## **MISSION STATEMENT**



As proud members of the SciTech Music Department, we bring together our individual strengths and talents to form a family united by common goals.

We desire to create an environment through music that will challenge and motivate students to strive for excellence in all facets of their lives.

We are dedicated to advancing the principles of leadership, unity, pride, trust, self-discipline, responsibility, critical thinking, and creativity through the study and performance of music.



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Chestnut Auditorium December 15, 2011, 7:00p.m.

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## **CONCERT ETIQUETTE**

The success of a concert depends on the audience as well as the performers. The following suggestions are intended to help listeners do their part to ensure that everyone enjoys the concert.

#### Arrival & Departure

The concert begins at 7:00p.m., with doors opening at 6:30. We suggest that you arrive early to allow plenty of time to find seats and settle in before the concert starts. If you do arrive late, the ushers will let you into the auditorium during the first convenient pause in the program.

We encourage you to stay for the entire show. However, if you do need to leave the auditorium during the concert, please wait for a pause in between selections.

#### **During The Performance...**

- ♦ Don't talk, rustle papers, open candy or gum wrappers, rummage through your belongings, etc.
- ♦ Make sure cell phones, pagers, etc. are turned off.
- ♦ If you want to take pictures, make sure that your camera's flash is turned off and that it is set to operate silently.
- ♦ Don't tap, clap, hum, whistle, sing along, etc. (unless, of course, the conductor or performers invite you to do so).
- ♦ Don't call out from the audience to friends on stage.
- ♦ Remain seated. If you find you must leave the concert area for some reason, please wait and do so only between selections.

#### **Applause**

Please applaud only at the end of a complete selection.

We hope these suggestions make the concert more enjoyable, and we sincerely appreciate your cooperation. Thank you.

#### **OUR FACULTY**

**Band Department** 

Gary Bernice, Director of Bands

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Jose Passalacqua, Director of Choirs

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### Nehemiah Ministries, Inc. Springfield, MA

Nehemiah Ministries, Inc. is a Christian organization that takes its name from the leading figure of the Old Testament book of Nehemiah. Nehemiah was an Israelite leader born in exile under the Persian Empire who, when he learned of the devastation of his ancestral homeland, used his position to secure resources from the king for the rebuilding and revitalization of his community.

Our ministry is rooted in the Gospel and based on the model exemplified by this Biblical saint. It is our conviction that, as privileged Christians, we have abandoned our neighbors in the inner cities, and we challenge ourselves and the broader church to model an incarnational lifestyle of relocation, redistribution, and reconciliation in these hurting communities. Thus, we seek to obey the Great Commission by embodying the Kingdom of God in community and by proclaiming the Good News through example rather than mere persuasion.



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## WELCOME TO WinterFest!

#### PROGRAM

Concert Etiquette Review	Alton Skinner, Band President	
STOMP PECUSSION I	ENSEMBLE	
SciTech Cadence	Gary Bernice & Students	
SYMPHONIC B	AND	
Canon Remix	Johann Pachelbel	
	Arranged by Gary Bernice	
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#### SMALL ENSEMBLE

(Stage Transition)

#### MADRIGAL SINGERS

Firework Eriksen, Hermansen, Dean, Perry, & Wilhem
Arranged by Anders & Davis
Colors Of The Wind
You Belong With Me
Party In The USACornish, Gottwald, & Kelly - Arranged by Emerson
Hey Soul SisterMonahan, Lind, & Bjorkland - Arranged by Brymer
Little Star
Have A Merry One,

#### SMALL ENSEMBLE

(Stage Transition)

#### **CONCERT BAND & JAZZ BAND**

Angels We Have Heard On High	Traditional
	Arranged by David Newell
The Tempest (Remix)	Robert W. Smith
	Remixed by the SciTech Band Students
Autumn Leaves	Joseph Kosma
	Arranged by John Berry
Just The Way You Are	
	Arranged by the SciTech Small Ensemble

<sup>&</sup>quot;...and you will be called Repairer of Broken Walls, Restorer of Streets with Dwellings." Isaiah 58:126

#### CONCERT BAND & JAZZ BAND, cont.

#### INTERMISSION

-10 Minutes-

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Thank You!

