

2021 ASAA/First National Bank Alaska

ALL-STATE MUSIC FESTIVAL

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WELCOME TO THE 2021 ALL-STATE MUSIC FESTIVAL



Welcome Welcome everyone to the 2021 ASAA/First National Bank Alaska All-State High School Music Festival. Our Mission Statement: "The existence of this Music Festival enables outstanding high school musicians to participate as members of a select statewide band, choral or orchestra music ensemble and promotes the highest standards of musicianship. It is the goal of this activity to foster and inspire technical achievement, esthetic understanding, and critical listening skills that allow for the culmination of a final creative musical performance of the highest artistic level."

Beginning with 662 individual auditions from 42 schools throughout the State of Alaska, the 306 students that you will see and hear this evening represent the finest of Alaska's young musicians. These accomplished young students, taught by 82 dedicated and equally capable school music directors, have gathered for three days of intense rehearsals with four outstanding professional conductors to provide this final concert for you. What a treat you have in store!

It is no small task when trying to gather the participants and to coordinate this weekend's rehearsals and concert. Many, many thanks go to those who have been involved in the process of getting these students from that first recording session to the stage of West Anchorage High School Auditorium in Anchorage, Alaska. Each of these students have been encouraged by a host of parents, music directors, private music teachers, adjudicators, peers, siblings, school administrations and school boards who all realize the power and influence that qualify music can have in a young person's life. They have taken that extra effort to insure that this musical experience can continue for yet another generation of young musicians by presenting this concert this evening.

Thank you, thank you!

Cam Bohman

ASAA Music Festival Coordinator

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On behalf of the Alaska School Activities Association (ASAA) Board of Directors and ASAA's corporate partners, welcome to the 2021 ASAA/First National Bank Alaska All-State Music Festival! To the students, we applaud your dedication to doing your best for yourself and for your school. To the music teachers, conductors, accompanists, counselors and parents, thank you for continuing to support interscholastic sports and activities. And to the spectators, we appreciate you being part of this statewide musical event.

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Billy Strickland ASAA Executive Director

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The Alaska School Activities Association is a statewide nonprofit organization established to direct, develop and support Alaska's high school interscholastic sports, academic and fine arts activities.

MISSION STATEMENT

Strengthen student wellness, academic and social development by advocating equitable participation and fostering healthy competition for ALL Alaska students. #winforlife

VISION STATEMENT

To ensure ALL students have the opportunity to participate in co-curricular activities to develop positive life skills. #winforlife



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MASTER OF CEREMONIES

Dr. Mark Stock - Anchorage School District Deputy Superintendent

ALL-STATE BAND

COORDINATOR:	Jonathan Cannamore	- Bartlett HS Band Director
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CONDUCTOR: Peter Boonshaft - New York

 Impact
 Randall D. Standridge

 Nostalgia
 Rossano Galante

 Procession of the Sorcerers
 Robert Buckley

 Once More Unto the Breach
 Stephen Melillo

~ Presentation of the Academic Award ~

ALL-STATE ORCHESTRA

COORDINATOR: Michael Preskitt - Bartlett HS Orchestra Director

CONDUCTOR: Ryan Ross - Texas

October Eric Whitacre
Orawa Killar
Overture to Nabucco Guiseppe Verdi

ALL-STATE TREBLE CHOIR

COORDINATOR: Andrea Gardner - Dimond HS Choir Director

CONDUCTOR: Ryan Beckon - Kansas ACCOMPANIST: Janet Carr-Campbell

~ Presentation of the 2021 Alaska Music Educator ~

ALL-STATE MIXED CHOIR

COORDINATOR: Ashley Easton-Petito - Chugiak & Eagle River Choir Director

CONDUCTOR: Victor Johnson - Texas

ACCOMPANIST: Susan Wingrove





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THE HISTORY OF ASAA

ASAA's roots predate statehood. In the early 1950s, school leaders in the Territory of Alaska recognized the need to separate the high school basketball program from the local town business leagues. William Zahradnicek of Palmer, and W.W. Lahnum and Gordon Guffey of Anchorage, joined forces to organize the Western Alaska High School Activities Association with a mandate to ensure the necessary educational leadership. Sterling Sears of Juneau and Les Wingard and J.E. Danielson of Ketchikan were moving ahead at the same time to form the Southeast Alaska Activities Association.

In 1956, the Territorial Department of Education Superintendents Advisory Commission determined the need for an organization that could establish common rules and regulations to guide the activities of the two associations. In the Fall of 1957, the commission approved the Constitution and Bylaws of the Alaska High School Activities Association (ASAA). Officers representing the two divisions were elected. The first Board of Control consisted of William Zahradnicek, Palmer, as Chairman, J.E. Danielson, Ketchikan, Secretary-Treasurer; and members George McMillan, Juneau, Joe Montgomery, Anchorage, and Sterling Sears, Juneau.

This informal arrangement worked very well until the early 1970s, when the State Legislature added a section to the Educational Statutes placing the Association under the Department of Education. School populations and the number of participating schools were increasing. After many meetings, the two original associations became five distinct Regions based on school size and geographic location. One year later, in 1976, Regions increased to six. The new Board of Control consisted of one member from each Region, a representative of the Association of Alaska School Boards, and a representative of the Superintendents Association. In 1978, the board added a representative of the Alaska Association of Student Governments.

Due to the increasing number of schools participating in boys and girls basketball, the need for additional statewide culminating events became evident. This required the formation of a classification system that spanned all of the Regions. This task fell to a committee composed of representatives from all six Regions. It was known as the "Black and Blue" Ribbon Study Commission because of the difficulties faced in satisfying the needs of each Region. In June 1981, the Board of Control adopted the Commission's recommendation to establish four classifications based on school enrollment with some overlap in the two smallest classes due to geographic location. The first statewide event for the smaller classes was an invitational basketball tournament held in Anchorage in 1983-84.

