



# Western Reserve Community Band



## Annual Spring Concert

# Concert Band Exclusives

7:00 p.m. Saturday April 20, 2024  
Hudson Middle School Auditorium

Ralph Meyer, Founder & Conductor  
Beverly O'Connor, Conductor  
John Pasternak, Guest Conductor

As a courtesy to the performers and fellow audience members please take a moment to turn off or silence all mobile devices.  
Flash photography is not permitted during the performance.

### PROGRAM

***Black Granite*** 1996

Beverly O'Connor, Conductor

James Hosay

***English Folk Song Suite*** 1923

*I. March Seventeen Come Sunday*  
*II. Intermezzo My Bonny Boy*  
*III. March Folk Songs from Somerset*

Ralph Vaughn Williams

***One Life Beautiful*** 2010

Julie Giroux

***Sòlas Ané*** 2006

Samuel Hazo

***A Festival Prelude*** 1956

John Pasternak, Guest Conductor

Alfred Reed

***Chester Overture*** 1956

William Schuman

***American Overture For Band*** 1956

Ralph Meyer, Conductor

Joseph Jenkins

***The Sinfonians*** 1960

Clifton Williams

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## 2024 Western Reserve Community Band Performances

Hudson Meadows Concert 🎵 Hudson Ice Cream Social Concert 🎵 Liberty Park Twinsburg Concert,  
Summer Winds at Wolf Creek 🎵 Hudson Bandstand Summer Music Festival Concert  
Aurora Independence Village Concert 🎵 Hudson Meadows Veterans Day Patriotic Concert 🎵 Holiday Concert

Check the WRCB website(<https://wrcband97.org/>) or our WRCB Facebook Page (<https://www.facebook.com/WRCB97/>) for the dates, times & locations:

### Western Reserve Community Band Organization

Arno Kremer President	Victoria Putnam Vice President	David Lehman Treasurer	Patricia Goetz Secretary
Robert Davet Webmaster	Jami Bolton Technology	Matt Smith Percussion Logistics	Open Position Music Librarian
Ralph Meyer Founder/Conductor			Beverly O'Connor Conductor

### Western Reserve Community Band Roster

<b>Flute</b> Donna Sulhan Kristen Duffy Jennifer Biber Leslie Nutt Sandy Rexroad Victoria Young Jennie Prentice Jacki Cyr Debbie Shields Susan Mertz Ken Bowman	<b>Clarinet</b> Bob Morton Linda Shanks Heather Waltz Eve Cervenka Cal O'Connor Victoria Putnam Tonia Ferrell Alexandra Holloway John Bozsony Emily Van Hyning Emma Bene Dale Dong Patricia Goetz Shawn Hanlon Ralph Meyer	<b>Trumpet</b> Bob Smith Jennifer Barone Jerry Kleman Malcolm Bartlett Jessica Stanik Lauren Casale Dan Bolovan DJ Alessandrini Maria Martinelli Amanda Baumgartner Mark Lunasin Art Prentice Rylan Arnold Tom Hughey Dick Ptak	<b>Trombone</b> Susan Swab Dave Watt Arno Kremer Caleb Sparks Joe Damato Dan Allen Kristin Brandyberry Hannah Zito Matthew Todd David Lehman Justin Roebuck
<b>Oboe</b> Julie Prather			<b>Euphonium</b> Louis Barone Paul Good
<b>Bassoon</b> Nicki Lantz Corinne Strasser	<b>Alto Saxophone</b> Gregg Dahlby Christine Martin Linda Kotheimer Deborah Gerbetz Jim Virost	<b>Horn</b> Jami Bolton Stephanie Vaughan Lisa Bose Beverly O'Connor Jessica Collins	<b>Tuba</b> Eric Black Michael Pasko Richard Waltman
<b>Bass Clarinet</b> David Swindler August Weir	<b>Baritone Saxophone</b> Brynn Kensinger	<b>String Bass</b> Caleb Sparks	<b>Percussion</b> Matthew Smith Layla Nosek Ann Shuman Evan Jarvis Noah Van Hyning
<b>Tenor Saxophone</b> Robert Davet Steve Friske			

### THANK YOU!

Hudson Board of Education  
Hudson League for Service

Hudson Community Education & Recreation  
Hudson Middle School & High School Music Department

Hudson Bandstand Committee  
City of Hudson

The Western Reserve Community Band is a non-professional, not-for-profit community musical organization. Our mission is to provide audiences in Hudson and the surrounding communities with cultural enrichment and entertainment and to provide adult musicians in the area with the opportunity to participate in an active, performing band. We are organized exclusively for charitable and educational purposes. Our membership is open to all adult musicians in Hudson and the surrounding communities. Businesses or individuals who are interested in supporting the WRCB should contact: Band Vice President Victoria Putnam at (216) 577-7791 or Band President Arno Kremer at (330) 819-6383.

### Play an Instrument? Consider Joining the WRCB!

Membership in the WRCB is open to adult wind and percussion players of all playing abilities through Hudson Community Education and Recreation for an annual participation fee. If you or someone you know is interested in joining the band contact: WRCB President Arno Kremer, at (440) 336-1549, email us at [wrcband97@gmail.com](mailto:wrcband97@gmail.com), find us on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/WRCB97/>, or our web site at <https://www.wrcband97.org>.

The Western Reserve Community Band is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization; all donations are 100% tax-deductible.

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