

# FOXES MUSIC NOTES

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## 2006 Fox Valley Music Festival

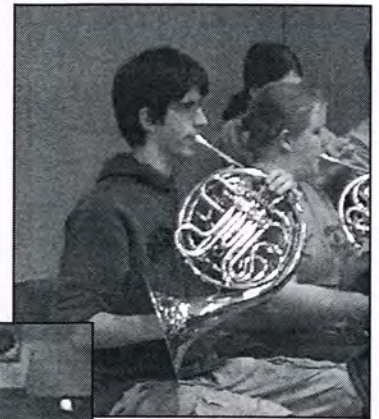
On Sunday, April 23<sup>rd</sup> and Monday, April 24<sup>th</sup>, 10 members of the Yorkville High School Music Department joined in a cast of 500 student musicians from twenty-one area high schools in the annual Fox Valley Music Festival. The Fox Valley Music Festival is the oldest music festival in the country. This event was held at West Chicago High School in Aurora, IL and culminated in a public concert on Monday, April 26<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 p.m. The finale of the concert consisted of a combined performance of *America, the Beautiful* arranged by Carmen Dragon.



The YHS Orchestra sent Clayton Bregman on violin and Jerimiah Mauro on cello to the festival.



Fox Valley Festival Band Student Levi Seif playing snare drum on Morton Gould's *American Salute*.



Blake Malley playing french horn on *An Original Suite*, by Gordon Jacob, at the Fox Valley Festival.



The rehearsal for the mass combined piece, *America, the Beautiful* featuring over 500 of Fox Valley's top musicians.



Victor Epperson, bass; Katie Woodard, alto; and Tim Calhoun, tenor; represented the YHS choir at Fox Valley Festival.



Band students Levi Seif, Blake Malley, Anne Roberts, Nicole Bell, and Alyssa Kruse rehearsed a total of 9 hours during the two day music festival.



# Suburban Prairie Conference Honors Band

The Suburban Prairie Conference Band Festival was held at Oswego East High School on February 21, 2006. Guest conductors were Dr. Kenneth Steinsultz and Dr. Joseph Manfredo, both of the University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign.

Approximately 200 students from the 19 schools comprising the Suburban Prairie Conference rehearsed throughout the day on February 21st. The students, nominated by their band directors, were selected to play in an honor band of freshmen and sophomores or an honor band of juniors and seniors. The culminating concert was held at 7:00 pm in the main gym at Oswego East High School. This years festival marked the 11th year of the Suburban Prairie Conference Honors Band and also the final year. The Conference is splitting up and being redistributed.

The music faculty, administration and community of YORKVILLE would like to congratulate the following students for participating in this very fine festival:



## SUBURBAN PRAIRIE CONFERENCE BAND PARTICIPANTS:

Blake Malley, french horn; Ben Elwood, trumpet; Keith Stanislaus, trumpet; Mitch Munns, clarinet;  
Nicole Fleehart, flute; Darlene Niesen, trumpet; Nicole Bell, bass clarinet;  
Margaret Good, clarinet; Anne Roberts, trombone; Beth Bazan, baritone saxophone

## INTERIM BAND TEACHER, AMY LETCHER

As many have heard, Cassie Pribble, 24, the band director at Yorkville Intermediate School is on leave for the remainder of the 2006 school year. She has struggled since childhood with kidney problems. She has recently undergone transplant surgery and received a kidney from her mother. Ms. Pribble's recovery is going extremely well.



Amy Letcher is serving as Cassie Pribble's long-term substitute at YIS while she is recovering from surgery. Amy graduated from the University of Iowa in May 2005 with a Bachelors Degree in music education and euphonium performance. (Go Hawks!) She is originally from Iowa and moved to Illinois last year for student teaching in the Naperville school districts. Also a former employee of Ellman's Music Center in Naperville, Amy now resides in West Aurora. She has an older brother who lives in Peoria, and the cutest niece and nephew a girl could ask for.



# IHSA Solo / Ensemble Contest

The music department of the Yorkville High School competed in the Illinois High School Association's State Solo and Ensemble Contest held on March 4, 2006 at Burlington High School. Yorkville High School Music Department events received: 27 Division I ratings, 16 Division II ratings, 4 Division III ratings.

The following YHS students participated in the 2005 Solo/Ensemble Contest:

Chris Ames	Nicole Fleehart	Katy Kaltenback	Blake Malley	Artie Prochaska
Kelsey Anderson	Allie Free	Brian King	Matt Mateczuk	Anne Roberts
Amanda Antonini	Mark Freeman	Brittnee King	Lourdes Miramontes	Elena Scherer
Adrienne Batres	Amanda Friel	Rachel King	Mitchell Munns	Kati Schillinger
Clayton Brengman	Gina Gilbertson	Alyssa Kruse	Caitlyn Neylon	Chris Schoeny
Grace Carlino	Margaret Good	Allison Landers	Darlene Nieson	Keith Stanislaus
Cherilyn Carter	Jessica Greenawalt	Jenn LeDuc	Laura Olson	Heather Sterkel
Audrey Dunn	Scott Haug	Reia Levy	Brittney Pennington	Lauren Tucek
Andy Egner	Kate Hennessy	Carolann Lincoln	Kyle Pratt	Dia Walsh
Blake Elmwood	Amanda Kasprzyk	Anna Malkowski	Alissa Prochaska	Dwight Wyeth