In 1986, the Department of Education eliminated funding for ASAA. The Board of Control voted to incorporate as a 501(c)(3) non-profit corporation, beginning July 1, 1987. Because of ongoing jurisdictional issues between the Association and the State of Alaska, both entities sought a legal resolution. This resulted in the 1995 repeal of the Legislative Statue that had placed ASAA under the Department of Education.

In 2007, in order to ensure consistent tobacco, alcohol and controlled substances policies by member schools and districts, the Board of Directors adopted the "Play for Keeps-Win for Life" program for all student participants. In 2011, the Alaska Legislature passed House Bill 15, (amended in 2012 under Senate Bill 119), that sets standards for concussion awareness, education, treatment and return to participation protocols. ASAA developed recommended policies and procedures to assist in the implementation of the law. In 2013, the Alaska Legislature passed Senate Bill 41 that addressed interscholastic participation by "alternative education program students." ASAA developed bylaws and policies to assist schools, students and families in the implementation of the statute.

Currently, the Alaska School Activities Association serves over 200 schools and 26,000 student participants. These student participants are active in 22 athletic activities and 6 academic activities culminating in 54 State Championship events! Without the support of the schools, students, coaches/advisors, parents, and fans ASAA couldn't be as successful as it has been since 1956. THANK YOU!

CONCERT ATTENDANCE

Thank you for attending ASAA All-State GALA MUSIC FESTIVAL CONCERT

We respectfully request that you remember the following theater concert etiquette so all might have an enjoyable, musical evening.

PLEASE

- · No food or drinks in the auditorium.
- · Turn off your cell phones and pagers.
- No cameras or videos are allowed on stage.
- · Do not take pictures during a performance.
- · Stay quiet during the performance.
- Whistling, calling out individual student's names, etc. is not appropriate. This is a concert presentation versus an athletic contest.
- When the conductor turns around to face the audience, clap with enthusiasm.
- If needed, exit between musical selections and/or groups.
- If you need to leave while a group is performing, exit only between selections through the end doors at the rear of the auditorium. You may exit through all doors at the rear of the auditorium between groups.
- Not sure when to clap? Wait and watch those around you and the conductor.
 Group, first chair and candid pictures may be downloaded for free from the
 ASAA web site about 30 days after the Gala Concert at www.asaa.org.

MUSIC VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

ASAA seeks volunteers to assist the ASAA MUSIC COORDINATOR with the two state music festivals held each year.

The ALL-STATE MUSIC FESTIVAL occurs during the third week in November. This festival showcases the finest of Alaskan musicians in four performing groups-the All-State Band, the All-State Mixed Choir, the All-State Orchestra and the All-State Treble Choir who perform in a Gala Concert after three days of intensive rehearsals with national conductors.

The STATE SOLO & ENSEMBLE MUSIC FESTIVAL occurs the weekend after the first Sunday in May. This festival provides an opportunity for outstanding musicians who have received superior ratings at their individual regional music festivals to come to a state level music festival for further competition.

Volunteers are needed for: adjudicators, accompanists, preparing packets for directors and students, room and door monitors, festival and concert set-up.

To volunteer or for more information, contact Cam Bohman, ASAA Music Coordinator, at 563-3723 or www.asaa.org.





ASAA ALL-STATE MUSIC FESTIVAL SUPPORTERS

ASAA extends its appreciation to the following people and groups for contributing their time and energy in making this year's ASAA All-State Gala Music Festival a success!

FESTIVAL COORDINATORS

All-State Music Festival: Cam Bohman - ASAA Music Coordinator

All-State Band: Jonathan Cannamore - Bartlett HS Band Director

Kody Trombley - Chugiak HS Band Director

All-State Mixed Choir: Andrea Easton-Petito - Chugiak/Eagle River Choir Director

Annie Herzog - Bartlett HS Choir Director

All-State Orchestra: Michael Preskitt - Bartlett HS Orchestra Director

Ruth Schwartz - Chugiak HS Orchestra Director

All-State Treble Choir: Andrea Gardner - Dimond HS Choir Director

All-State Choir Octet: Trina Purcell - Ketchikan HS Choir Director

Richard Moore - Juneau-Douglas HS Choir Director

All-State Choir First Chair: Rebecca Nelson - South Anchorage HS Choir Director

FESTIVAL SUPPORTERS

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Mark Dawson - ASD Fine Arts Director

Leah Maltbie - ASD Fine Arts Curriculum Coordinator

Philip Walters - ASD Fine Arts Administrative Assistant

Philip Walters - Percussion Coordinator

ASD Staff Members - Monitoring Concert & Warm-up Rooms

Tammie Smith & the ASD Theater Technicians

Chugiak HS & West Anchorage HS Administration & Staff

CHOIR PART PRE-DOMINANT ASSISTANCE - Bruce Hanson
ON-LINE AUDITION WEB CREATION & SUPERVISION - Benny Martinson
ON-SITE ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANCE

Tammy Hogge & Brian Moon

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Anchorage Performing Arts Center

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Brian Hosken - Director of Student Services

Deanna Montagna - Director of Office Operations

Brad Potter - Director of Technology

Colin McDonald - Director of Marketing

Kari McFeron - Administrative Assistant

PLUS THE COUNTLESS NUMBER OF VOLUNTEERS THAT MAKE THIS STATE CHAMPIONSHIP POSSIBLE!

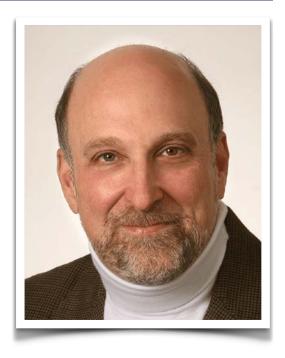
Thanks for All You Do!



