

CLARENCE MIDDLE SCHOOL
MUSIC DEPARTMENT
PRESENTS

SPRING ORCHESTRA CONCERT



JUNE 2, 2026

CLARENCE MIDDLE SCHOOL AUDITORIUM, 7:00 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.



PROGRAM

STRING POP

DAN POLINO | CONDUCTOR

The Fate of Ophelia Taylor Swift
arr. Dan Polino

Golden EJAE, Audrey Nuna, Rei Ami
arr. Dan Polino

SIXTH GRADE ORCHESTRA

AMANDA WITHERELL | CONDUCTOR

Hey Fiddle Fiddle! Brian Balmages

Secret Agent 440 Carrie Lane Gruselle

Sonata Vivant Elliot Del Borgo

SIXTH GRADE CHAMBER GROUP

AMANDA WITHERELL, DIRECTOR

The Code Alan Lee Silva

PROGRAM

CONCERT ORCHESTRA

DAN POLINO, DIRECTOR

El Toro Don Brubaker

Owen Zhu: violin
Trevor WInters: bass

Power Shift Kathryn Griesinger

Iraj Ammananda, drum set

Danza de mi Corazon Steven L. Rosenhaus

CMS CHAMBER ORCHESTRA

AMANDA WITHERELL, DIRECTOR

Into the Shadows Brian Balmages

Serenade for Strings (Finale) Piotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky
arr. by Richard Meyer

PROGRAM

SYMPHONIC ORCHESTRA

DAN POLINO | CONDUCTOR

Across the Wind Doug Spata

Swamp Thang Richard Meyer

Kingdom Dance Alan Menken
arr. Leah Dylag

Violin 1: Rose Reed, Jackson Payne, Simone Groff,
Adelaide Schimenti

Violin 2: Anna Paragh, Ethan Zang, Aubrey Price, Lydia Alfano

Viola: Benjamin Annunziato, Iraj Ammananda

Cello: Una Mijanovic, Nathaniel Huck

Bass: Anna Brancato, Ms. Leah Dylag

Frost on the Plow Samuel Gelfer

Featuring Anna Paragh, Electric Guitar



**T-Shirt Graphic
Designed by:
Elle Punyon**

STRING POP

8TH GRADE

Safaa Chowdry
Jocelynn Dai
Simone Groff
Rebekah Herman
Elliana Olexenko
Jackson Payne
Rose Reed
Adelaide Schimenti
Gianna Shaw
Emma Sivic
Ella Terhaar
Reese Vanzile
Madeleine White

7TH GRADE

Lydia Alfano
Iraj Ammananda
Juliana Barkley
Charlotte Cleary
Reid Denison
Kate Gaughan
Isla Kinsman
Brielle Mahon
Lea Mendelevich
Caroline Muller
Stotra Nalawade
Violet Norris
Natalie Phillips
Evelyn Popiolkoski
Aubrey Price
Elle Punyon
Ava Ramachandran
Chelsea Viljoen
Emelia Yager
London Zakes

6TH GRADE

Violet Bixby
Anoushka Dey
Leonora Fargeat
Zara Fatima Anwar
Joyita Hossain
Zaara Khan
Lila Majewski
Izadora Malisiewicz
Gabriella Minocchi
Everett Mueller
Easton Powers
James Riek
Akhilles Singh
Esther Williams

**String Pop plays pop music
arranged by Mr. Polino
for String Orchestra**

6TH GRADE ORCHESTRA

VIOLIN I

Zara Anwar
Malena Barolomei
Natalie Booth
Leanna Colin
Anoushka Dey
Joyita Hossain
Ethan Kosmoski
Julia Mandich
Everett Mueller
Violet Reed
Ifra Shahzad
Akhilles Singh
Sarah Yang

VIOLIN 2

Tamia Daughtry
Leonora Fargeat
Autumn Fiess
Madeline Gworek
Florence Lamphron
Lila Majewski
Izadora Malisiewicz
Lena McRorie
Neelesh Muppala
Hattie Reichard
Archan Sett
Bridget Wlosinski