## *YMS Solo / Ensemble Contest*

**O**chestra students that participated in the February 18, 2006 Solo & Ensemble contest held at Timber Ridge Middle School in Plainfield are:

Alyssa Beerup – alto saxophone	Taylor Molandro - voice	Kristen Sells – clarinet trio
Ashley Bendien - voice	Murtaugh/Robbins/Jerabeck/Fairfield- trombone quartet	Amy Smith–bass
Brittney Bendien - voice	Scott Myers - oboe	Joel Smith - clarinet
Jordan Brosi - voice	Tiffany Nawa-trumpet	Justin Smith - clarinet
Bea Egner–harp	Keith Nelson-baritone	Stephanie Smith–violin
Hannah Franklin – vocal duet	Keith Nelson-trumpet	Nicole Steller - clarinet
Megan Friel–piano	Vince Nevills-french horn	Nicole Steller – clarinet trio
Megan Friel–viola	Jessica Peck – vocal duet	Cynthia Strykowski-alto saxophone
Fulco/Nevills-french horn duet	Krista Perkins - voice	Paige Sullivan - vocal duet
Nick Fulco-french horn	Suzie Pratt-trumpet	Robby Taptich-trumpet
Brian Gardner – baritone saxophone	Lina Serion - voice	Holly Taylor – alto saxophone
Laurel Gawlik - voice	Taylor Randall – clarinet	Taylor/Strykowski-saxophone duet
Kelly Gholson–violin	Taylor Randall – clarinet duet	Kyle Thiemke-percussion
Luke Gloudeman-percussion	Tyler Reimensneider–viola	Claire Turner–violin
Gloudeman/King/Wyeth/Williams- percussion quartet	Jimmy Robbins - trombone	Rachel Wortham–violin
Brittany Grist - voice	Robbins/Gardner/Smith/Taylor – mixed quartet	Sonja Gilbertson–violin
Naomi Haas - vocal duet	David Rodriguez - clarinet	Darien Williams-percussion
Morgan Harrison - flute	Bethany Schick – clarinet	Williams/Gloudeman-percussion duet
Megan Jennings–violin	Bethany Schick – clarinet trio	Turner/Wortham–violin duet
Kayla McHugh - voice	Rachel Schmidt – clarinet duet	Adam Wyeth – percussion
Ryan Millen-trumpet		

**Congratulations are in order for the effort demonstrated in receiving forty-five division I ratings and seven division II ratings.**



# 14<sup>th</sup> Year of Yorkville Summer Community Band

This year marks the 14<sup>th</sup> performance of the Yorkville Community Band's 4<sup>th</sup> of July parade and concert. This year, the Yorkville celebrations will be on Tuesday, July 4th. If you or anyone you know, might be interested in participating, please give us a call. We welcome all musicians. And we mean ALL! Age, ability, or lack of instrument (we will do our best to find you one), shouldn't keep you from joining in the fun.

Our importance, of being a visible symbol of our nation's patriotism, has never been greater! We would like to thank the many participants who have performed each year and who have helped make each performance a tribute to those willing to sacrifice their lives for the founding and security of our nation. Our nation has been facing trying times militarily, economically and politically and is working hard to stop further tragedies from occurring at home and throughout the world. Our recognition of its' founding is a small price to pay for being a part of this great country. We hope you will agree and join us. If you feel unable to participate in the parade format, please consider joining us for the concert performance in the park that follows.

Rehearsals are kept to a minimum and music is mailed directly to your home long in advance of those rehearsals. Please give this wonderful opportunity a try. We look forward to seeing all our previous members (to date we have over 200!) and are equally excited about meeting our new members!

Come celebrate with us!

Susan Munson  
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munsonlegacy@aol.com

Linda Panlilio

## THANK YOU, THANK YOU, THANK YOU!!!

Thank you Yorkville parents and voters who supported the Yorkville School District referendums on March 21st. This passage will ensure a successful future and well-rounded music program for all who are involved.



Referendum Rally on March 18th, 2006



The YHS Pep Band performed at the rally despite the chilly wind.

Thanks



## Yorkville Band's Jazz Showcase featuring David Kellan

On Friday, May 20<sup>th</sup>, 2006, the YMS/YHS Jazz Bands will be presenting a Jazz Showcase featuring guest artist, David Kellan, on piano. The evening will begin at 7:00 PM and will be a swingin' good time in the YHS Cafetorium. Tickets will be \$3.00 available at the door. This performance is an excellent way for the jazz band to wrap-up the school year. We hope that you can come and enjoy the music and atmosphere of our Jazz Café on May 20<sup>th</sup>.