ALL-STATE BAND CONDUCTOR

DR. PETER BOONSHAFT

Called one of the most exciting and exhilarating voices in music education today, Peter Loel Boonshaft has been invited to speak and conduct in every state in the nation and around the world. Honored by the National Association for Music Education and Music For All as the first recipient of the "George M. Parks Award for Leadership in Music Education," Dr. Boonshaft is Director of Education for Jupiter Band Instruments, and his weekly "Boonshaft's Blog'? for music educators continues to inspire teachers everywhere. He has received official proclamations from the Governors of five states and a Certificate of Appreciation from former President Ronald Reagan, as well as performing for former President and Mrs. George H. W. Bush, former President Bill Clinton, and for Margaret Thatcher, former Prime Minister of the United Kingdom. He has been awarded membership in Pi Kappa Lambda and Alpha Chi, as well as twice receiving the University of Hartford Regent's Award and that University's Outstanding Music Educator Award. His honors also include being selected three times as a



National Endowment for the Arts "Artist in Residence,"? three times awarded Honorary Life Membership in the Tri-M Music Honor Society, receiving the Al G. Wright Award from the Women Band Directors International, and being selected for the Center for Scholarly Research and Academic Excellence at Hofstra University.

He holds Bachelor of Music (Summa Cum Laude), Master of Music Education in Conducting, and Doctor of Musical Arts degrees. Dr. Boonshaft was also awarded a Connecticut General Fellowship for study at the Kodály Musical Training Institute, from which he holds a Certificate. He is currently on the faculty of Hofstra University in Hempstead, New York, where he is Professor of Music. Prior to this appointment, Dr. Boonshaft was on the faculty of Moravian College and the University of Hartford. He was Founder and Music Director of the Pennsylvania Youth Honors Concert Band and the Connecticut Valley Youth Wind Ensemble. In addition, he held the post of Music Director and Conductor of the Metropolitan Wind Symphony of Boston.

Dr. Boonshaft is the author of the critically acclaimed best-selling books Teaching Music with Passion, Teaching Music with Purpose, and Teaching Music with Promise, as well as his first book for teachers of other disciplines. In addition, he is the author of Vaclav Nelhybel: His Life and Works, the only authorized biography of the composer, a contributing author of The Music Director's Cookbook: Creative Recipes for a Successful Program, and author of articles for Instrumentalist Magazine, the National Band Association Journal, Teaching Music, and Band Director's Guide. Dr. Boonshaft also held the post of Band/Wind Ensemble Editor for the School Music News. Active as a proponent of new literature for concert band, he has commissioned and conducted over forty world premieres notable composers.

Extremely active as a guest conductor, clinician and speaker for conferences, festivals, concerts and workshops nationally and internationally, he has guest conducted the NAfME (The National Association for Music Education) National High School Honors Band, NAfME All-Eastern Band, NAfME All-Northwest Band, NAfME All-Eastern Directors Band, Goldman Memorial Band, U.S. Marine Corps Forces Pacific Band, U.S. Marine Band New Orleans, Western International Band Clinic, Prague Castle Guard/Czech Police Symphonic Band, U.S. Department of Defense Dependents Schools: Europe Honors Music Fest Band, and the Association of Concert Bands National Conference Band. In addition, he is an adjudicator and clinician for many different groups around the world.



2021 ALL-STATE BAND PARTICIPANTS

FIRST NAME	LAST NAME	GRADE	SCHOOL
		COLO	
Emily	Moss	10	Kenai-Central
	F	LUTE	
Olivia	Bayless	10	West Anchorage
Kai	Christensen	9	West Valley
Emily	Durfee	12	Nikiski
Theo	Everson	10	Sitka
Quinn	Fedullo	11	South Anchorage
Sarah	Grigsby	11	Houston
Kevin	Guo	9	West Anchorage
Julianna	Hamilton	12	Kenai-Central
Amber	Hensch	12	Homer
Bonnie	Marriott	12	West Valley
Emily	Moss	10	Kenai-Central
Amanda	Skott	10	Lathrop
Xinlan	Tanner	9	Connections
	Flute A	Alternates	
Elissa	Zinggone	10	Grace Christian
Kamryn	Lyons	12	Steller
	Bb C	LARINET	
Max	Erickson	9	West Anchorage
Trey	Fleshman	11	Bartlett
Jessica	Fletcher	11	South Anchorage
Miya	Hattori	10	Dimond
Kolter	Kalt	10	Dimond
Gabrielle	Lane	12	Soldotna
Joel	Manwiller	12	Homer
Devin	Moorehead	12	Thunder Mt
Amelia	Muhlbauer	10	Dimond
Elias	Soule	10	Service
Abigail	Spiro	12	South Anchorage
Ali	Strand	12	West Anchorage
Phoebe	Thomas	12	Kenai-Central
Cody	Webb	10	Lathrop
Масу	Zweifel	12	Lathrop
	Bb Clarine	et Alternat	es
Molly	Knapton	11	Ben Eielson
Olivia	Noffke	10	Colony

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	BASS CLAI		
Stella	Boddy	12	Dimond
Felix	Bukle	9	Bartlett
Audrey	Larson	12	Kenai-Central
Gracie	Shoemake	12	Colony
Bjorn	VanDerGoore	10	Steller
	CONTRA-CLA	ARINET	
Audrey	Larson	12	Kenai-Central
	BASSO	N	
Xavier	Libbrecht	12	Steller
Isaiah	Lupie	10	Chugiak
Madison	Morris	11	North Pole
Josh	Saylor	11	Eagle River
	Bassoon Alt	ernate	
Irvin	McKnight	12	East Anchorage
	ОВОЕ		
Mark	Boedefeld	11	Dimond
Natalie	Ford	11	Eagle River
Elizabeth	Moffett	12	Kenai-Central
	Oboe Alter	nates	
Sophia	Nagl-Mermelstein	11	Service
Lynnea	Hack	10	Kenai-Central
	ALTO SAXO	PHONE	
Tyler	Adres	11	Sitka
David	Carballo	11	South Anchorage
Spike	Clark	9	Dimond
Koda	Poulin	12	Kenai-Central
Euan	Uliassi	12	West Valley
Embyr	Wagendorf	10	South Anchorage
Robert	Winn	12	Thunder Mt
Adam	Yesnik	10	West Anchorage
	Alto Saxophone	Alternat	е
Jonas	Reynolds	9	South Anchorage

