



# Musical Passion

Anchorage Youth Symphony  
Anchorage Junior Youth Symphony  
Elementary Honor Orchestra

7PM, Tuesday, March 13, 2007

Discovery Theatre  
Alaska Center for the Performing Arts

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## ELEMENTARY HONOR ORCHESTRA

MaryAlice Donaldson, Conductor

<i>Cripple Creek</i> .....	Edmund J. Siennicki
<i>Russian Music Box</i> .....	Soon Hee Newbold
<i>Arches</i> .....	Sean O'Loughlin
<i>Pinochio's Dance</i> .....	Jos Wuytack
<i>Mosquitoes</i> .....	Mary Alice Rich
<i>Sinfonia Song</i> .....	Kirt N. Mosier

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INTERMISSION

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## ANCHORAGE JUNIOR YOUTH SYMPHONY

Gabrielle Willis, Alison McCarrey, Daniel Whitfield, Conductors

*Farandole from L'Arlesienne* ..... Georges Bizet, arr Merle J. Issac  
Conducted by Alison McCarrey

*Contraption* ..... Brendan McBrien  
Conducted by Gabrielle Willis

*Symphony No. 1* ..... Johannes Brahms, arr Richard Meyer  
Movement No. 4

*Rites of Tamburo* ..... Robert W. Smith  
Conducted by Daniel Whitfield

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## ANCHORAGE YOUTH SYMPHONY

Linn Weeda, Conductor

*Carmen Suite No. 1* ..... Georges Bizet  
*Prélude and Aragonaise*  
*Intermezzo*  
*Seguedille*  
*Les Dragons d'Alcala*  
*Les Toreadors*

*Selections from Pictures at an Exhibition* ..... Modeste Mussorgsky, orch by Carl Simpson  
*Promenade 4*  
*Limoges: The Market*  
*Catacombae*  
*Cum Mortuis in Lingua Mortua (For the Dead in a Dead Language)*

*Selections from E. T.* ..... John Williams, orch by John Cacavas

ANCHORAGE YOUTH SYMPHONY

VIOLIN I

Whitney Yang,  
*Co-Concertmaster*  
 Matt Crimp,  
*Co-Concertmaster*  
 Geurim Kim  
 Alec Lindsay  
 Christine Li  
 Krista Lundberg  
 Katherina Clink  
 Nate Berry  
 Isaac Park  
 Elizabeth Conway  
 Annie Livingston  
 Daniel Smith

VIOLIN II

Danika Paskvan,  
*Co-Principal*  
 Bryce O'Tierney,  
*Co-Principal*  
 Ryan Jarvis  
 Caitlin Patterson  
 Amber Mattfield  
 Dylan Baker  
 Robert Suenram  
 Stephanie Jayich  
 Ashley Choi  
 Gena Beam  
 Daniel Lee  
 J. C. McKim  
 Hyunkyung Kang

VIOLA

Koree Guzman,  
*Principal*  
 Nathaniel Knapp  
 Lauren Bachman  
 Chungsol Lee  
 Robert Taylor  
 Anson Moxness  
 Chia-yu Chiang  
 Alexander Matson  
 Molly Larsen  
 Gregory Hall  
 Jon Derman Harris  
 Evan Jackson  
 Matthew Park

CELLO

Jamnah Morton,  
*Principal*  
 Krystal Pickering  
 Jonathan Genziano  
 Kurt Youngblood  
 Jari Piper  
 Luke Park  
 Courtney Nault  
 Angelina Cinquegrani  
 Kayla Eichholz

STRING BASS

Heidi Herbert-Lovern,  
*Principal*  
 Haley Ford  
 Sam Guzauskas  
 John McKeever  
 Paul Senner  
 Dylan Kutzer

FLUTE

Sarah Gerd,  
*Principal*  
 Milly Josephson  
 Ceylon Mitchell,  
*also piccolo*  
 Guerin Platte  
 Lindsay Underwood

OBOE

Meredith Woodard,  
*Principal*  
 Eli Schoenberg  
 Madelin Siedler  
 Lindsay Brudzinski

CLARINET

Karl Beheim,  
*Principal*  
 Chi-Hyun Kim,  
*also bass clarinet*  
 Yixing Shi  
 Elyse Shellenbaum  
 Erin McDuffie