David Kellan

David Kellan is a gifted and highly motivated musician with very diverse talents. The owner of Studio K Music in Geneva, Illinois, he has mentored hundreds of youth and adults in piano and keyboard instruction since 1991. Studio K has become the most successful piano studio in the western suburbs of Chicago, with an enrollment of over two hundred developing musicians. His secret to success has been helping kids and adults develop a love for piano and keyboard by keeping it fun and using a great deal of popular music, as well as standard repertoire. David is also a highly sought after Christian musician, facilitating worship for large and small events and services throughout the Chicagoland area with his passionate, contemporary style of musical leadership.

He is a very poised and confident individual who is capable of communicating with all different aged groups of people. Kellan Graduated in 1988 with a Bachelor's Degree in Keyboard Performance from Northern Illinois University, with an emphasis on organ, jazz piano and harpsichord. Since 1985 he has been a Freelance Jobbing Musician, playing solo piano, jazz quartet, and with various big bands for numerous events, weddings and corporate parties in the Chicago area. In 1990 he coached a student to the Yamaha National Electone Festival Finals, and in 1991, he was himself a finalist, David has released three Christmas CDs which have sold thousands of copies across the country. He currently uses his playing and singing talents at his family's local church where he, his wife Marianne and his two boys Matthew and Jacob attend. There, he works with a team of highly talented singers and instrumentalists involved in Sunday worship.

## YORKVILLE HIGH SCHOOL BAND AWARDS BANQUET

On Friday, May 19, 2006 at 7:30 PM the YHS Band will be celebrating and reflecting on a successful year at the band awards banquet in the YHS Cafetorium. All YHS band students and parents are invited. The program will consist of participation awards, extra effort awards, and national awards, concluding with a band video yearbook. All those attending are requested to bring a dessert and/or beverage. The evening should be a fun time of desserts and celebration of success!

## Choreographer Joins the Spring Musical Team

Each year, as the Madrigals prepare the spring musical, we try to add a new element that will make the production more professional. With *Lucky Stiff* we reintroduced the musical to YHS after an absence of 21 years; with *Into the Woods* we added professional costumes; now with *Oklahoma!*, it was time to add professional choreography. Karen Blonn, from Downers Grove, has graciously joined the YHS Madrigal team to make that happen.

Karen Ann Blonn has been choreographing musicals for 22 years and holds a BA in Dance from Barat College. She has received awards over the years for her work, including: "Most Creative Choreography", "Best Costuming" and "Best Use of Staging". She has also acted as Director of many musicals. Karen currently teaches dance to students around the Chicagoland area, some of whom have moved on to perform on Broadway, in the Rockettes and at theme parks around the country, including Disney World, Busch Gardens and Great America. Her dance companies have been invited to represent the United States in Paris, France; Barcelona, Spain; and Australia. More than anything, Karen enjoys exposing young people to dance, helping them to learn that they are each talented and capable of creating beauty on stage.





## Madrigals Wrap Up *Oklahoma!*

On May 11<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup>, the Madrigals wrapped up the 3<sup>rd</sup> annual spring musical, *Oklahoma!* With music by Richard Rodgers and book and lyrics by Oscar Hammerstein II, *Oklahoma!* is the story of territory folks from the title state in the early 1900's. The cowboys resent the farmers for planting themselves in "their" fields, putting up fences and changing the land, while the farmers disapprove of the cowboys' rowdy ways and the habit they have of making off with their daughters. Against this backdrop, love still blossoms, warring neighbors come to terms, and a community realizes that when their territory becomes a state, they're all going to have to learn to be friends.

The *Oklahoma!* cast was led by Jessica Joyce as sassy Aunt Eller, Ben Stillmunkes as the rogue cowboy Curly, Lauren Free as the feisty farm girl Laurey, Tom Ridenour (in his stage debut) as the ultra-scary Jud Fry, Jake Metz as rascally Will Parker, Claire Barnhart as the free-spirited Ado Annie, Zach Stewart as the weasely peddler, Ali Hakim, Bobby Crown as crotchety Andrew Carnes and Emily Sterkel as snotty Gertie Cummings. Julie Aulis, Bridget Buenz, Chris Burt, Tim Calhoun, Claire Carlino, Mark Freeman, Mandy Matlock, Kelly Schulz, Zach Wessell, Ali Whitt, Amanda Worrell and Jeff Worrell provided supporting roles and chorus.

The students and their families once again donated their time and efforts to ensure that this production would live up to standards of the Madrigal shows that preceded it, and everyone's hard work paid off. *Oklahoma!* was a great success, and if you missed seeing it, you missed a most enjoyable experience indeed.

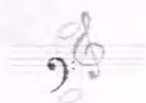




# Cabaret Night Makes a Successful Return to YHS

After a year's hiatus, the Madrigals' Cabaret Night returned to the YHS stage this past February to enthusiastic audiences. Friday February 10<sup>th</sup> opened to a full house and despite some comical issues with the sound system, the performances were outstanding. In fact, word-of-mouth after the performance was positive enough to bring in an overload of people on Saturday looking to be entertained and additional seating had to be arranged. In conjunction with the YHS Speech Team, delicious homemade desserts were served to the audience, helping to create a cozy and intimate atmosphere for the evening.