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	TENOR SAXOPHONE				
Daelin	Hadley	10	Service		
Kade	Rowland	12	West Valley		
	Tenor Saxop	hone Alter	nates		
Jonas	Reynolds	9	South Anchorage		
Adrian	Whitney	12	Jundeau-Douglas		
	BARITONE	SAXOPHO	ONE		
Ryan	Mellick	10	Dimond		
	Baritone Saxo	phone Alte	ernate		
Spike	Clark	9	Dimond		
	PERO	USSION			
Morgan	Ely	12	West Valley		
Robert	Johnson	11	Chugiak		
Ryan	Kaiser	11	Colony		
Dawson	Packer	12	Chugiak		
Roman	Poczynek	12	Redington		
Zachary	Williams	12	West Valley		
Cullen	Wittle	11	Eagle River		
Ethan	Zawodny	12	Eagle River		
	Percussio	n Alternat	es		
Dylan	Lunca	9	Chugiak		
Noah	Egli	11	Colony		
	TRI	JMPET			
Jake	Altman	9	ASAA		
Seth	Burke	11	West Valley		
Robert	Carson	10	Kenai-Central		
Andrea	Cordero	12	Kenai-Central		
Anna	Hout	12	Ketchikan		
Katlyann	Laruen	12	Thunder Mt.		
Sam	Marnon	12	Juneau-Douglas		
Leora	McCaughey	10	Nikiski		
Violet	Ricker	10	Thunder Mt.		
Erin	Wallace	11	West Valley		
	Trumpe	t Alternate			
Karthik	Sanguni	12	Thunder Mt		

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ALL-STATE ORCHESTRA CONDUCTOR

DR. RYAN ROSS

Conductor Ryan Ross is the Music Director for the Allen Philharmonic Orchestra, a professional symphony orchestra in Texas, as well as Director of Orchestras at Plano West Senior High School. Previously, he served in several conducting posts, including four seasons as Artistic Director and Conductor for the Dallas Festival of Modern Music and its resident ensemble Ars Nova Dallas, five years as Music Director for the East Texas Youth Orchestra, and several seasons as Cover Conductor for the Lubbock Symphony Orchestra.

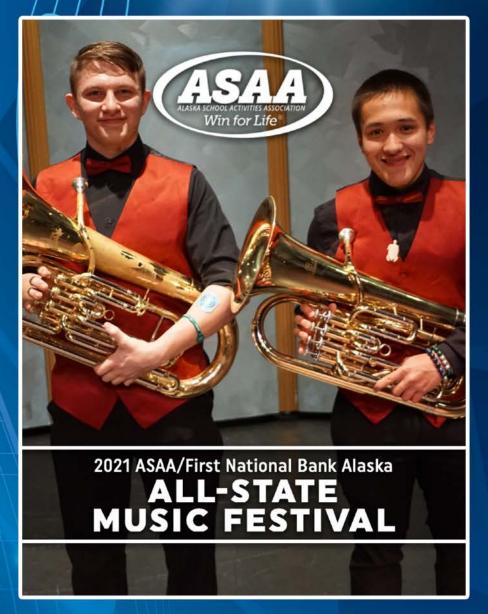


A consummate advocate for music education, Ross has taught music at the elementary and secondary levels. On four occasions, his orchestras have been named state champions in the Texas Honor Orchestra competition, they've been named national winners in both The American Prize and National Orchestra Honors competitions, and in 2018, the Plano West Orchestra played an invitational performance at The Midwest Clinic in Chicago. He is particularly pleased that over two dozen of his students have gone on to careers in music.

Ryan Ross frequently guest conducts and clinics across America. Prior engagements include dozens of all-region and district honor orchestras throughout Texas as well as clinics and concerts in Oklahoma, Wisconsin, Alaska, Nevada, Oregon, Utah, New Mexico, and Florida. For the 2020-2021 season, he will guest conduct the Alaska All-State Orchestra, the Arkansas North Honor Orchestra, and several all-region orchestras in Texas. This summer, he will again conduct and serve on the faculty of the University of Texas – Arlington's orchestra camp.

Ross holds degrees from the University of Illinois and Texas Tech University, studying conducting with Donald Schleicher and Gary Lewis. He has had further study with major pedagogues in the field, including Marin Alsop at the Cabrillo Festival, Gustav Meier, Larry Rachleff, Jeff Grogan, Larry Livingston, and Kenneth Woods. Ryan Ross resides in Plano, TX with his wife Christy. Their son, Declan, was born on Leap Day, 2016.

