



By Kate Nelson

HAPPENIN' '07
EDINA SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL
May 3 & 4, 2007
7:30 PM

“Let’s Get Loud” Gloria Estefan & Kike Santander
Jane Linner, Megan McGowan, Speakers
VARSITY CHOIR

“I’m Not That Girl”*from Wicked*Stephen Schwartz
Nicole Slomiany, Vocals

“I’m Yours” Jason Mraz
Katie Anderson, Katie Carlson, Taylor Eastman, Jane Linner, Vocals

“Closer to Fine” Emily Saliers
BEL CANTO

“Where Are you Going?” Dave Matthews
Spencer Duhaime, Vocals

“What is This Feeling”*from Wicked*Stephen Schwartz
Candice Jones & Anna Morton, Vocals

“Straight Up” Elliot Wolff
BEL CANTO

“Kokomo” Love, Melcher, Phillips & McKenzie
VARSITY CHOIR arr. Mark Brymer

“Passenger Seat”Stephen Speaks
Angie Arends & Grey Gyllenhaal, Vocals

“When I Fall in Love” Heyman & Young
arr. Kirby Shaw
VARSITY ENSEMBLE

“C’est La Vie” B-Witched, Hedges, Brannigan, Ackerman
BEL CANTO

Intermission
15 MINUTES
Refreshments in the Commons Area

“Turn The Beat Around” Peter Jackson Jr. & Gerald Jackson
BEL CANTO arr. Mark Brymer

“The Riddle” John Ondrasik
May 3 Solos: Erin Kelly, Liesl Klopp-Miller, Charlotte Sweetland, Caitlin Zahn
May 4 Solos: Mari Kise, Allie Krug, Carrie Nelson, Corinne Salone
VARSITY CHOIR arr. Mark Brymer

“Fidelity” Regina Spektor
Kate Kincaid, Vocals

“The Night Chicago Died” Chris Morris & Philip Wright
Evan Hylok, Vocals

“Can You Hear?” Jim Papoulis
Solo: Laura Galarneau arr. Francisco J. Núñez
BEL CANTO

“Aquarius/Let the Sunshine In” Galt MacDermot
VARSITY CHOIR

“100 Years” John Ondrasik
Tommy Glass, Vocals

“Revolutionaries” Bethany Dillon
Brittany Coughlin, Cara Coughlin, Maggie Coughlin, Siri Undlin, Vocals

“We’re All in This Together” Matthew Gerrard & Robbie Nevil
BEL CANTO arr. Alan Billingsley

“Best Years of our Lives” David, Jaymes & Geoffrey
Rap Group: Alex Eastman, Sarah Johnson, Natalie Swiler, Bailey Williamson
VARSITY CHOIR

Varsity Choir

Eric Alward
Katherine Anderson#
*Alexander Andre-
Knudsen*%*
Angela Arends
Jacqueline Asgrimson
Alexander Barnett%*
Sydney Barton
Amy Beadle
Erik Berger
Alexander Black
James Brophy*
Maria Bryan
Zachery Budish
Peter Burrows
Isabella Bushay
Elie Carlile
Brett Carlson
Kaitlin Carlson
Patrick Carroll
Devin Clapp*
Heather Clayton
Brittney Coughlin
Cara Coughlin
Maggie Coughlin%
Samantha Dahlquist
Hannah Dolan
*Spencer Duhaime**
Alexandra Eastman#
Taylor Eastman
John Eppel#
*Colbjorn Erlandson**
Elizabeth Fandrey
Meredith Finsand
Connor Foley
Josephine Franske
Casey Gaarder
Thomas Glass%*
William Gustafson
Leah Gyllenhaal
Maria Handberg
Kelsey Hansen
Joseph Herring
James Hill
Christopher Hinueber
Allison Holden