For entertainment, solos were sung by each of the seniors and duets were performed by the juniors and sophomores. Group numbers opening each act were done by the entire ensemble and a preview of May's *Oklahoma!* was given at the end of Act Two. The twelve exiting seniors had a chance to showcase all that they've learned over the past four years, while the younger students assured us that our audiences will still be in good hands when it comes time for next year's entertainment. Cabaret Night has proven to be an enjoyable experience that we hope will be around for many years to come.





# YMS & YHS JAZZ BANDS PLAY SENIOR PROM?

On Friday, May 21st, the YMS and YHS Jazz Bands played at the Yorkville Beecher Community Center for a Senior Prom, Senior Citizens that is. The Senior Center sponsored the event. There was much socializing, eating, and dancing.



Members of the YHS Jazz band play. Brian King, trombone soloist.



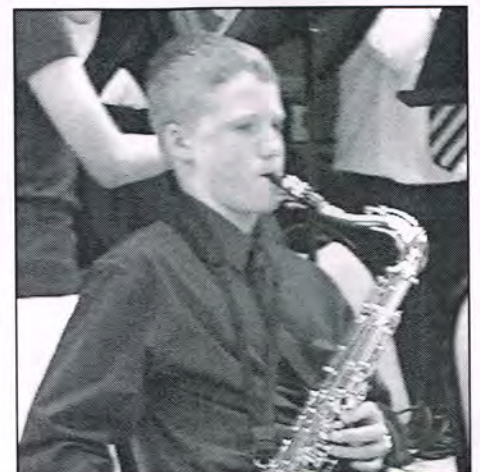
Yorkville Middle School Jazz Band plays for the Senior Prom at Beecher Community Center



Seniors dance as the YHS Jazz Band performs.



7th grader, Darien Williams plays the drum set.



Tenor saxophonist, Patrick Dabbs, swingin' with the YMS Jazz Band



Congratulations to the Yorkville High School Pep Band on another tremendously successful season of providing team support, school spirit, audience entertainment and lots of energy during the basketball games. This year, the Pep Band played at 8 home basketball games including the varsity girls senior night. Some of the favorite pep tunes added this year are Love Shack and Y.M.C.A.



## Private Lessons are the Key to SUCCESS:

Many private lesson teachers are available to the Yorkville music students and more are becoming available every day as we continue to grow and attract more musicians to the area. Many professionals make a living playing music and are available to teach lessons to students at surrounding schools. We hope that you have taken a private lesson by now. If you haven't, this is the time to start! The school year is a great time to get into a new practice routine and start lessons. At Yorkville, we expect a lot out of the music students because we know what is possible when you really want to BE GOOD! It's no secret that the best musicians in our schools are the ones that take 30 minutes to an hour out of their week and study privately with a professional. Call the music office for a name of a teacher or feel free to contact one on the following list.

### flute

Megan McCabe, 630-844-2825  
steeldrum8@nifr.com

### clarinet

Donna MacDonald, 630-430-1812  
Dmildred@comcast.net

### oboe/bassoon

Dennis Beiermann, 847-464-1207  
dbeiermann@burlington.k12.il.us

### all woodwinds

Megan McCabe, 630-844-2825  
steeldrum8@nifr.com

### trumpet

James Knabe, 630-988-0375  
james@trumpeter.com

### tuba/baritone

Chris Chaussey, 552-1395  
cchaussey@comcast.net

### trombone

Jim Felts, 630-554-8294

### french horn

Eric Kaiser, 630-202-4793

### percussion

Vern Spevak, 630-553-1708  
Vernmusic@aol.com

### violin/viola

Charlotte Bogda, 630-406-1405  
Regina Kazda, 630-554-4191

### viola

Renee Baker, 630-759-7204

### cello

Denise Beiermann, 847-464-1207  
Bob Weber, 847-888-2595

### string bass

Pam Bruening, 815-942-6977  
Virginia Dixon, 708-629-2860



# YHS Music Department Seniors Graduating June, 2006



**Julie Aulis**

*Will be attending Bradley University to major in nursing*

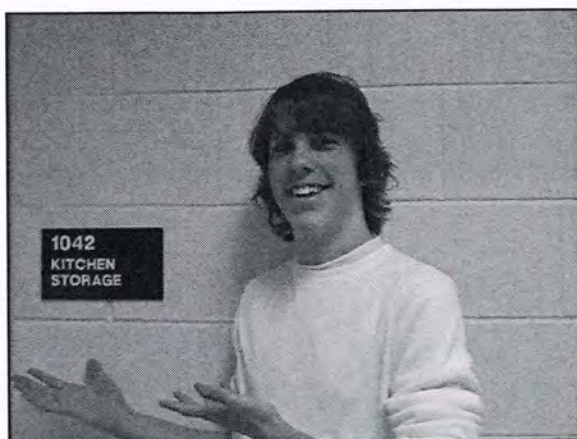
Solo & Ensemble (Division I rating), Madrigals, Honors Recital, Beautysop Quartet, Women's Select, Varsity Choir, Bel Canto, Lucky Stiff, Into the Woods, Oklahoma!, Cabaret Night