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	VIOLIN					
Gabriel	Cheng	11	Juneau-Douglas			
Sophie	Henry	10	West Valley			
Hannah	Kim	11	South Anchorage			
Victor	McGrew	12	West Anchorage			
Luis	Munoz	12	Polaris			
Fiona	Secor	9	West Valley			
Kristina	Stoll	9	ASAA			
Jin Yue	Trousil	12	Thunder Mt			
Rania	White	10	West Anchorage			
Kestrel	Wigglesworth	10	West Anchorage			
	VIC	DLIN II				
John	Armstrong	11	South Anchorage			
Dylan	Beals	9	Bartlett			
Robert	Calivo	12	Chugiak			
Samuel	Cheng	10	Juneau-Douglas			
Е	Chythlook	12	South Anchorage			
Annette	Kugzrug	10	West Valley			
Eli	Ludwig	12	West Valley			
Kieran	Richardson	12	Chugiak			
Riley	Whisler	12	West Valley			
Alex	Yu	12	Juneau-Douglas			
Dylan	Beals	9	Bartlett			
Violin Alternates						
Dylan	Beals	9	Bartlett			
McKenna	McNutt	12	Juneau-Douglas			

FIRST NAME	LAST NAME	GRADE	SCHOOL
	v	IOLA	
Amira	Ball	10	Eagle River
Emilie	Bieshelt	12	South Anchorage
Rowan	Brune	11	West Anchorage
Jenny	Chester	12	Thunder Mt
Gabriel	Galloway	10	West Anchorage
Jayda	Skeek	12	Thunder Mt
	STRI	NG BASS	
Anna Lea	Hyer	11	Bartlett
Cassandra	LeBlanc	12	Polaris
Julia	Thomas	12	South Anchorage
Sophia	Wilcox	11	West Anchorage
Aliciana	Zamora	11	Thunder Mt
	String Ba	ss Alternat	te
Iris	Danielson	12	West Valley
	C	ELLO	
Bentley	Altman	10	ASAA
0wen	Bradley	12	Lathrop
Josiah	Verbrugge	11	Grace Christian
Aidan	White	12	Colony
Cello Alternate			
Samuel	Spanos	11	Chugiak



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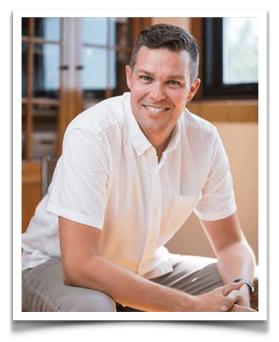
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ALL-STATE TREBLE CHOIR CONDUCTOR

DR. RYAN BEEKEN

Ryan Beeken serves as Director of Choral Activities at Wichita State University where he conducts the Concert Chorale and WuChoir (treble ensemble), teaches graduate and undergraduate choral conducting, and oversees the choral area. He received Bachelor of Music in Vocal Performance and Bachelor of Music Education degrees from Drake University and Master of Music and Doctor of Musical Arts Degrees in Choral Conducting from Michigan State University.



Dr. Beeken's choirs have performed at State, Regional, and National Conventions of the American Choral Directors Association and for state and regional NAfME conferences. Beeken is regularly engaged as a conductor, clinician, and adjudicator. His engagements include over 50 All-States and Honor Choirs in nineteen states, the Czech Republic and Austria, and many invited presentations for symposia across the United States and in Ljubljana, Slovenia.

He recently served as the Artistic Director A Cappella Abroad in 2018, an international choral festival in Prague and during 2020-2021 will be conducting all-states in Alaska, Oklahoma, Minnesota, and Wyoming and international festivals in Dublin, Ireland, Muscat, Oman, and Tallinn, Estonia. He has served on the executive committee of the American Choral Directors Association at both the state and regional level and just completed a term as the President for the D3 Pennsylvania Music Educators Association.

Prior to his appointment at WSU, Dr. Beeken served as director or choral studies at Indiana University of Pennsylvania and taught at Michigan State University. While residing in Des Moines, Iowa, Beeken directed the Drake Chorale at Drake University. He also taught elementary, middle school, and high school music for sixteen years, most recently serving as Director of Vocal Music for Waukee Schools in suburban Des Moines where he lead a program of over 300 students and twelve ensembles to national distinction.



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2021 ALL-STATE TREBLE CHOIR PARTICIPANTS

FIRST NAME	LAST NAME	GRADE	SCHOOL
	SOPRA	NO I	
Apryl	Cardwell	12	Dimond
Eden	Harness	10	Chugiak
Leah	Hetle	11	Thunder Mt
Clare	Homan	12	Juneau-Douglas
Taryn	Lathrop	12	Service
Erin	Martin	12	Dillingham
Lucy	McWilliams	11	Palmer
Rebekah	Nelson	10	Eagle River
Katie	Pikul	11	Juneau-Douglas
Alison	Pogue	11	Bartlett
Ashlyn	Potton	10	Kenai-Central
Charly	Rentz	12	Colony
Sofia	Rossoff	12	West Anchorage
Kaylee	Seims	12	Wasilla
Kelsi	Sell	11	Thunder Mt
Zoe	Springsteen	11	West Anchorage
Kate	Springsteen	12	South Anchorage
Avery	Stanek-Alward	12	South Anchorage
Taegan	Suko	12	Tri-Valley
Kamea	Vandeventer	12	Tri-Valley
	SOPRAI	10 11	
Alina	Banaszewski	11	North Pole
Maya	Burgan	11	Dimond
Sophia	Colson	12	Lathrop
Nekoda	Cooper	11	Kenai-Central
Ashley	Dahlman	11	Soldotna
Blythe	Ditman	10	Valdez
Alyssa	Duerr	12	West Anchorage
Olivia	Gastrock	10	South Anchorage
Allison	Geary	11	Thunder Mt
Maria	Guerra	10	West Anchorage
Alexandra	Guerra	12	West Anchorage
Kaylee	Ives Perez	12	North Pole
Kathleen	Lindemuth	12	West Anchorage
Madison	Lundamo	11	Ketchikan
Emily	Maeger	11	Colony
Quinton	Newsome	10	Sitka
Jocelyn	Primas	10	Colony
Helena	Redford	12	Chugiak
Brooke	Summers	10	Kenai-Central
Malaynee	White	12	North Pole
Adelaide	Wietgrefe	9	Lathrop

