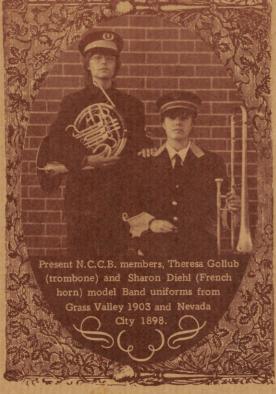


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**NEVADA COUNTY** 

# CONCERT BAND

Sun. Aug. 19-7<sub>PM</sub>

YUBA RIVER LUMBER CO. Showroom/Homecenter

> Parking Area 12391 Nevada City Hwy. Grass Valley

Sun. Aug. 26-1PM

**NEVADA COUNTY FAIR** 

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#### Overture

Washington Grays

American Folk (Rhapsody or Suite)

Down on the Farm - Baritone Solo

Seranata

German Band

Silver Moon

Brass Choir

Alley Kat

Tribute to Bacharach

Woodwind Ensemble

Organ Solo - Keith Cantrill









Chicago

Peckhorn's Revenge

Stage Band

Stage Band

Amparita Rocca

Honkey Tonk Piano - Wally Brooks

Dixieland Jamboree

Love Story

Stage Band

Londonderry Air

Whistling Boy

Colorado







Nevada County Concert Band

In the early mining days of this community the Concert Band was a driving social force. Sunday afternoon concerts followed by Pot Luck dinners and dancing. Waltzes, reels, and marches filled the air. No town worth its' salt was without a band. Townspeople proudly provided sheet music and uniforms, the latter a smashing background for the polished

brass instruments. At one time Nevada City, Grass Valley, and Town Talk each boasted a band — 3 bands within 4 miles . . . that's some pride! The Thomas Silver Cornet Band, Star & Crescent Band and the Grass Valley Brass & Reed Band were but a few of the groups playing the socials,



county fairs, and memorable occasions before Presidents.

The first conductor of record, Thomas Black — to the present conductor, Keith Cantrill have inspired band members through these 120 years. A serious development in the field of local music was spearheaded by the spark and drive of Harold George, a cornet player of renown at the turn of the century. He became conductor of the band in the early 20's following the death of conductor, Harold Green. Conducting with one hand while



playing the cornet with the other was a sight to behold. His dedication was a prime factor in keeping bands and Cornish Concerts alive.

Ernie Harries, a youthful member of the old concert band which last played in 1952, decided to reorganize the group. Starting with a few musicians (meeting

weekly to play for their own love of music) he has, 20 years later, diligently re-vitalized the love and pride of the Nevada County Concert Band — now 47 members and still growing. From Classics to Hard Rock — Sousa to Swing there is MUSIC FOR EVERYONE.

It all began in 1849 in these Sierra foothills . . . . gold, music, and people with a song in their hearts.

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The Cornish Choir

The Nevada County GQNGERT BAND

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