**Bridget Buenz**

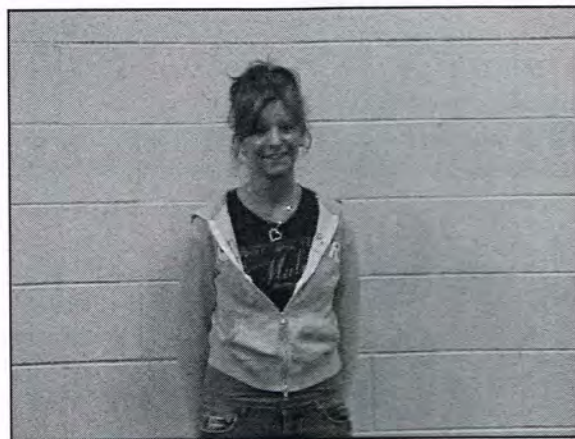
*Will be attending Cedarville University to major in nursing*

Orchestra, Solo & Ensemble (Division I ratings), Varsity Choir, Madrigals, Into the Woods, Oklahoma!, Cabaret Night



**Bobby Crown**

*Will be attending Waubensee Community College*  
Madrigals, Mad/Jazz, Chamber Singers, Men's Select Choir, Lucky Stiff, Into the Woods, Oklahoma!, Cabaret Night



**Jillian Dudczyk**

*Will be attending Illinois State University and major in International Buisiness.*

Solo & Ensemble, Madrigal Strings





**Nicole Frank**

*Will be attending Aurora University to study criminal justice*  
 Concert Choir, Bel Canto, Varisty Choir



**Lauren Free**

*Will be attending Taylor University to major in writing and minor in public relations*  
 Bel Canto, Varsity Choir, Madrigals, Lucky Stiff, Into the Woods, Oklahoma!, Cabaret Night, Fox Valley Music Festival



**Gina Gilbertson**

*Will be attending Aurora University and major in Nursing.*  
 Solo & Ensemble, Madrigal Strings, July 4<sup>th</sup> Parade



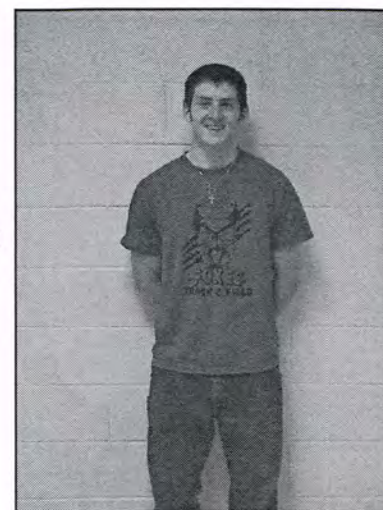
**Margaret Good**

*Will be attending Waubensee Community College to begin her major in nursing and minor in music.*  
 Concert Band, Pep Band, Marching Band, Solo & Ensemble, S.P.C. Honors Band, Drum Major, Orchestra Winds



**Alicia Anne Hanna**

*Will be attending college and majoring in psychology with a biology minor..*  
 Philharmonic Orchestra, Madrigal Strings, Cabaret Night



**Vince Frazee**

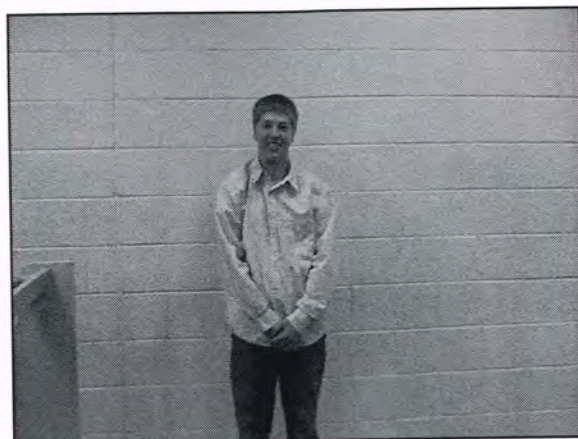
*Will be attending Calvin College with a major in religion.*  
 Philharmonic Orchestra, Madrigal Strings, Marching Band





**Orriale Hill**

*Will be attending JJC and double majoring in the culinary arts, business management*  
 Concert Choir, Varsity SSA, Bel Canto, Varsity SATB



**Matt Johnson**

*Will be attending Waubensee Community College.*  
 Solo & Ensemble, Honors Recital, Madrigal Strings



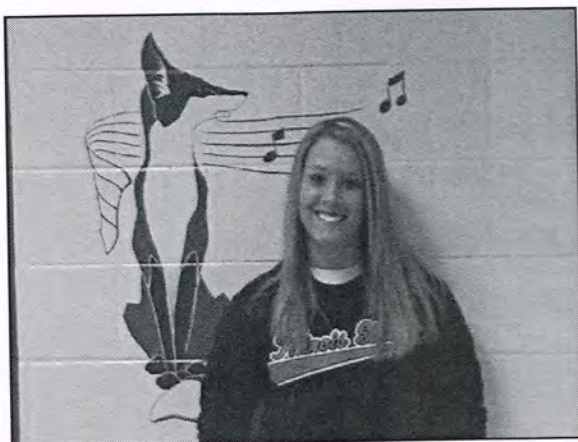
**Jessica Joyce**

*Will be attending ISU to major in secondary education*  
 Varsity Choir, Madrigals, Suburban-Prairie Conference, Solo & Ensemble, Into the Woods, Oklahoma! Cabaret Night, Beautyshop Quartet