VIOLA

Anaaya Kukar
Gabriella Minocchi
James Riek
Bryson Ruppertsberg
William Streicher

CELLO

Violet Bixby
Bennett Borden
Emma Frank
Noah Healy
Zaara Khan
Vivian Koenig
Adelyn McGreevy
Easton Powers

BASS

Hazel McGuire
Esther Williams



CONCERT ORCHESTRA

VIOLIN 1

Owen Zhu
Ava Ramachandran
Brielle Mahon
Elle Punyon
Isla Kinsman
Michael Chirayath
Chelsea Viljoen
Lea Mendelevich
Violet Norris
Caroline Muller
Emelia Yager
Ronin Beck

VIOLIN 2

Natalie Phillips
Charlotte Cleary
Juliana Barkley
London Zakes
Lillian Pepper
Luciano Wells
Reid Denison
Evelyn Popiolkowski
Andrew LaPaglia
Nathan Groock
Nolan Dominik
Sofia Pastuhova

VIOLA

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

CELLO

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

BASS

Trevor Winters
Stotra Nalawade

SYMPHONIC ORCHESTRA

VIOLIN 1

Rose Reed
Simone Groff
Madeleine White
Adelaide Schimenti
Lydia Alfano
Alaina Beck
Anna Paragh
Ella Terhaar
Jeremy Garlapo
Zachary Priset
Johanna Naab
Adriana Saracina
Reese Vanzile

VIOLIN 2

Jackson Payne
Aubrey Price
Arnav Kukar
Ethan Zang
Jocelynn Dai
Hannah Whalen
Adeline Beyer
Ellery Jackson
Elle Savage
Sophia Merritt
Rebekah Herman
Christian Koenig
Austin Arroyo
Anna Hughes

VIOLA

Benjamin Annunziato
Iraj Ammananda
Elliana Olexenko
Henry Nelson
Aubrey Rice

CELLO

Una Mijanovic
Caliana Przybylski
Gianna Shaw
Nathaniel Huck
Preston Truong
Charles Nagel
Safaa Chowdry
Michael Hooker

BASS

Emma Sivic
Anna Brancato
William Truong



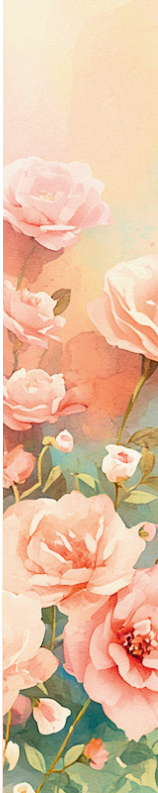


CHAMBER GROUPS

SIXTH GRADE CHAMBER GROUP

Zara Anwar
Anoushka Dey
Leonora Fargeat
Autumn Feiss
Joyita Hossain
Zaara Khan
Ethan Kosmoski
Lila Majewski
Izadora Malisiewicz
Everett Mueller
Neelesh Muppala
Violet Reed
Akhilles Singh

CMS CHAMBER ORCHESTRA



Iraj Ammananda
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Anna Brancato
Anoushka Dey
Simone Groff
Zaara Khan
Una Mijanovic
Everett Mueller
Anna Paragh
Addi Schimenti
Gigi Shaw
Preston Truong
Maddie White
Owen Zhu



HONOR ENSEMBLE ORCHESTRA MEMBERS (GR. 7-9)



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MUSIC ASSOCIATION**

**NYSSMA JR. HIGH
AREA ALL-STATE
SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA**

Henry Kreher

**NYSSMA JR. HIGH
AREA ALL-STATE
STRING ORCHESTRA**

Iraj Ammananda

Nathaniel Huck

Owen Zhu

**ECMEA
JR. HIGH NORTH
ALL-COUNTY ORCHESTRA**

Benjamin Annunziato

Rose Reed

**ECMEA ELEMENTARY
(GRADE 6)
ALL-COUNTY ORCHESTRA**

Zara Anwar

Anoushka Dey

Leonora Fargeat

Zaara Khan

Everett Mueller

Akhilles Singh

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Thank You

... 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.

Come on out and support:

CHS Orchestras
Spring Concert
June 10, 2026
CHS Auditorium
7:00 PM



Chamber
Music Concert
June 16, 2026
Clarence Town Park
7:00 PM