BASSOON

Kevin Shriver,  
*Principal*  
 John Patras  
 Quinn Langdon  
 Charles Jamieson,  
*also contrabassoon*  
 Scott Munter

HORN

Katie Munter,  
*Principal*  
 Christina Knapp  
 Meghan Bill  
 Melissa Lee  
 Lily Hunter  
 Roxanne Risse

TRUMPET

Mitchell Martineau,  
*Principal*  
 Stephen Bergstrom  
 Randi Bernier  
 Adam Fredericksen  
 Kelsey Ulrich

TROMBONE

Joshua Yeaton,  
*Principal*  
 Aric Kleppin  
 Dylan Rosevear,  
*bass trombone*

TUBA

Matt Jones,  
*Principal*

PERCUSSION

Marshall Carter,  
*Principal*  
 Mary Krauszer  
 Noah Hagen

HARP

Aubrey Kraft,  
*Principal*

Larry and Barbara Hagen, grandparents, have donated a season scholarship to support the percussion position of Noah Hagen, grandson.

LaVerne and Bonnie Hunter, grandparents, have sponsored the student horn chair of granddaughter Lily Hunter.

Carl and Dolly Darigo, grandparents, have sponsored the student horn chair of granddaughter Roxanne Risse.

Eleanor A. C. Hung doesn't know any of the trumpet players, but has sponsored a trumpet chair because she likes trumpets.

## ANCHORAGE JUNIOR YOUTH SYMPHONY

## SCHOOL INDEX

CE= Central  
 CL= Clark  
 GV= Goldenview  
 GR= Gruening  
 H= Hanshew  
 ME= Mears  
 ML= Mirror Lake  
 NL= Northern Lights ABC  
 P= Polaris  
 R= Romig  
 S= Steller  
 W= Wendler

## VIOLIN 1

Erica Conway GV  
 Iva Karoly-Lister R  
 Audrey Wong GV  
 Meghan Caves S  
 Dabin Lee H  
 Kevin Greco ML  
 William Parry GV  
 Emma Fisher R  
 Tiana Rutherford NL  
 Rosalie Gunawan ME  
 Kirsten Williams W  
 Megan Ragsdale GR  
 Daniel Osgood W  
 Alexander Walsh W  
 Emily Wilson W

## VIOLIN 2

Evdokia Hail GR  
 Ben Rockwell GV  
 Devin Burgess CE  
 Patrick Walgren GV  
 Matthew Markiewicz R  
 Erica Feldmann GR  
 Amy Gordon W  
 Micaela Hyams R  
 Samuel Kim GR  
 Michael Bramer CL  
 Jamie Brakora W  
 Marcus Phang GV  
 Sonja Wood W  
 Philip Sebastiani W  
 Caitlin Porter ML  
 Leif Monett R

## VIOLA

Yae Ji Keum R  
 Kivalina Grove P  
 Sharifa Charles GR  
 Jesse Hill H  
 Isaac Ahern GV  
 Nancy Porto R  
 Erlee Hjellen CE  
 Katie Bakao GV  
 Claire Bradbury R

## CELLO

Brett Lindsay W  
 Aaron Haynes R  
 Joshua Cravez R  
 Jenifer Yun H  
 Mikela Lindsoe H  
 Ashley Herbert-Lovern ML  
 Mary Hunt R  
 Andrew Crawford CE  
 Megan Harty W  
 Stacey Hanson GV  
 Lora Geary R  
 Andrew Holder W

## BASS

Allison Walton CE  
 Ally Eagleton W  
 Keenan Brownsberger P  
 Kelsey Horner H

## FLUTE

Anna Wichorek R  
 Hannah Eggeling ME  
 Sarah Wilson W  
 Esther Lee M

## OBOE

Jonathon Pyun H

Elisha Powell R  
 Andrea Foster ML  
 Francesca Risse GV

## CLARINET

Cameron Fritz ML  
 Gary Juul R  
 Thea Weinstein ML  
 Krista Dieckgraeff M

## BASSOON

Cortney Anderson ME

## TRUMPET

Jonathan Kaplan GR  
 Mark Jennings CE  
 Patrick Marshall GR  
 Andy Strager ML  
 Conrad Chapman ML