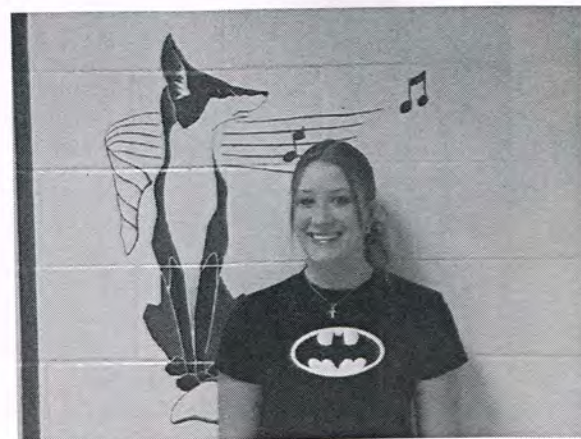
**Ashley Klossing**

*Will be attending Waubensee Community College to begin her major in Elementary Education.*  
 Concert Band, Pep Band, Marching Band, NIU Band Day, Hastert Megan Event, Sycamore Pumpkin Festival, Oswego Band Review, Solo/Ensemble, U of I, Memorial Day Concert, Homecoming Parade, CCGS Assembly,



**Alyse LeDuc**

*Will be attending Illinois State University to major in secondary education*  
 Concert Choir, Varsity SSA, Varsity SATB



**Jennifer LeDuc**

*Will be attending Northern Illinois University to major in business administration*  
 Solo & Ensemble (Division I ratings); Concert Choir, Varsity SSA, Varsity SATB





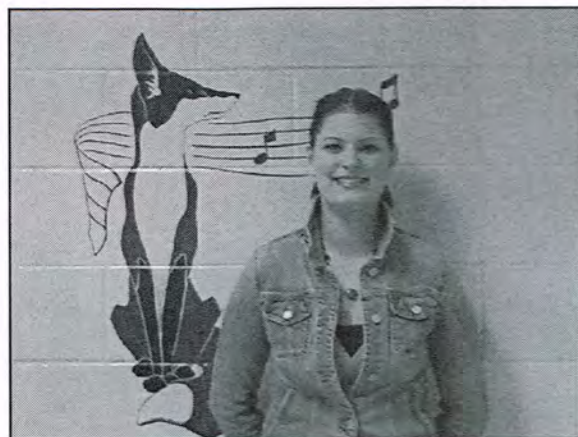
**Chung Lee**

*Will be attending college in the fall*  
Concert Choir, Bel Canto, Varsity Choir



**Holly Maier**

*Will be attending Waubensee Community College*  
Concert Choir, Bel Canto, Varsity Choir, Color Guard,  
Color Guard Captain



**Megan Matlock**

*Will be attending Midwest College of Cosmetology and  
Lincoln Tech*  
Concert Choir, Varsity SSA, Varsity SATB



**Jake Metz**

*Will be attending University of Illinois to major in aeronau-  
tical engineering*  
Madrigals, Chamber Singers, Men's Select Choir, Mad/  
Jazz, Lucky Stiff, Into the Woods, Oklahoma!, Cabaret  
Night

**Sabrina Miller**

*Will be attending the University of Illinois at Urbana-  
Champaign as a biology major.*  
Philharmonic Orchestra, Madrigal Strings, Cabaret  
Night, First Chair Viola







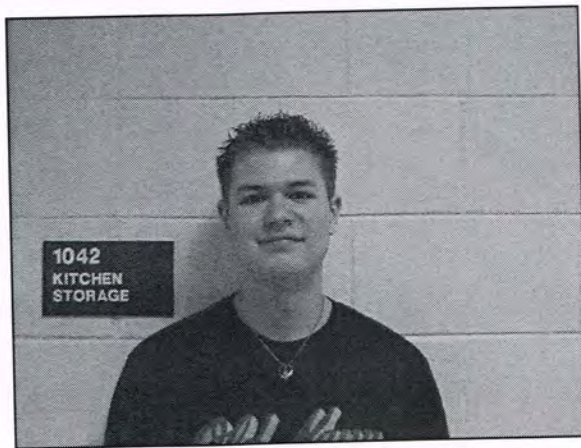
**Laura Olson**

*Will be attending Waubensee Community College to begin her major in early childhood and minor in music. Concert Band, Jazz Band, Pep Band, Marching Band, Solo & Ensemble, Orchestra Winds*



**Laura Pawlowsky**

*Will be attending Waubensee Community College. Madrigal Strings, Solo & Ensemble Chorus, Solo & Ensemble (Orchestra), Homecoming Parade, July 4<sup>th</sup> Parade*



**Benjamin Pritchert**

*Will be attending Waubensee Community College to begin his major in engineering  
Concert Band, Jazz Band, Pep Band, Marching Band, Solo & Ensemble*