#### STOMP PERCUSSION ENSEMBLE

#### **CONCERT BAND & JAZZ BAND**

DJ Got Us Fallin' In Love Again...........Perez, Martin, Kotecha, & Schuster

Arranged by Gary Bernice

Hero's Rave........Arranged by the SciTech Small Ensemble

My Way........Revaux, Francois, Anka, Thibaud

Arr. by The University of Massachusetts Minuteman Marching Band

Twelve Bar Blues...........Gary Bernice & Students

OUR CLOSING BENEDICTION & "MY WAY"
IS PRESENTED IN HONOR OF
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## Our Thanks

Dear Parents, Teachers, & Community Members,

Welcome to **WinterFest!** As we watch local news channels and read local newspapers, we are often bombarded with images of weakness and failure in our community. Well, tonight you can turn off the television, put down the newspaper, and get ready to celebrate the strength and success in our community—our youth! Our students have been working hard preparing the music for your entertainment and enjoyment. I am proud of the work that they have done and I know that you will enjoy the concert. Thank you for your continued support and encouragement.

Sincerely,

Gary R. Bernice
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SciTech and Chestnut Middle School, all of our generous sponsors,
and all our students' families for making this event possible.

<sup>\*</sup> Student Leadership Team

<sup>†</sup> Student Teaching Assistant

<sup>♦</sup> District Band / Orchestra

**<sup>♪</sup>** MTM Mentor



# Music Lessons For Students... Volunteer Opportunities For Families... Join Our Mentoring Program...

#### ABOUT MTM

Mentoring Through Music is an after school instrumental music lesson program open to elementary, middle, and high school students in the Springfield Public School District. The program brings together students, professional musicians, and music educators throughout Springfield to participate in high-quality individualized music instruction from beginning to advanced levels. Advanced level students are encouraged to grow in both their musicianship and leadership skills by mentoring beginning students. The individual music lesson program is offered for 30 weeks during the school year, providing students with the opportunity to take weekly lessons throughout the year. See Mr. Bernice for more details.

#### VISION STATEMENT

#### A Culture of Musical Excellence...

We value music as a dynamic force that enriches the lives of students, their families, our schools, and our entire community. Springfield will be acknowledged as a distinctive center for music education where every student in every school has equal access to high-quality, culturally relevant, standards-based, sequential music programs.

#### Flute

Brianna Cornejo Gisela Delgado Yaritza Echevarria Mendre Idalise Figueroa Crystal Hernandez Tionnasha Howard Omayra Morales Keyla Oliveras Jose Rodriguez Daniella Vazquez Jasmin Young Thalia Zapata

#### **Clarinet** Sadik Abdi

Allison Adams Joshua Allende Iordan Almore Migleris Avila Sandra Breton J Tavshia Brown Andrea Candelario Erica Cannamela Jackelyn Corchado Iatzia Cruz Raymond Cruz Breanna Davis Nashali Garcia Kaori Gonzalez Lozado Dayshialee Hall Ariana Knight Kristina Martell Lisannie Martinez Marcelino Massa Isabel Mateo Regina McCall Nuriyo Robow J Karena Rodriguez Danaira Rosado Kalisha Rosado Rivera Andre Ruiz Flores Stephanie Sanchez Savannah Smith Samantha Startos Reneek Stephenson Alize Torres Cara Vaughn

#### **Bass Clarinet**

Alexander Marquez Curtis Woodard

#### SYMPHONIC BAND

#### Alto Saxophone

Krystal Arbel-Torres Leon Carrington Tatiana Cruz Joseph Glasgow J Tarisha Gonzalez Brian Gonzalez J Xenamarie Hernandez Rov Houle Stephanie Martinez Michael McDonnell J Brianna Meade Lana Perez Ben Sanchez Alexandria Suarez Ivelisse Tirado Bruno Josiah Torres-Campbell Elisha Wilson