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FIRST NAME	LAST NAME ALTO	GRADE	SCHOOL
Lynoa	Banker	10	Grace Christian
Lynea Ashlynne	Baughn	11	Kenai-Central
Daniella	Beks	10	North Pole
Nadia	Chandler	12	
		11	Colony West Anchorage
Summer	Cosgrove	12	
Lily	50.1.4.1		Homer
Brenna Jenna	Cox Gardiner	10 10	Homer Dimond
Sienna		10	
	Hargis		Colony
MaKenzie	Hayes	11	Lathrop
Malia	Hoagland	11	Colony
Peneloope	Hobbie	12	West Anchorage
Ava	Johnson	10	Homer
Qualyn	Jones	11	Dimond
Makaylen	King	10	South Anchorage
Aicha .	Kisena	11	Kenai-Central
Jennyrose	McGee	11	Lathrop
Matejah	Moandal	12	East Anchorage
Nicole	Thiel	10	East Anchorage
Lacie	Triem	11	Homer
Kayla	VanRensburg	11	Bartlett
	ALTO		.
Adalia	Deach	11	Skagway
Kathryn	Delaney	12	Wasilla
Emmaline	Eggleston	11	East Anchorage
Liselle	Esprit	10	Service
Clarie	Evans	10	West Anchorage
Leah	Evans	11	Homer
Angelina	Felland	12	Dimond
Zoe	Foshee	11	West Valley
Lacie	Freeman	12	Colony
Amber	Gilbreath	11	Homer
Samantha	Hughes	11	Colony
Cadence	Johnson	12	Chugiak
Madison	Johnson	12	Colony
Emilia	Lertora	11	Dimond
Abby	Malstrom	11	Colony
Heaven	Mamoe	12	East Anchorage
Torrey	McClain	11	Palmer
Ashley	Midlow	11	Eagle River
Skye	Morriseau	12	West Anchroage
Aurora	Phelpos	11	Ketchikan
Paige	Scoles	10	Tri-Valley
Aurora	Wilde	10	Dimond
Isabelle	Williams	12	Sitka







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DR. VICTOR JOHNSON

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	SOPRANO	1	
Raven	Anaruk	10	Dimond
Kassy	Beesley	11	Colony
Mina	Brooks-Schmidt	12	Sitka
Bronwyn	Embree	12	West Anchorage
Hayden	Green	11	Dimond
Clare	Henry	11	Soldotna
Lauren	Porcello	11	Colony
Charlotte	Wagner	11	South Anchorage
Zariya	Whidbee-Bohman	12	Wasilla
Allanah	Whittle	11	West Anchorage
Alter	nates for both choirs	s in ranki	ng order
Raisa	Killian	9	Tri-Valley
	SOPRANO	II	
Arbella	Batori	12	Cantwell
Joan	Cruz	12	Bartlett
Chloe	Grimm	10	Kenai-Central
Natalie	Henson	11	Ketchikan
Lydia	McDoughall	11	Chugiak
Alison	Michael	12	South Anchorage
Clara	Randall	11	Dimond
Madelyn	Roemhildt	12	Cordova
Auriana	Smith	9	South Anchorage
Hailey	Willis	9	Colony
Jessie	Wilson	12	Colony
Alter	nates for both choirs	s in ranki	ng order
Alicia	Kockentiet	10	Valdez
Hanna	Verbrugge	9	Grace Christian

FIRST NAME	LAST NAME	GRADE	SCHOOL			
	ALTO I					
Ava	Akers	12	South Anchorage			
Emma	Clarke	12	Colony			
Summer	Foster	12	Kenai-Central			
Paige	Nelson	12	Chugiak			
Annania	Nickerson	12	Service			
Kassandra	Sykes	12	West Anchorage			
Alexa	Talley	12	Colony			
Timberlyn	Wendt	12	Lathrop			
Deanna	Wissehr	11	Dimond			
Mellia	Wyatt	10	West Anchorage			
Altern	ates for both c	hoirs in r	anking order			
Nichole	Thiel	10	East Anchroage			
Makensie	Paison	11	Palmer			
	ALT	0 11				
Hailey	Hancock	12	Colony			
Rayah	Johnson	12	Wasilla			
Presley	Martin	12	Colony			
Amelia	Miller	12	Metlakatla			
Mindy	Monroe	12	Wasilla			
Iris	Montesano	11	West Anchorage			
Kayleigh	Newport	12	Thunder Mt.			
Xianli	Nichols	9	Dimond			
Helena	Provencio	10	Service			
Rebecca	Trowbridge	9	Homer			
Zariah	Tufue	12	West Anchorage			
Altern	ates for both c	hoirs in r	anking order			
Grace	Fleming	10	Dimond			
Daphne	Green	12	Service			
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FIRST NAME	LAST NAME	GRADE	SCHOOL			
TENOR I						
Sean	Anderson	11	Dimond			
Levi	Anderson	12	Nikiski			
Luke	Davis	11	Haines			
Mhikee	Gasmen	10	Cordova			
Austen	Hardy	12	Eagle River			
Alexander	Martin	12	Kenai-Central			
Jacob	Pruitt	10	East Anchorage			
German	Ramirez-Alcaraz	12	Chugiak			
Mi'amor (Mia)	Rogers	9	Colony			
Toby	Russell	12	Juneau-Douglas			
	TENOR	II				
William	Bradshaw	10	Homer			
Ethan	Brun	11	Lathrop			
Isaac	Dershin	12	Lathrop			
Camden	Hardy	12	Palmer			
Mitchell	Jefferson	12	Colony			
Colton	Merrier	9	Grace Christian			
Teanekuma	Pulini	9	West Anchorage			
Tristan	Redmond	9	Palmer			
Zane	Sanchez	10	Homer			
Burton	Shields	11	Colony			
Joshua	Trotter	11	Chugiak			
Alternates for both choirs in ranking order						
Cody	Good	11	Kenai-Central			
Justice	Arola	11	West Anchorage			
Benjamin	Berezyuk	12	Bartlett			