**Mandy Reboletti**

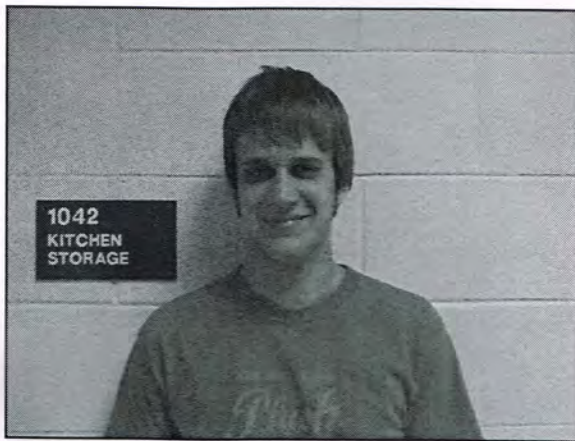
*Will be attending Waubensee Community College to begin her major in secondary education  
Concert Band, Pep Band, Marching Band, NIU Band Day, Hastert Mega Event, Sycamore Pumpkin Fest, Oswego Review, Solo/Ensemble, U of I, Memorial Day Concert, Yorkville Community Band, Homecoming Parade, CCGS Assembly, San Antonio Trip*



**Thomas Ridenour**

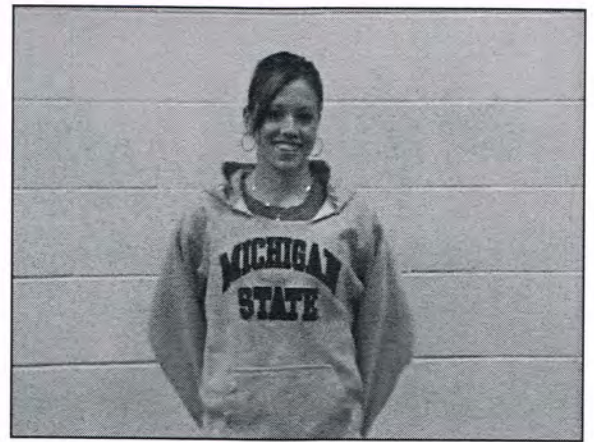
*Will be attending Carroll College and Hawaii Pacific University to major in Marine Biology  
Concert Choir, Chamber Singers, Madrigals, Barbershop Quartet, Solo & Ensemble (Division I ratings and 'Best of Day'), Oklahoma!, Into the Woods, Lucky Stiff*





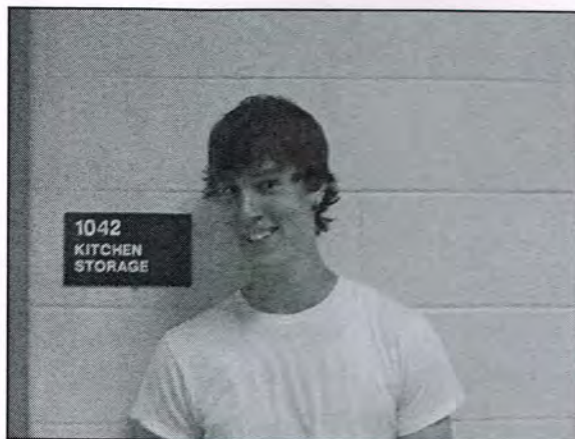
**Scott Rippey**

*Will be attending Waubensee Community College*  
Concert Band, Jazz Band, Pep Band, Marching Band



**Tara Schiltz**

*Will be attending Waubensee Community College.*  
Solo & Ensemble, Homecoming Parade, July 4<sup>th</sup> Parade



**Roy Sellman**

*Plans include not being in High School*  
Concert Band, Jazz Band, Pep Band, Marching Band



**Emily Sterkel**

*Will be attending Moody Bible Institute to major in children's ministry*  
Concert Choir, Varsity Choir SSA, Varsity Choir SATB, Suburban-Prairie Conference, Solo & Ensemble, Madrigals, ISU Madrigal Day, Into the Woods, Oklahoma!



**Zachary Stewart**

*Will be attending college to work towards opening his own restaurant*  
Concert Choir, Varsity Choir, Madrigals, Into the Woods, Oklahoma!, Cabaret Night

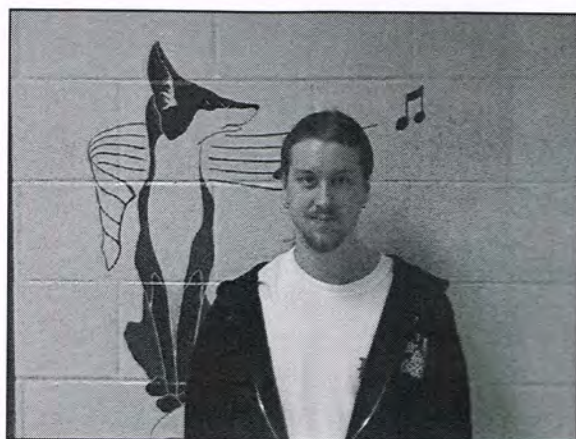




**Ben Stillmunkes**

*Will be attending Northern Illinois University to major in business*

Madrigals, ISU Madrigal Day, Suburban-Prairie Conference, Chamber Singers, Mad/Jazz, Lucky Stiff, Into the Woods, Oklahoma!, Cabaret Night



