

2015 WJMB Alumni Concert Band Members

	DIRECTOR			
Flute	Jessica Gibbons 03-06	Horn	Milajejan Harkabus 71-80	
	Karen (Guidosh) McClellan 72-75		Don McCurdy 62-67	
	Judy (Hart) Mindicino 71-77		Morgan Bees 15-15	
	Cindy Slee-Munson 87-92	Trumpet	Dave Dragus 83-86	
	Ginny (Smith) Aubel 67-71		Mark Goudy 03-08	
	Nicole (VanWye) Davis 96-97		David Graham 77-83	
Oboe	Robert Bees 82-83		Carly Johnson 89-94	
	Joan (Bradford) Sutton 70-72		Patrick Julian 72-77	
	Holly (Burns) Ceci 85-93		Wayne Magee 02-07	
Clarinet	Janny Adgate-Hallett 74-78		Joan Oblinger 68-75	
	Pamela Batt 70-74		Robert Pounds 71-76	
	Tracy (Bell) Lewis 79-86		Allison (Rigdon) Jarvis 01-05	
	Diane (Borovitcky) Behmer 75-80	Trombone	Bruce Krauss 74-81	
	Lori (Dearth) Bees 75-83		Ken Rega 84-88	
	Lorinda (Decello) Pesa 85-87		Jill (Young) Redmond 82-87	
	Bob Morris 67-72	Euphonium	David McClain 74-78	
	Lauren (Munroe) Frank 96-06		Monica (Oliva) Merrill 96-01	
	Kim (Murphy) Snyder 84-87		Wendy (Slee) Mundell 81-88	
	Kara (Rattay) Strineka 86-88	Tuba	Craig Adgate 69-75	
	Naida Rivera 99-04		Belinda Colon 84-89	
	James Shuster 94-98		Bruce Guidosh 72-74	
	Shannon Watson 89-94		Charles Slivkoff 87-88	
Bass Clarinet	Marc Hartman 82-87	Percussion	Joe Costarella 69-76	
	Cynthia Pickens 76-79		Jim Cunningham 67-72	
	Annie Wilson 99-03		Kerry (Dumas) Pettit 86-90	
	Jennifer (Yeakel) Wells 89-93		Jen Hutka 04-08	
Bassoon	Amanda (Gregg) Chirozzi 94-98		Edwin "Mickey" Kaiser 42-49	
	Dean La Salandra 06-10		Kelly Kommel 89-94	
	Pam (Potter) Raidel 69-73		Matt Mackey 94-00	
Alto Sax	Isaac Benner 07-10		Rob Pasha 61-69	
	Brian Bradshaw 84-85		Michael Thomas 02-05	
	Mike Ceci 82-88		Nicole Zipay 05-09	
	Kristina (Lenhart) Socha 89-92			



The Warren Jr. Military Band Alumni Association

presents

"A Celebration Of America"

Featuring the
2015 WJMB Alumni Concert Band

At the Warren Community Amphitheater

Saturday, September 12, 2015

3:30 p.m.



* Photo portrait on back of program is of Warren Jr. Military Band Director Donald W. "Squire" Hurrelbrink (1909-1999), which was taken in 1980 for his 50th Anniversary of directing the Warren Jr. Military Band

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Conducted by

Jonathan E. Willis, WJMB Alumnus, 1977 - 1981



America the Beautiful Samuel Augustus Ward, arr. Carmen Dragon
Semper Fidelis John Philip Sousa
Symphony No. 9 (The New World): Highlights Antonin Dvorak, arr. James Curnow
Selections from West Side Story Leonard Bernstein, arr. W. J. Dutholt
Back to the Future (Medley) Alan Sylvestri, arr. Michael Sweeney
In honor of the movie's 30th Anniversary
Includes: Main theme from the score
Back In Time
Johnny B. Goode
Earth Angel
Armed Forces Salute arr. Bob Lowden
Father of Victory Louis Ganne
The Stars and Stripes Forever John Philip Sousa
The Star-Spangled Banner arr. J.P. Sousa

Alumni Upcoming Events

WJMB Ensemble Performance, at Kinsman House Gala, Warren, Ohio	Monday September 14
Board Meeting, at Eat-n-Park Restaurant, Austintown, Ohio	Saturday October 17
Winter Event, at Quaker Steak Restaurant, Austintown, Ohio	TBA for January 2016
2016 Annual Alumni Picnic, at Firemen's Park, Poland, Ohio	TBA for July 2016

* Photo on the cover was taken in New York City in 1972, the copy is from page 29 of the 1977 annual concert program

* Photo inside this program was taken during the WJMB winning performance at the National Convention in 1958 at the Shell at Grant Park in Chicago, Illinois

WJMB History

Squire's Warren Jr. Military Band had an emotional appeal that endeared it to audiences of all ages. Considered one of Northeastern Ohio's richest artistic assets, members were filled with pride, tradition, patriotism and a sense of discipline. Members represented numerous communities in Trumbull, Mahoning, Columbiana and Mercer counties.

The original band was formed in 1927 under the directorship of Raymond Dehnbostel. In 1930, Donald W. Hurrelbrink took over as director of what was then known as the V.F.W. Boys Band. Girls did not become playing members until the WWII era. Under V.F.W. and American Legion sponsorship, the Band amassed an impressive record of 20 National Championships. In 1954, under its own sponsorship, the Band became known as the Warren Jr. Military Band and continued its championship ways in Canada and the Midwest as Grand Champion at Flags of Freedom, Minnesota Sweepstakes and Traverse City Cherry Festival and Marching Bands of America Summer Finalist. Gold and silver medals were earned in World Music Festival Competitions in Holland and Switzerland.

Throughout the years, the Band performed at numerous prestigious events and for an impressive number of dignitaries, including Presidents, Prime Ministers, Governors, Government and State Officials. Europeans enjoyed the band's vast repertoire during tours of Europe and the British Isles. The Band performed in stadiums and concert halls from the East Coast to Hawaii and from Canada to the Gulf of Mexico. Some of the most impressive concerts were at Mt. Rushmore, Arlington National Cemetery and Valley Forge. The Band was featured in such major events as the Orange Bowl Parade, Disney World's Christmas Parade, Gimbel's, Hudson's and Macy's Thanksgiving Parades, Indy "500" Parade, Football Hall of Fame and halftime celebration, World Series, and several World's Fairs. The band was always proud to perform in numerous local festivities.

Affectionately known as Squire, members were privileged to have his leadership for 66 years. Under Squire's baton, the Band achieved not only national prominence, but also world recognition. Squire himself was a symbol of integrity, dedication and patriotism. He received many prestigious local, state and national awards over the years. Devotion to and love of country were as important to Squire as the musical experiences which the members shared together. Many members continued their love of music as professional musicians and in community bands as well as many who became top-notch band directors themselves. Upon Squire's passing in 1999, several alumni continued to lead, direct and pass on the values they learned under Squire's guidance. Finally in 2010, the Band ended its long legacy, but will always continue in the hearts of those who were members.

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