#### **Tenor Saxophone**

Quanell Benn
Daniel Carney 
Sigfredo Colon
Joshua Delgado 
Jordan Drummer 
Raisha Perez
Aida Perez
Jezreel Quinones
Sean Read 
Kylan Seville

#### **Baritone Sax**

Nedeshca Carmona S Kevin Rivera

#### Trumpet

Marc Arrovo Altagracia Avila Flintoil Berger Dionte Brodie Brayan Calvo Iovani Dechert Raymond Denzmore Halbert Diaz Juan Garcia Romario Huynh Abimael Jimenez J Arturo Lasalle Daquan Little Reinaldo Martinez Ernel Martinez Nathan Massa Destiny Mitchell

#### Trumpet, cont.

Kiana Myrick Yamilez Narvaez Jorjan Ortiz Diaz Naddya Pabon Sostre Amber Packer Ioshua Pena Rafael Quinones Jose Quinones Crespo Luis Resto J Luis Rivera Ruiz Jose Rodriguez\* Jose Luis Rodriguez Angel Saez Juan Sanchez Garcia Bryan Sastre Padilla Gabriel Soto J Jenna Tiago **Joel Vasquez** Evan Wallace Shyheim Wilson

#### Trombone

Jonathan Addai-Mireku Luis Aguayo Danisha Flucker Eddie Gutierrez Eddiemar Hernandez Nazariel Melendez Kaitlyn Mercado Miguel Ramirez Kasandra Velez

#### **Baritone Horn**

Pedro Antonetti Jordan Baldwin Tyray Hayes Anita Rios

#### Percussion

Aaliyah Cintron
Marco Disantis
Ackeem Donaldson
Kyle Dumas
Daniel Haines
Lynda Mecham
Josef Miller-Smith
Rosa Perez
Heriberto Portalatin
Ashlee Rivera
Alyssa Simmons
James Thomas

#### Guitar

Alyssa Korniotes 🕽

#### CONCERT BAND & JAZZ BAND

#### Violin Melvin Medina ♦

#### Flute Anaila Aleman\* ↓ Adelmary Fernandez Lanajah Haines Cooper Tatiana Rosa

#### Daisia Stinson Jorge Perez Mendez †

#### Clarinet

Deirdre Dulin Dominique McMillan + Anthony Nascembeni Liza Ramos\* ♪ Tyra Shields\* **† ♪** Shakinah Starks\* † ♪ Dexter Thomas\*

#### **Bass Clarinet**

Herman Little\* ↓

#### Alto Saxophone

Luis Alvarado-Hernandez Jean Baez Rivera Jairo Cappas Gregory Croney

#### Alto Saxophone, cont. Ashlev DelValle\*

Brandon Lavender Davon Martin Khalif Nunnally-Rivera Alberto Perez Mendez 🕇 🕽 Migdalia Rivera\* Alton Skinner\* **† ♪** 

#### Tenor Saxophone

Elijah Beckett J Vincent Dixson Bethany Mercado Argenis Ortega William Rivera J Christine Velazquez\*

#### **Baritone Saxophone**

Carlos Cintron\* **† ♪** Matthew Shove **† ♪** 

#### Trumpet

Luis Burgos Pablo Crispin + Zavana Cruz\* Nakia Dennis + Zachary Homuth Keshab Mainali

Trumpet, cont. Nicholas Martinez\* + Jeremy Brazial Ioshua Medero Hidalgo Steven Michon Nathan Miklasiewicz\* Terrance Olmeda\* Johnny Perez Mendez Ezequiel Rodriguez Rafael Rodriguez\* **†** ↓ Amanda Starke Luis Zayas Pabellon\* ↓ Luis Sastre Padilla + Lukas Timmerman

#### Trombone

Carlos Gonzalez + 1 Natalie Rivera J Liriam Zayas Pabellon J

#### **Baritone Horn**

Iacob Delgado Marlin Gonzalez\* Anthony Pedraza Dante Ruiz Kendrick Santos Destiny Weaver