## HORN

Christopher Dennis ML  
 Sam Dougherty GV  
 Jonathan Cannamore ML

## TROMBONE

Trevor Clayton ME  
 Kellen Stark GV  
 Brett Schimmack ML

## TUBA

Brandon Greensfelder ML  
 Brea Harris CE

## PERCUSSION

William Springer H  
 Michael West W

## ELEMENTARY HONOR ORCHESTRA

### VIOLIN

Charlie Busby SL  
Sean Carpenter BV  
Anna Clink RP  
Mariah DeJesus CG  
Toan (Peter) Do K  
Hailey Fanning BS  
Katy Foster GH  
Shane Ham RP  
Lizzy Hano OV  
\*Sarah Hennessy RP  
Kathryn Hoke LO  
Andy Kim RP  
Michael Kim T  
Dylan Lance ER  
Sarah Mills NL  
Carie Navio P  
Nicole Olsen NL  
Kendra Paskvan B  
Natasha Rigge OV  
Zak Rockwell BV  
Holly Smith H  
Garrison Theroux ER  
Will Timmons ER  
Liana Tseu P  
Mary Uselmann BV  
Rachel Valiquette OM  
Nick Vongvichith KL  
Nolan Walker HS  
Brooke Wedelich H  
Steffan Wog K  
Lily York B

### VIOLA

Lilli Amos GH  
Cory Chan SL  
Marisa Jingco K  
Sarah Jones SH  
Justin Moore H  
Jose Mora GH  
Azabel Ordaz IV  
Cheyenne Stedingh KL

### CELLO

Ellie Asay SL  
Corissa Berntsen NL  
Sarah Bolt IV  
Deavon Carle LO  
Sadena Coleman LO  
Madeline Endres B  
Keeon Guzman RC  
Allison Haines RP  
Austin Hess H  
Haley Jones SH  
Samantha Lugo LO  
Anthony Rodriguez K

### STRING BASS

Eric Backstrum B  
Boomer Hanofee BV  
Zoe McHenry KL

### ACCOMPANIST

Alison McCarrey

\*=Concertmistress

School Key:  
B=Bowman  
BS=Bayshore  
BV=Bear Valley  
CG=College Gate  
ER=Eagle River  
GH=Gov't Hill  
H=Huffman  
HS=Homestead  
IV=Inlet View  
LO=Lake Otis  
K=Kincaid  
KL=Klatt  
NL=Northern Lights ABC  
OM=O'Malley  
OV=Ocean View  
P=Polaris  
RC=Rabbit Creek  
RP=Rogers Park  
SH=Spring Hill  
SL=Sand Lake  
T=Trailside

## OUR THANKS

The Anchorage Youth Symphony wishes to thank our coaches, whose expertise and dedication are an inspiration to our members. They are:

