

# POPS CONCERT

RPHS AND BMS ORCHESTRAS •  
02.10.22 • RPHS AUDITORIUM

# THE PROGRAM

EVENT STARTS AT 7:00PM

## TRACKS

1

French Folk Song

*Combined Baines Middle School and Ridge Point High School Orchestra Programs*

2&3

Dinosaur Damage

Rock Riffs

*Baines Middle School Beginning Orchestra, Ridge Point High School Philharmonic and Sinfonia Orchestras*

4&5

High Hopes

Chicken Dance

*Baines Middle School Intermezzo and Advanced Orchestras, Ridge Point High School Symphony Orchestra*

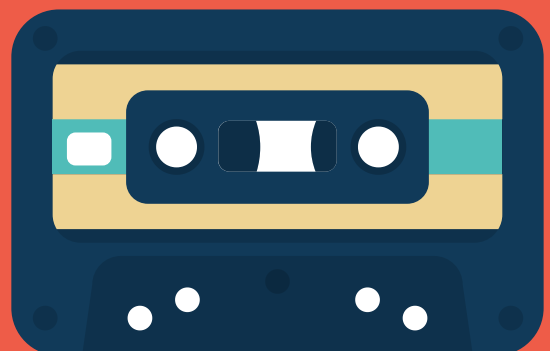
6&7

Seven Nation Army

Pirates of the Caribbean

*Baines Middle School Honors Orchestra and Ridge Point High School Chamber Orchestra*

SPECIAL THANKS TO MR. CHRIS BAÑOS AND THE RIDGE POINT PERCUSSION FOR ASSISTING WITH TONIGHT'S PERFORMANCE.



# BMS ROCKSTAR

## MUSICIANS

### BEGINNER MUSICIANS

Violin: John Antimano, Madilyn Baccigalopi, Buu Le, Mary Leeper, Julianne Menegaz, Neva Snobin, Niki Su, Charlee Thatcher, Isabella Thomas, Sharon Thomas, Hannah Tony, Ashna Varghese, Dominic Varkey  
Viola: Kaitlyn Broussard, Georgina Echezona, Estefania Felipe, Madisyn Hodges, Abraham Kaitholil, Jonathan Medrano, Guadalupe Monroy, Jalen Ramos, Genesis Nequiz Recinos, Ivan Renteria, Allison Shellhamer, Joya Snobin, Nicholas Stanley, Kelvin Tharappel, Tanner Zeno  
Cello: Dillan Eapen, Brett Hinch, Reina Ishihama, Eli Leiwakabessy, Vivienne Maloles, Rhylee Manners  
Double Bass: Camille Chandler, Isaac Philip, William Swanson

### INTERMEZZO ORCHESTRA

Mishal Abidi, Aran Castro-Paez, Dhyan Dillepkumar, Jade Eddin, Ashton Foy, Grant Hopkins, Eddie Huang, Jalisah Jasper, Kennedy Jesse, Alfonse Joseph, Alphons Jose, Sheena Joshua, Naomi Onyechi, Beaza Solomon, Colton Zvonek

### ADVANCED ORCHESTRA

David Arredondo, Joey Balderrama, Ava Banks, Addison Barriga, Alejandra Barrios, Katherine Chavez, Gisella Cina, Corrine Collins, Cosette Echemendia, Jacob Enriquez, Alonzo Guerrero, Jaxon Ho, Nicholas John, Serene John, Kole Johnson, Bao Le, Jordyn Peoples, Avery Renny, Natalie Riggins, Wynston Rodriguez, Daniel Roji, Sarah Ruiz, Parker Schaffhausen, Christian Serrano, Nitza Sujith

### HONORS ORCHESTRA

Skylah Brooks, Maya Chacko, Chance Coney, Kaitlin Esquivel, Rianne Sofia Gatilao, Madysen Hardy, Tyler Herman, Rani Joseph, Abigail Karithara, Marissa Monteiro, Jeffrey Red, Ariel Riggins, Diamond Shellhamer, Yohana Sibhatu, Alex Simescu, Gabriel Thomas, Tiffany Truong, Sidney Velez, Matthew Wang, Brooklyn Weaver

# RPHS ROCKSTAR

## MUSICIANS

### PHILHARMONIC ORCHESTRA

Roberto Alvarez, Berenice Chavira Martinez, Cameron Collins, Dan Eapen, Sophia Faulkner, Jason Jackson, Jewel Jose, Lakshanya Maheswaran, Tim McGrath, Duane McNeil, Emily Narvaez, Emilio Nunez, Bharath Raja, Jericho Revilla, Nathan Robles, Christopher Schaupp, Sydnee Shepherd, Abigail Sibhatu, Arianna Smith, Joshua Thomas, Neil Thomas, Alexander Weigel, Robert Woodall