Patrick Hughes#
Erin Hughes
*Evan Hylok**
Taylor Ilten
Gus Jensen
Tess Jensen
Sarah Johnson
Candice Jones
Jerranisia Jones
Douglas Justice
Hannah Kajer
Niketa Kataria
Erin Kelly
John Kerr
Korbyn King
Mariel Kise
Liesl Klopp-Miller
Aaron Kogle
Anthony Kosters*
Timothy Krieter
Allison Krug
Tamara Kuhlman
*Michael Laughlin**
Scott Lewis
Jamie Linnemon
Jane Linner
Aaron Lomicka
Jessica Lovell
Scott MacDonald
Danielle MacInnes
Megan McGowan%#
William Mezera
Davina Michel
Mackenzie Miller
Christopher Moore*
Anna Morton
Kelli Muehlbauer
Carolyn Nelson
Kate Nelson
Kristen Nelson
David Newman
Colleen O'Connell
Timothy Odenbach*
Mark Olson
*Patrick O'Neil**
Noelle Pearson

Will Peterson*
Steven Pjevach*
Anne Poley
Bethany Powell
Tessa Profita
Luke Randall#*
David Reese
Kristian Reiersgard
Catherine Robb
Iris Rodriguez
Molly Russell
Corinne Salone#
Jassenia Sanchez-
Carrera
Ryan Schnorbach*
Matthew Schroeder#*
*Michael Spencer**
Kelly Starkey
Frank Sullivan
Charlotte Sweetland
Natalie Swiler
Noah Swiler*
Ashley Thayer
Erin Towey%
Siri Undlin#
*Joseph Wagner**
Jack Ward
Adam Warmansenn
Tess Weinberg
Bailey Williamson%
Daniel Wolfson*
Christopher Woodley
Caitlin Zahn
Elizabeth Zuzek
Peter Zwickey*

* Men's Chorus
Italic-Varsity Ensemble
% ACDA Fall Festival
Choir Board

Bel Canto

Ali Aagaard
Andrea Benson
Madelyn Brown
Marissa Buie
Adele Chavez
Sam Crowther
Hayley DeJong
Erin Deakyne

Caitlin Deal
Laura Galameau
Caroline Goan
Lauren Herreid
Grace Hoene
Amanda Jones
Kate Kincaid

Stephanie Luger
Virginia Ma
Ashley Mulliken
Anne Richards
Nicole Slomiany
Vanessa Stromberg
Claire Walthour
Nicola Webb

Italic-Ensemble

GRAMMY® Signature Schools

The GRAMMY Foundation® has announced 22 schools nationwide that have been selected as GRAMMY® Signature Schools for 2007. Selected for outstanding commitment to their music education programs as determined by a blue-ribbon panel of top music educators and professionals, these schools are awarded grants for their music departments. This year Edina High School was among the top schools in the country, which gave it GRAMMY® Signature School status. In addition to this prestigious award, the GRAMMY Foundation® will present a \$1000 grant to the school.

American Choral Directors Association Advocacy Resolution

Whereas the human spirit is elevated to a broader understanding of itself through study and performance in the aesthetic arts; and

Whereas serious cutbacks in funding and support have steadily eroded state institutions and their programs throughout our country;

Be it resolved that all citizens of the United States actively voice their affirmation and collective support for necessary funding at the local, state and national levels of education and government to ensure the survival of arts programs for this and future generations.

THE PRODUCTION STAFF

Dr. David Henderson, *Bel Canto Choir Director*

David came to Edina High School from an active singing and private teaching schedule. He sang with many Twin Cities groups, including solo appearances with the St. Paul Chamber Orchestra, Minnesota Orchestra and Vocal Essence. He earned a Doctor of Musical Arts degree from the University of Minnesota. When not at school, he can be found at home with his wife, Kris, and their three children Ryan, 13, Erin, 10, and Megan, 8.