**Alex Symonds**

Concert Choir, Chamber Singers, Varsity Choir



**Christine Townsend**

*Will be attending college to study forensic science*  
Concert Choir, Bel Canto, Varsity Choir, Color Guard



**Bethany VanCleave**

*Will be attending Union University in Jackson, Tennessee*

Concert Choir, Chamber Singers, Music Booster Camp Scholarship, Color Guard



**Wyatt Wagner**

*Will be attending Western Illinois University as well as continuing in the Army Reserves.*

Concert Band, Pep Band, Marching Band, 2005 Fox Valley Music Festival, 2004 Most-Improved Award, 2005 Musicianship Award, Hastert Mega Event, Sycamore Pumpkin Fest, Oswego Review, Solo/Ensemble, U of I, Memorial Day Concert, San Antonio Trip





**Amanda Walden**

*Will be attending Aurora University to major in Elementary Education and minor in either Psychology or Spanish*  
 Concert Band, Pep Band, Marching Band, Hastert Mega Event, Sycamore Pumpkin Fest, Oswego Review, Solo/Ensemble, U of I, Memorial Day Concert, Yorkville Community Band, Homecoming Parade, CCGS Assembly, San Antonio Trip, 5/3<sup>rd</sup> Bank Grand Opening, Referendum Rally



**Daniel Wehrli**

*Will be attending Northern Illinois University to major in business management*  
 Concert Choir, Varsity Choir



**Zachary Wessell**

Chamber Singers, Varsity Choir, Madrigals, Into the Woods, Oklahoma!



**James Woodard**

*Will be attending Anderson University to major in business administration and advertisement marketing*  
 Concert Choir, Pep/Jazz Band, Bye Bye Birdie, Oklahoma, Varsity Choir



**Amanda Worrell**

*Will be attending University of St. Francis to study nursing*  
 Concert Choir, Women's Select Choir, Bel Canto, Varsity Choir, Solo & Ensemble, Madrigals, Oklahoma!



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The Yorkville Music Boosters organization is dedicated to promoting and assisting your music education. They have represented our school district and community in parades, sporting events, community events, and local and state contests. Through these experiences, the students are learning about teamwork, dedication, and pride.

Our financial resources come from various fundraising activities such as the sale of fruit and ValuCards. Our Patron Sales are one of the most important fundraisers. Once again, we are asking for your generous support.

Please show your support of our organization with a tax-deductible donation. Your contribution will be listed in our concert programs and in the "Music Notes" which is published bi-annually. If you desire, you may remain anonymous. The levels to select from are as follows:

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Our hard-working young people appreciate your financial gift and continued support. With your help, these students will continue to bring pride and recognition to our community.

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**Thank you for your continued support!**



# *Yorkville Music Boosters Thank You for Your Support*

Thanks to the hard work of students and teachers as well as the generosity and support of families and our community, the music program performances of Yorkville schools are finishing this year on a high note.

Yorkville Music Boosters is happy to do whatever it can to support our growing 5<sup>th</sup>–12<sup>th</sup> grade music programs. This school year, for example, Music Boosters coordinated efforts to successfully raise funds for new Y.H.S. band uniforms. Booster members helped at musical performances throughout the year and fired up the grill to cook lunch for band members at Homecoming and a University of Illinois performance. They

also handled details for fundraisers such as ValuCards, Great Lakes Scrip and OurHouse Cleaning Systems, which help students build their personal accounts to help pay for music department trips, private lessons and instrument-related purchases.

Music Boosters filled teacher requests, purchased classroom equipment and gladly continued its tradition of offering monies to defray costs for students who plan to attend summer music camps. It also offered scholarship dollars to student(s) who plan to pursue a degree in music.

Thank you to all patrons and family members who helped Music Boosters achieve so much this school year, and welcome to all who would like to be part of Music Boosters in the school year to come!

## **Upcoming Events:**

May	18	District Orchestra Concert (5th—12th Grade) 7:30 PM YHS Gymnasium
	19	YHS Band Banquet—Awards Night 7:30 PM YHS Cafetorium
	20	Jazz Band Showcase 7:00 PM YHS Cafetorium
	23	District Band Concert (5th—12th Grade) 7:30 PM YHS Gymnasium
	29	Memorial Day YMS Concert Band performs in the park
	30	YMS Art Show 6:30 - 8:30 PM YMS Jazz Band performs
June	04	Graduation - Band & Choir Perform 2:00 PM YHS Gymnasium
	24	Fox Valley Concert Band Concert 7:00 PM in the park
July	04	Yorkville Community Band Concert After the parade, in the park
	14	Fox Valley Concert Band 7:00-9:00 PM Concert in the Part
August	7—11	YHS Marching Band Camp all day
	15, 17, 22, 24	YHS Marching Band Camp 6 - 8:30 PM
	18	YHS Football Scrimmage Marching Band Performs
	22-24	Madrigal Camp 11:00 AM - 3:00 PM YHS Choir Room
	25	First Home Football Game 7:00 PM
	29	School Resumes