### SINFONIA ORCHESTRA

Stanley Abraham, Deanna Akindele, Jaiden Anderson, Walter Arballes, Pablo Barahona Iriberry, Alec Blankenship, Nathan Bund, Miguel Castro, Junard-Darren Chua, Dalton Guion, Riley Hoot, Barry Ingram, Anne Marie Iscovitz, Madison Jerkins, Lauren Mitchell, Evan Morris, Cole Nguyen, Leslie Ortiz, Noel Orumpackal, Erica Preeth, James Thottumkal, Berean Washington, Ryan Webster, Henry Yip

### SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

Nicolas Aquino, Hannah Bhaskaran, Caitlyn Caya, Mallory Ellis, Rhea George, Esha Nag Hari, Katie Kubiak, Tanly Kulachanpices, Steven Lee, Tyla Mose, Stephany Mwaura, Elise O'Neill, Jasmine Perez, Enoch Poon, Hannah Purvis, Mathias Schaffhausen, Gurushreeram Sureshbabu, Noah Swanson, Hana Takimoto, Rania Thomas

### CHAMBER ORCHESTRA

Matin Abraham, Olivia Bishop, Sharick Byfield, Kevin Chen, April D'empaire, William Gipson, Hailey Hardy, John James, Ashish Job, Angel John, Rachel Kee, Dhruv Kumar, Sophia Leal, Timothy Malit, Helen Michael, Madison Montoya, Trinity Ngo, Anh Nguyen, Josephine Perez, Yousef Rabaa, Lilliana Rodrigues, Oliver Salazar Compagnino, Crisanto Salazar Compagnino, Anthony Simescu, Allison Vu, Anna Vu, Evan Wu

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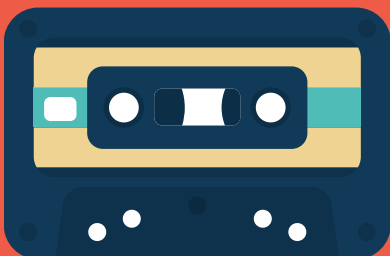
BMS DIRECTOR OF ORCHESTRAS

## MRS. KARISSA WILLIAMS

Mrs. Williams attended Texas Tech University to study with Dr. Kirsten Yon, professor of violin. To follow her professor's new appointment, Mrs. Williams transferred to the University of Houston and graduated Magna Cum Laude. As a solo violinist, Mrs. Williams performed in multiple music festivals including the International Music Academy in Plzen, Czech Republic and the Cambridge Academy of Music in Trinity College of Cambridge University, United Kingdom.

Mrs. Williams began teaching at Baines Middle School in 2014. She was awarded with "Rookie Teacher of the Year" her first year of teaching and received "Teacher of the Year" during the 2019-2020 school year. In her years at Baines, the BMS Orchestras have received numerous trophies and sweepstakes awards at contest. In addition to teaching at Baines, Mrs. Williams serves as violin coach for the Houston Youth Symphony. She frequently works with students and orchestras throughout the greater Houston region as a guest teacher and judge.

When not teaching, Mrs. Williams enjoys spending time with her family, traveling, and attending fine arts performances and supporting the arts in Houston.



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RPHS DIRECTOR OF ORCHESTRAS

## MR. HENRY WATTS

Mr. Watts has lived in Houston his entire life. He grew up in Fort Bend ISD and graduated from Kempner High School. After high school, Mr. Watts continued his studies at the University of Houston where he earned his Bachelor's degree in Music Education with a focus on string pedagogy. After graduating from U of H, Mr. Watts began teaching at Ridge Point High School and has worked at the school since it first opened in 2010.

Mr. Watts is both a professional cellist and pianist. He performs with the chamber group Third Floor Strings all around the Greater Houston area. Mr. Watts is also the director of Music at St. Catherine Episcopal Church in Sienna. Mr. Watts is also an avid composer and writes and arranges music for both choir and orchestra. Mr. Watts has had compositions premiered in Carnegie Hall and in Europe. He is also a member of TMEA, TODA and Phi Mu Alpha.

When Mr. Watts is not working on music, he enjoys baking, playing video games and spending time with his son, Lucas.



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Josephine Perez, Lilly Rodrigues**

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**Elizabeth Williams, Principal  
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Matthew Milner, Assistant Principal  
Dionna Alvarez, Assistant Principal**

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