

EDINA HIGH SCHOOL CHOIRS



Fall

CHORAL CONCERT

featuring

Chamber Singers

10-12 SSA Ensemble

Men's Chorus

Bel Canto

Concert Choir

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2017 ♦ 7:00PM
LEO J. FICK AUDITORIUM

Directed by
David O. Henderson & Christopher J. Piela
Sonja England, accompanist

Welcome

We are very excited to present our first performances of the year, showcasing the work our students have done in our first six weeks together. With nearly 450 students singing in grades nine through twelve, we are extremely proud of our choral program and the opportunities we offer these talented singers to further their musical skills, knowledge, and enjoyment. Thank you for your continued support of Edina Choirs!

Please be sure to visit our website at www.edinachoirs.org, take note of the upcoming events on our calendar, and join us again soon for future performances at Edina High School.



We appreciate your presence this evening. To make this concert successful for the performers and enjoyable for everyone in the audience, we ask that you note the following:

- Please silence all electronics, and refrain from using them during the concert.
- Please enter and exit only between songs.
- Please refrain from talking during songs, as well as immediately before and after each piece.
- When the concert ends, please help our custodians prepare the room for the next event by taking this program and any other belongings with you.

Thank you for your respectful cooperation.

The choral music department of Edina High School strives to introduce students to choral literature which represents the various historical periods and diverse musical cultures of the world.

We hope our performance will assist with cultivating a mutual respect and understanding of music from the countries and cultures represented.

THE PROGRAM

Chamber Singers:

Adam Hecker, student director

It Was a Lover and His Lass

Thomas Morley (c. 1557-1602)

One Minute Madrigal

Donald Moore

10-12 SSA Ensemble:

Everybody Rejoice from The Wiz

Luther Vandross (1951-2005),

Arr. Hawley Ades

Men's Chorus:

In the Good Old Summer Time

George Evans (1870-1915),

Arr. "The Old Songs Chorus"

Shine on Me

Traditional Spiritual, arr. Rollo Dilworth

Bel Canto:

The Castle of Dromore

Trad. Irish Folk Song, arr. Lori-Anne Dollof

Joyce Zhao, flute

Arise, My Love

Joan Szymko (b. 1957)

Feel Good

L. Craig Tyson & Leonard Scott, arr. Barbara Baker

& David Elliott

Concert Choir:

Laura Lee

Stephen Foster (1826-1864), arr. Edwin Fissinger

Oh! Susanna

Stephen Foster, arr. Edwin Fissinger

Bogoróditse Dêvo

Sergei Rachmaninoff (1873-1943)

Calling My Children Home

Lawson, Waller, & Yates,

Arr. Joseph H. Jennings

Jamaican Market Place

Larry Farrow

Alma Mater

Roger Sims, Class of '57

THANKS & ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

Lights & Sound: EHS Theater Students

Vocal Music Booster Treasurer: Trisha Lundberg

Booster Co-chairs:

Tickets: Kerrie Hecker

Ushers: Jill Mironer

Concessions: Patty Dronen, Michaelanne deGrood

Chamber Singers Costumes: Amy Stark

Spring Program Ads: Jennifer Dyrdaahl, Sheryl Schroeder

Recordings: Westmark Productions, Doug Geston

Tonight's Volunteers: Ruth Butler, Heather Hankinson, Jana Hoffmann, Giovanna Ingram, Kim Kelly, Janna Northrup, Kirk Swenson, Sue Weldon, Dena Wesselman, Cathy Wood

SPECIAL THANKS:

Andy Beaton, Principal

Jenn Carter, Assistant Principal

Jenny Johnson, Assistant Principal

Michael Pretasky, Assistant Principal, Fine Arts Coordinator

Troy Stein, Assistant Principal, Activity Director

Jeff Marshall, Dean of Students

Edina High School Custodial Staff

EHS Music Colleagues:

Band- Geneva Fitzsimonds, Paul Kile, Andy Richter

Orchestra- Nick Gaudette, Kristine Wiese

Middle School Choral Directors:

Christine Dold, Janet Jans, Zach Lindquist, Liz Sletten

UPCOMING EVENTS IN THE EHS PERFORMING ARTS:

Thursday, October 26..... 10th Grade Band, 7pm, Fick

Sat, Oct. 28.....Varsity Band Carnival Concert, 6pm, Fick

Monday, October 30..... Concert Band, 7pm, Fick

Thurs. – Sun, Nov. 2 – 5Fall Musical, 7pm, EPAC

Tuesday, November 14 9th Grade Band, 7pm, Fick

Thursday, November 16 EHS Orchestras, 7pm, Fick

Friday, December 8, 7pm &

Saturday, December 9, 1pm Winter Jubilee, Fick

Monday, February 12 9th Grade Choirs, 6pm, EPAC

.....Varsity Choirs & Bel Canto, 8pm, EPAC

Tuesday, February 13Concert Choir, 7pm, EPAC