



# The Nevada County Concert Band

proudly presents a

## Pioneer Park Picnic Pops

concert

Directed by: Michael McAllister

July 14, 1996 - 6 PM  
Pioneer Park Bandshell  
Nevada City



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## Welcome!

Thank you for joining us for our **Pioneer Park Picnic Pops** concerts. As the official band of Nevada County, we have a rich history dating back to the days of the Cornish gold miners.

Concerts from the awning porch of the National Hotel in Nevada City, the old Jeffrey's Hall at Mill and Neal, the old Wisconsin's Hotel second story porch at Auburn and Main, and, of course, the porch of the Holbrooke Hotel in Grass Valley, filled the air with marches, overtures, waltzes, and reels.

The Nevada County Concert Band was later formed by Ernie Harries who was a Nevada City bank manager and professional musician. Playing its first formal concert in 1972, it has since participated in many community events and continues to be very active.

### 1996 Nevada County Concert Band Performance Schedule

August 11	County Fair
August 18	Pioneer Park
September 1	Lake Wildwood
September 8	Nevada City Parade

### Our Conductor

Michael McAllester, Assistant Professor of Music at North Carolina Wesleyan College, considers Nevada City to be his home town. He began playing trumpet in the Nevada County Concert Band in 1970, and graduated from Nevada Union High School in 1972. He attended Sierra College before moving on to California State University, Northridge, where in 1985 he completed a Bachelor of Music in Horn Performance while also studying conducting. Teaching and conducting were the ambitions that led him to the University of Southwestern Louisiana for his Master of Music in Conducting and eventually to his current teaching position. Mr. McAllester also conducts the Eastern North Carolina Wind Ensemble and serves as Music Director for the Playhouse Theater in Rocky Mount, NC. He is married to Elizabeth Branch (another NU graduate), now a clarinetist with the Raleigh Symphony. They have two children, Bryan and Emma, Both budding violinists.

## Today's Program

Strike Up The Band	George Gershwin
Americans We	Arr. Leonard Moss
Greensleeves	Henry Fillmore
The March From "1941"	Arr. Frederick Fennell
Londonderry Air	Traditional
Barnum and Bailey's Favorite	Arr. Alfred Reed
The Thunderer	John Williams
	Arr. Paul Lavender
	Arr. Art Dedrick
	Karl L. King
	Arr. Glenn Cliffe Bainum
	John Philip Sousa

### *Intermission*

"El Capitan"	John Philip Sousa
Sang!	Arr. Frederick Fennell
Marche Des Parachutistes Belges	Dana Wilson
La Fonda Tango	Pierre Leemans
Lullaby of Birdland	Arr. Charles A. Wiley
Washington Post March	Paul Yoder
	Forster and Shearing
	Arr. Alfred Reed
	John Philip Sousa

*Announcer:* Jack Stewart

## Band Members

### Piccolo

Alice Hostetler

### Flute

Leslie Forand

Hiromi Ikeda

Sachiyo Ikeda

Melody Lane

Sally Mayock

Janet Shelley

Anne Woodward

### Oboe/English Horn

Bill Barnhart

### Clarinet

Brandi Burke

Casy Dax

Harold George

Andrew Geisler

Jahna Geisler

Richard Geisler

Dorthy Lewis

JR Lewis

Pascal Mickelson

Jerry Pressler

Alex Scammon

### Clarinet (cont.)

Jack Stewart

Vern Swartz

### Bass Clarinet

Ginger Jackson

Julie Swartz

### Bassoon

Shylow Miller

Bob Weaver

### Saxophone

Don Brandt

Michelle Daniels

Shannon Garitty

Megan Jamison

Mary Whitmore

### French Horn

Kevin Murphy

Ron Swing

### Trumpet

Norm Brown

Bill Carlquist

Greg Goodknight

### Trumpet (cont.)

Peter Johnson

Sam Lamoure

Jim Luckinbill

Beverly Smyrnos

Pierce Stewart

### Euphonium

Everett Carrier

### Baritone

Gordy Birkholz

### Trombone

Jack Bacich

Karl Branch

Frank Doting

### Tuba

Earl Crusier

Doug Wilson

### Percussion

Alex Acuna

Norman Kies

Mark Villard

*Feel free to become a member of the Nevada County Concert Band, we welcome new talent of all ages. Practice is on Monday evenings at 6:30 p.m. at the Nevada City Bandshell during the Summer and otherwise at the First Baptist Church Grass Valley across from NUHS.*

*Information: phone (916) 265-5179*