculty, staff, and administration who have contributed to the success of this performance. We also extend our warmest thanks to the students for their dedication, as well as parents & guardians for their continued encouragement, interest, and support.

Don't forget to wear green next Tuesday!



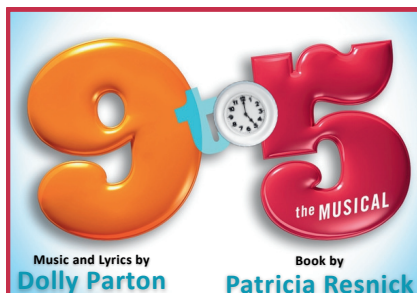
**HAPPY
ST. PATRICK'S
DAY**



The first day of Spring 2026 ... is on Friday, March 20!

COMING SOON

CHS Musical
March 12 – 14
7:00pm each night



Tickets are \$15.00 each and must be purchased online:
www.vancoevents.com/us/DISQ, or scan the QR code above

CMS 8th Grade Chorus & Orchestra Concert

Tuesday, March 17, 7:30 – 9:30pm

CMS 6th Grade Chorus & Orchestra Concert

Wednesday, March 18, 7:30 – 9:30pm

Choirs in the Rounds Concert

Thursday, April 16, 7:00 PM

(Also Mrs. Kohler's Birthday!)

Registration Opens for Summer Instrumental and/or Vocal Lessons

Monday, April 27

Around mid-April, see the Clarence music website for the instructions and the online form to complete. Once payment has been received, your chosen teacher will contact you to schedule the lessons in July, with make-up lessons the first week of August.

CMS Spring Choral Festival

Wednesday, May 13, 7:00 PM

Summer Instrumental and/or Vocal Lessons Begin

Monday, July 6