FIRST NAME	LAST NAME	GRADE	SCHOOL				
BASS I							
Dallin	Anderson	9	Dimond				
Dylan	Dumag	12	Sitka				
James	Fleckenstein	12	Palmer				
Elliot Finn	Gagnon	9	Colony				
Eric	Graham	9	Haines				
Miko	Hare	12	Eagle River				
Liam	James	12	Homer				
William	Reinhart	11	West Anchorage				
Nathan	Shem	10	West Anchorage				
Tyler	Skinner	11	Lathrop				
Dakota	Wisnewski	9	Kenai-Central				
Alternates for both choirs in ranking order							
Thomas	Meyers	12	Eagle River				
Skyler	Rodriquez	12	Homer				
	BAS	S II					
Ethan	Anderson	12	Dimond				
Mace	Armstrong	12	Eagle River				
Logan	Borcik	12	Haines				
Tyler	Hippchen	12	Kenai-Central				
Dimitri	Kutsev	12	Wasilla				
Laiuni	Mauigoa	11	East Anchorage				
Hunter	Menck	9	Dimond				
Jacob	Ranney	11	Cordova				
Caleb	Rapanut	12	Eagle River				
Porter	Reynolds	11	Colony				
Gaige	Rosas	12	Sitka				
Cody	Shaw	12	Cordova				
Kaden	Winchell	11	Thunder Mt				
Alternates for both choirs in ranking order							
Jacob	Banker	12	Grace Christian				
Jacob	Thompson	11	Homer				
Thomas	Myers	12	Eagle River				



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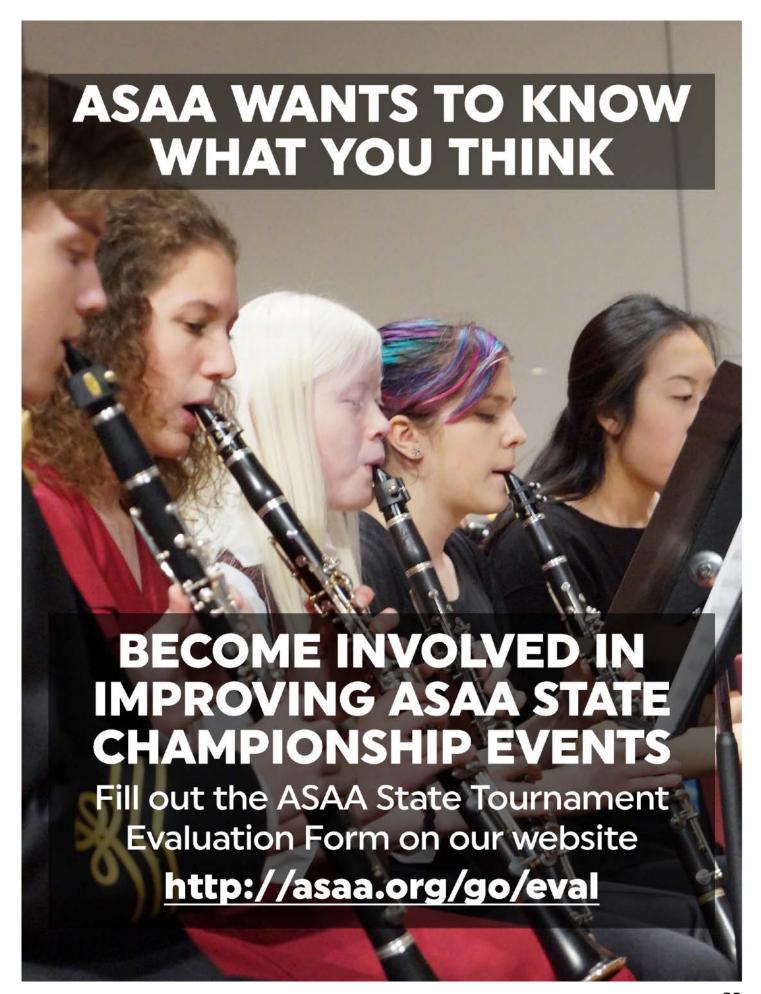
2021 ALL-STATE MUSIC FESTIVAL FIRST CHAIR AWARDS

Kenai-Central HS

2021 ALL-STATE BAND FIRST CHAIR AWARDS

	FLUTE		
	ILUIL	Xinlan Tanner	Connections
3	CLARINET	Devin Moorehead	Thunder Mt. HS
4	BASS CLARINET	Felix Bukle	Bartlett HS
5	CONTRA CLARINET	Audrey Larson	Kenai-Central HS
6	ALTO SAXOPHONE	Tyler Andres	Sitka HS
7	TENOR SAXOPHONE	Kade Rowland	West Valley HS
8	BARITONE SAXOPHONE	Ryan Mellic	Dimond HS
9	OBOE	Elizabeth Moffet	Kenai-Central HS
10	BASSOON	Xavier Libbrecht	Steller HS
11	TRUMEPT	Jake Altman	Family Partnership
12	FRENCH HORN	Lliam Boss-Harmon	Homer HS
13	TROMBONE	Matthew Nordstrom	South Anchorage HS
14	BASS TROMBONE	Ryan Bransky	Chugiak HS
15	BARITONE	Gabriel Carabajal	Thunder Mt. HS
16	TUBA	Micah Brown	Dimond HS
17	PERCUSSION	Morgan Ely	West Valley HS
	2021 AL	L-STATE MIXED CHOIR FIRST CHAIR A	AWADS
1	SOPRANO 1	Clare Henry	Soldotna HS
2	SOPRANO II	Auriana Smith	South Anchorage HS
3	ALTO I	Paige Nelson	Chugiak HS
4	ALTO II	Iris Montesano	West Anchorage HS
5	TENOR I	Austen Hardy	Eagle River HS
6	TENOR II	Teanekuma Pulini	West Anchorage HS
	BASS I	Dylan Dumag	Sitka HS
8	BASS II	Tyler Hippchen	Kenai-Central HS
	2021 AL	L-STATE ORCHESTRA FIRST CHAIR AV	WARDS
1	VIOLIN I	Rania White	West Anchorage HS
2	VIOLIN II	E Chythlook	South Anchorage HS
3	VIOLA	Amira Ball	Eagle River HS
4	CELLO	Josiah Verbrugge	Grace Christian HS
5	STRING BASS	Sophia Wilcox	West Anchorage HS
	2021 ALL	-STATE TREBLE CHOIR FIRST CHAIR A	WARDS
1	SOPRANO I	Charly Rentz	Colony HS
2	SOPRANO II	Elena Redford	Chugiak HS
3	ALTO I	Penelope Hobbie	West Anchorage HS
	ALTO II	Skye Morriseau	West Anchorage HS
34	First Chair Awards		
	2021 ALI	-STATE MUSIC FESTIVAL ACADEMIC	AWARD
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ALASKA ALL-STATE BAND