Christopher J. Piela, *Varsity Choir Director*

Christopher is in his second year as Varsity Choir Director at Edina High School and his twelfth year in the District. He earned his B.A. in Music Education from Gustavus Adolphus College and his M.A. in Curriculum and Instruction from Minnesota State University, Mankato. He has most recently served as co-chair of the Minnesota Middle School Honor Choir and was the Middle School Repertoire and Standards Co-Chair for the American Choral Directors Association of Minnesota. In addition to directing, he is an active composer and arranger. He resides in Edina with his wife Melissa, and their two children Lauren, 4, and Andrew, 1.

Nickie Kromminga, *Choreographer*

Nickie is thrilled to be choreographing the Varsity and Bel Canto Choirs at Edina High School, as well as choirs at Valley View Middle School. In addition to her work as a freelance choreographer, she has performed as an actress at the Ordway Center for the Performing Arts, Chanhassen Dinner Theatres, Loring Playhouse, and Plymouth Playhouse. Nickie received a BA in Theater and Dance from Gustavus Adolphus College. Our Edina High School students have loved working with this very talented choreographer!

As a courtesy to the performers, please refrain from taking flash photography and silence all cellular phones and pagers.

Mark Your Calendars!

CURRENT JAM '07

May 30 & 31 7:30 PM

June 1 & 2 7:30 p.m.

June 2 2:00 p.m.

Instrumentalists

Back-up Band

Emily Rohkohl, Drum Kit Mimi Danicic, Bass
Scott Johnson, Guitar Jacob Rifkin, Keyboards
John Sullivan, Alto Sax John Dehnel, Tenor Sax
Keith Yoerg, Trumpet Devon Stone, Trombone
Annika Grangaard, Flute, Piano, Percussion
Megan Berman, Cello

Additional Instrumentalists

Doug Justice, Piano Spencer Duhaime, Guitar
Chris Piela, Piano Sonja England, Piano
Kelly Starkey, Percussion Angie Arends, Guitar
Siri Undlin, Guitar Brittany Coughlin, Guitar
Cara Coughlin, Button Box Maggie Coughlin, Mandolin
Grace Hoene, Guitar Brett Kissell, Piano
Herb Page, Guitar Katie Mair, Piano

Acknowledgements

Lighting Design: Grant Ashling

Sound: Scott Fahy

Stage Crew: Edina Technical Theater Crew, Jake Kvanbeck, Crew Chief
Jackson Zirbel, Eric Salter

Tickets: Susan Dolan & Jan Michaletz

Ushers: Susan Bennett, Lori Carlson, Laurie Wilson Spencer, Barb Eppel,
Patti Clapp, Cathy Nevers, Susan Lewis, Laura Millikin, Kristin
Powell, Tonia Wolfson, Sandy Hall, Mark & Susan Kerr, Dave &
Mary Jo Franske, Bert & Amy Finsand

Room Supervisors: Julie Anderson, Jackie Eastman, Janet Brophy, Rebecca
Wagner, Julie Erlandson, Suzie Buie, Nicole Moore, Janet Brophy

Refreshments: Jane and Greg Hess, Co-Chairs, Emily Hess, Laurie Swiler, \,
Chris Mezera

Vocal Music Booster Treasurer: Judy Schumeister

Choir Robes: Debby Fairley, Chair

Suzanne Dixon, Gretchen Hakes, Tracey Hickey, Terri Johnson,
Eda Kostroski, Emilee Markman, Mary O'Brien, Lisa Pike,
Sandra Ring, Lane Thompson

Fruit Sale: Suzanne Dixon, Chair

Chamber Singers Costumes: Diane Darr

Audio & Video Recording: Westmark Productions, Doug Geston

HEARTFELT GRATITUDE TO THE EDINA HS STUDIO VOICE TEACHERS:

Melissa O'Neill, Deb Schlager, Chad Shultis, Linda Smith and Tom Witry

SPECIAL THANKS:

Mary Manderfeld, Principal
Eric Nelson, Assistant Principal
Jenny Johnson, Assistant Principal
Heidi Howard, Dean of Students
Edina High School Custodial Staff

We Sing Your Praises!

EHS Vocal Music Booster Contributors 2006-2007 (as of February 19, 2007)

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Bridget Manahan
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