Olesya Waln, *violin*

Elise Gelbart, *violin*

Anne Burns, *viola*

Linda Ottum, *cello*

Matthew O'Connor, *string bass*

Roxann Berry, *flute*

Sharman Piper, *oboe*

Crystal Hanson, *clarinet*

Hal Nonneman, *bassoon*

Bryan Charic, *French horn*

Jason Edwards, *trumpet*

Paul Fredericksen, *trombone and tuba*

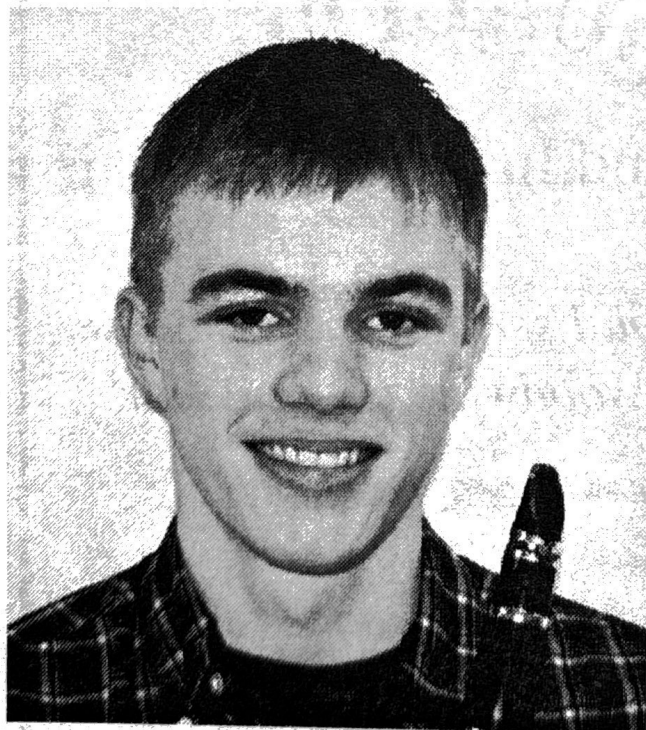
Steve Alvarez, *percussion*

SENIOR SPOTLIGHT



QUINN LANGDON

Quinn Langdon is a senior at East High School where she is the principal bassoon in the East High Band. She has been playing bassoon since she was a freshman. She is in the bassoon section in the Anchorage Youth Symphony for her second year. She has also taken up a number of other instruments over the years including piano, flute, drums, and trumpet. She formerly was in the Arctic Winds flute choir. She is president of the Mu Alpha Theta (math club) at East High, and also founder and vice-president of the East High Recycling Club. She is also vice-chair of Alaska Youth for Environmental Action, and physics student of the year. She has a passion for obscure films and French trivia. She has hiked the Chilkoot Trail. She is treasurer of her high school band, and has played in the East High full orchestra and in the pit orchestra for a school production of *Fiddler on the Roof*. Future plans include hiking the Chilkoot Trail again in another twenty years, and attending college to become a biophysicist.



KARL BEHEIM

Karl Beheim is a member of the senior class of 2007 in the Family Partnership Charter School. At the same time he attends the Alaska Pacific University Early Honors program. He plays clarinet in the Anchorage Youth Symphony where he is section principal, and is a four-year member of AYS. In recent competition in Idaho, he won first place in the MTNA (Music Teachers National Association) woodwind solo competition. Previously he had been named National Finalist in the MTNA woodwind solo competition in 2003, and alternate in MTNA regional competition in 2004 and 2005. In 2006 he was selected to perform in a solo concerto honoring Mozart's 250<sup>th</sup> birthday anniversary with the Anchorage Youth Symphony. In the same year he was a student soloist with the Anchorage Civic Orchestra being a winner in their concerto competition. He is a substitute member of the Anchorage Symphony Orchestra and in 2006 was a participant in the State Solo and Ensemble Festival. He maintains a 4.0 grade point average and enjoys snowboarding, mountain biking, and hiking. He plans college majors in history and music.

