

N. C. C. B. Members

Flute/Piccolo

Marilou Ficklin
Becky Siemers

Oboe

Alex Bauer
Jerry Foote

Bassoon

Susan Palmer

Clarinet

George Dunstan
Harold George
Bud Hermanson
Amelia Lacey
Gabrielle Lawson
Jason Woldseth

Bass Clarinet

Ginger Jackson
Ron Regan

Alto Saxophone

Casey Dax
Dorothy Lewis

Tenor Saxophone

Ellen Bell
Mary Whitmore

Baritone Saxophone

Don Brandt

Trumpet/Cornet

Ken Carter
Greg Goodknight
Giovanni Jones
Gordon Pipkin
Wayne Pittenger
Forrest Schomberg
Lou Trovato

French Horn

Matthew Lawson
Michael McAllister
Kevin Murphy
Ron Swing

Euphonium/Baritone

Everett Currier
Ladson "Ike" Geddings
Tom Larsen

Tuba

Kevin Baker

Trombone

Jack Bacich
Karl Branch
Gordon Justus
Julie Mawod

Percussion

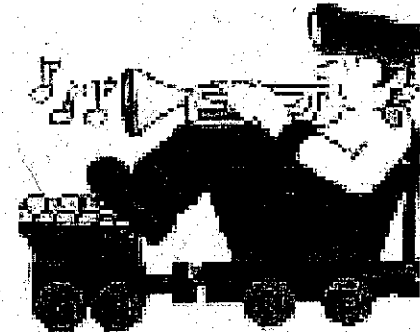
Kim Baker
Ardis Garfield
Gene Graves
Norman Kies

Piano

Karen Schwartzkopf

Nevada County Concert Band

Conducted by Patti Carter



Salute to the American Composer

April 7, 2002

Your tax deductible contribution helps make these and our other FREE performances possible. Our Band is truly a community Organization.

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Join Our Band?

Did you play an instrument when you were in school, or play one now? Whether you were lead chair or beginner, we always welcome new members. Dust off your instrument and come to a rehearsal on Monday nights to once again experience the exhilaration and comradery of rehearsals and performance. Your family and neighbors will be glad you did. For more information call: 530.477.4787 or visit our website.

Visit Our Website for all upcoming events: www.nccb.org

A Brief History

The Nevada County Concert Band owes its origin to Cornish miner immigrants from England. These Englishmen founded a number of all-brass bands in the Grass Valley/Nevada City area during the Gold Rush era of the 1850's. In those days, the bands played for parades and community celebrations.

The present organization grew from these roots and has developed into an active musical group in the region. It currently consists of a core of 40 to 60 community volunteers with varying backgrounds in the musical arts and whose members range from teens to retirees. True to its original charter, the band still performs mostly for parades and community events, including its Pioneer Park Picnic Pops Summer Series and annual appearances at the local Nevada County Fair, the Independence Day Parade and the Constitution Day Parade.

Our Conductor

Patti Carter holds a BA degree in Music Education and Music Theory and has completed post graduate work in conducting. She was a Band Director for 12 years, teaching elementary, junior high, and high school students the art of playing ensemble music. During that time, Ms. Carter served as an area Honor Band Director, Adjudicator, and Educational Seminar Leader.

Ms. Carter is also an accomplished, professional Bass Trombonist, and has completed many professional engagements; among these has been studio recording work in Los Angeles and a long-term stint with the famed Los Angeles Jazz Workshop "A" Band. She and the band traveled and played in 40 states and 6 foreign countries. While a member of these groups, she has performed with many famous musicians and conductors.

Currently, Ms. Carter is a member of the faculty of a Bay Area college as an Emergency Medical Services instructor and works part-time at the Millhous Boy's Ranch. She lives with her husband Ken (The Band Director for Nevada Union High School) and their twin 4 year old boys, Toby and Daniel, in Grass Valley.



Today's Program

- Flourish for Wind Band *R. Vaughan Williams*
 The Star Spangled Banner *arr. John Higgins*
 Washington Post March *John Philip Sousa*
 American Folk Rhapsody No. 4 *Clare Grundman*
 Chester — Overture for Band *William Schuman*

Intermission

- Eagle Squadron *Kenneth J. Alford*
 Scenes from the Sierras *David Bennett*
 Slaughter on Tenth Avenue *Richard Rodgers*
Piano Soloist Karen Schwartzkopf
 Battle Hymn of the Republic *Arr. James D. Ployhar*

Upcoming Outdoor Performance Season

<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Musical Theme</u>
May 19	5:00	Picnic and Pops Western Gateway Park	<i>Patriotic Music</i> - Stern Scholarship Awards -
June 16	5:00	Picnic and Pops Pioneer Park	<i>It's A Small World</i>
July 21	5:00	Picnic and Pops Pioneer Park	<i>A Salute to John Philip Sousa</i>
Aug. 18	5:00	Picnic and Pops Pioneer Park	<i>Swing, Swing, Swing</i>