- 2021 Dr. Peter Boonshaft, New York
- 2019 Dr. David Vickerman, San Jose State University, CA
- 2018 Brian Sproul, Salt Lake City, Utah
- 2017 Patrick M. Fortney, Peru State College, Nebraska
- 2016 Kirt Saville, Brigham Young University, Utah
- 2015 Peter L. Boonshaft, Hofstra Univeristy, New York
- 2014 Edward Higgins, Portland State University
- 2013 Eric Hammer, Pacific Conservatory of Music
- 2012 Timothy Salzman, University of Washington
- 2011 Peter L. Boonshaft, Hofstra University, New York
- 2010 Jack Stamp, Indiana University of Pennsylvania

ALASKA ALL-STATE ORCHESTRA

- 2021 Dr. Ryan Ross, Texas
- 2019 Christopher Luther, Colorado Christian
- 2018 David Becker, Madison, Wisconsin
- 2017 Gary Lewis, University of Colorado
- 2016 Douglas Droste, Ball State University, Indiana
- 2015 Christopher Luther, U of Northern Colorado
- 2014 Russell Guyver, University of Northern Colorado
- 2013 Nobuyoshi Yasuda, U of Wisconsin, Eau Claire
- · 2012 Anthony Elliott, University of Michigan
- 2011 Dr. Lee Wilkins, Anchorage, Alaska
- 2010 Nikolas Caoile, Central Washington University

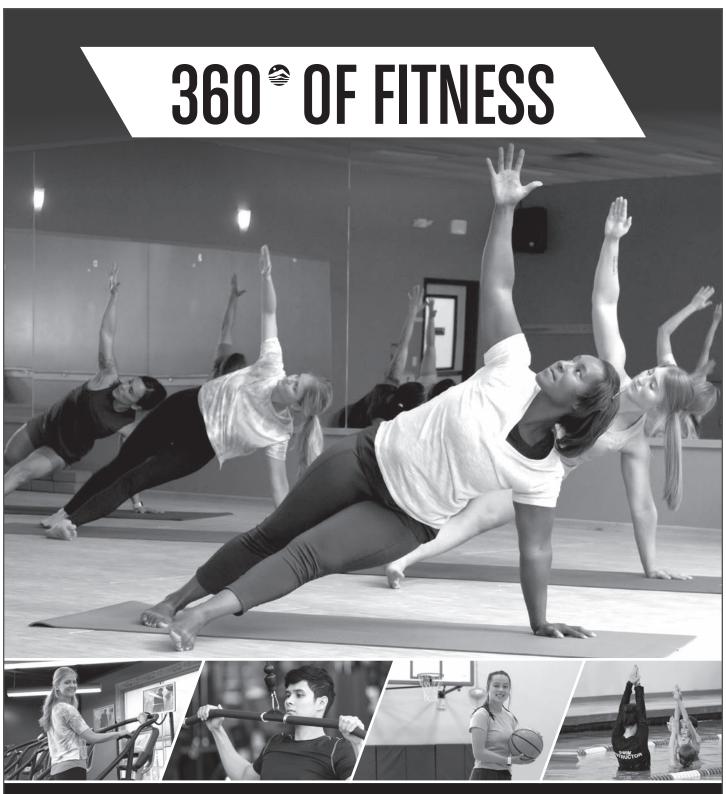
ALASKA ALL-STATE TREBLE CHOIR

- 2021 Dr. Ryan Beeken, Kansas
- 2019 Dr. Jeffery Redding, Winter Garden, Florida
- 2018 Andrea Ramsey, Kansas City, Missouri
- 2017 Cameron LaBarr, Missouri State University, Springfield
- 2016 Jason Huneycutt, Nixa High School, Missouri
- 2015 Meg Frazier, Loyola University, New Orleans, Louisiana
- 2014 Bradley Almquist, Murray State University, Kentucky
- 2013 Giselle Wyers, University of Washington
- 2012 Betsy Cook-Weber, University of Houston

ALASKA ALL-STATE MIXED CHOIR

- 2021 Dr. Victor Johnson, Texas
- 2019 Dr. Michael Crawford, Allen, Texas
- 2018 Brad Olesen, Dallas, Texas
- 2017 Nicole Lamartine, University of Wyoming, Laramie
- 2016 David Fryling, Hofstra University, New York
- 2015 Stan McGill, Garland, Texas
- 2014 Michael Crawford, Richland College, Texas
- 2013 Jing Ling-Tam, University of Texas, Arlington
- 2012 Richard Biella, Texas Tech University
- 2011 Z. Randall Stroope, Oklahoma State University
- 2010 David Fryling, Hofstra University, New York







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