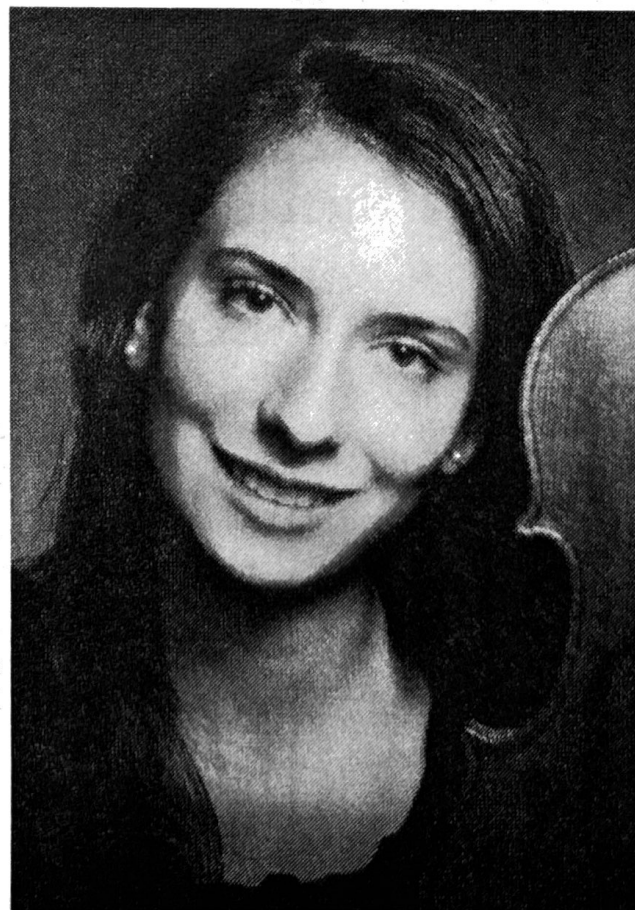
## SENIOR SPOTLIGHT

Lauren Nicole Bachman is a senior at Palmer High School and a four-year member of the viola section in the Anchorage Youth Symphony. She has won musical recognition with membership in the All State Orchestra from 2003 to 2005, superior ratings in the State Solo and Ensemble Festival from 2004 to 2006, including being part of the clarinet/viola/piano trio Command Performance in 2004, and also a member of the Command Performance event in 2006 with the Palmer High School Jazz Choir. She has also been a member of the UAF (University of Alaska Fairbanks) Jazz Fest Honor Choir. In the fall of 2006 she participated in the chamber orchestra at the Western States Honor Orchestra Festival at the University of Northern Colorado. Lauren is an active member of the Palmer High School Music Department, and her nurturing of fellow musicians through her baking, cooking, cleaning, planning, and taking care of sick people has earned her the title of "Music Department Mom." Additionally, she earned the 2006 "most inspirational Jazz Choir Member" award. She also enjoys theater and musicals. She has recently been an active participant in *Guys and Dolls*, *Footloose*, *The Best Christmas Pageant Ever*, and is presently "Edith" in *Pirates of Penzance*. Lauren also enjoys shopping, tropical vacations, and the perfect shade of Hot Pink. Future plans include pursuing a Bachelor of Arts degree in music education at the University of Northern Colorado with a minor in psychology.



LAUREN BACHMAN

Gena Beam plays violin and is a senior at South Anchorage High School and a three-year member of the Anchorage Youth Symphony. She has attended Interlochen Arts camp, the UAF Summer Music Academy, and Marrowstone Summer Music Camp. She is a four-year member of student government and is currently student body vice-president at South High. She is a member of South's cross-country running and track and field teams, and has earned two varsity track letters. She is a member of Lorax Environmental Club and the National Honor Society. She enjoys being outdoors, reading, and painting. She plans to attend college in the east studying English or journalism.



GENA BEAM

SENIOR SPOTLIGHT



ISAAC PARK

Isaac Park is a senior at West High School, a violinist, and a four-year member of the Anchorage Youth Symphony. He participates in a string quintet at school, and has also participated in All State Orchestra and the State Solo and Ensemble Festival. He is the "We the People" state champion, president of the Mu Alpha Theta (West High math) Club, an AP (Advanced Placement) Scholar with Distinction, and took fourth place in the regional 100-yard breast stroke swimming competition. Other interests include computer programming and philosophy. He plans a future in designing computer games.



ANSON MOXNESS

Anson Moxness is a senior at West High and a four-year member of the Anchorage Youth Symphony viola section. He is also a co-founder of the West High String Quintet. He is a National Merit Scholar Finalist. He helped found the West High Ultimate Frisbee team, and has been voted largest Afro in AYS by the viola section. He is captain of the West High Ski Team, and in addition to Nordic skiing is interested in road and mountain bike racing, sleeping, classical guitar, and nanotechnology engineering. After college he plans to become the dictator of a small socialist country, and become the first man to climb Mount Olympus and hold a political forum with the gods.



PAUL SENNER

Paul Senner is a four-year member of the string bass section in the Anchorage Youth Symphony, and a senior at West High School. He also played in the Anchorage Junior Youth Symphony and the Elementary Honor Orchestra. He is a member of the award winning Titan String Quintet. He has been voted "most charming" by his orchestra class, and "best eyes" by the West High Senior superlatives. He has earned varsity letters in soccer and running. Other interests include sleeping, karate, hair styling, and moustache growing. He plans to attend college, grow old, and fight dinosaurs.

## SENIOR SPOTLIGHT

Aric Kleppin is a senior at South Anchorage High School and has been a member of the Anchorage Youth Symphony trombone section for two years. He was a member of All State Band in 2005 and 2006, and participated in the State Solo and Ensemble Festival in 2005. He has played in the pit orchestra for the presentation of school musicals including *Fiddler on the Roof*, *Once Upon a Mattress*, and *Your're a Good Man Charlie Brown*. He has played in the Alaska Jazz Workshop for five years. Other honors and achievements include winning the Little Lebowski Urban Achiever award, serving his fourth year as prefect founder of the Bee Keepers Club, member of the Zissou Society, and being a Blue Star Cadet. He enjoys learning foreign languages including Spanish, Italian, Arabic, and Farsi. He will be a counselor at Concordia Language Village this summer, and after that plans to attend Boston University. Depending on his post-graduate O.W.L. scores, he plans either to work for the ministry or attend graduate school.



ARIC KLEPPIN

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