#### Tuba

Marcus Morales Antonio Narvaez\* + J

#### Percussion

Allison Chapdelaine Michael Farrell J Wayne Farrell\* † Jesse Fernandes † Kevin Gonzalez Marcel Hankins Donavon Hardy Daniel Hill Sonia Marte + Alexander McCabe Lynda Mecham † Josef Miller-Smith Wilfredo Palma Padilla Angel Perez Shanell Porter Victor Rivera Escalera Ashdon Reynolds Tyche Silvera Jacob Velez J

#### Guitar

Waylon Harris\* + ♪

#### **Bass Guitar**

Trevor Wagenbach\*

#### MADRIGAL SINGERS

#### Soprano

Brittney Baymon Rohana Brown Alondra Felpeto Shylene Limardo Ana Merced Xiomary Ortiz

#### Soprano, cont.

Tatiana Ouinones Keisha Rosario Alvssa Simmons Kathleen Tavernier Janelis Vega Wanikie Williams

#### Alto

Crystal Cotto Jessica King Jeleah Kingori Kollyn Silliker Kiana Wilkerson

#### Tenor

Andre Fraser Tvrav Haves Kevin Iiles Josua Rosa Lopez William Marquez Johnathan Quinones Angel Serrano

Dayquan Colon

#### DANCE TEAM

Thank you to all the members of the dance team for participating in tonight's performance.

#### STUDENTS EXHIBITING ARTWORK

Thank you to all the students who are exhibiting their artwork this evening.

#### SPONSORSHIP CHOICES, continued

#### Gold Sponsor / \$1,000 & Up

- ✓ Verbal recognition as a gold sponsor at all our major performances, including our annual WinterFest and ArtsAlive performances
- Printed recognition on the back cover of our concert programs
- A full page advertisement in our concert programs
- A gold sponsor advertisement on our band website
- A framed certificate of appreciation

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- ✓ Verbal recognition as a silver sponsor at all our major performances, including our annual WinterFest and ArtsAlive performances
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- A framed picture of the SciTech Band.
- A framed certificate of appreciation

#### Blue Sponsor / \$250 & Up

- ■ Printed recognition as a blue sponsor on the inside cover of our concert
   programs
- A quarter-page advertisement in our concert programs
- A blue sponsor advertisement on our band website
- A certificate of appreciation

#### **Sponsor /** \$100 & Up

- ☐ Printed recognition as a sponsor on the inside cover of our concert programs
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- A sponsor listing advertisement on our band website
- A certificate of appreciation

#### Friend $/ \leq $50.00$

- A listing in our concert programs
- A certificate of appreciation

You can sign up at the donation table located outside the auditorium during intermission or following the concert. Thank you!

## WE NEED YOU TO BECOME A 2011-2012 SCITECH BAND SPONSOR!

Goal: \$100,000



#### **CHOICES...**

#### Platinum Sponsor / \$2,500 & Up

- ☐ One private performance by a SciTech Band (subject to band director's approval & discretion)
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- Printed recognition on the back cover of our concert programs
- A full page advertisement in our concert programs
- $\blacksquare$  A platinum sponsor advertisement on our band website

## 2011-2012 STUDENT LEADERSHIP

#### **BAND COUNCIL**

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rance Olmeda

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Carlos Cintron Shakinah Starks Dexter Thomas

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Luis Zayas Pabellon

#### **Board Member Appointees**

Waylon Harris Nathan Miklasiewicz Kade Parkin

#### **SECTION LEADERS**

#### **Drum Majors**

Zavana Cruz Randy Little Antonio Narvaez

#### Woodwind Captain

John Gonzalez

#### **Brass Captain**

Marlin Gonzalez

#### **Percussion Captain**

Julio Ramos

#### Flute

Anaila Aleman

#### Clarinet

Shakinah Starks Dexter Thomas

#### Saxophones

Carlos Cintron William Robles

#### **Trumpet**

Nicholas Martinez Luis Zayas

#### Low Brass / Basses

Marlin Gonzalez

#### Guitar

Trevor Wagenbach

#### Percussion

Wayne Farrell

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