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THE THIRD OF FOUR CONCERTS CELEBRATING 1967'S SUMMER OF LOVE



# PIONEER PARK PICNIC & POPS

SUNDAY, AUGUST 27, 2017

AT 5:00 PM

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# CONDUCTOR'S WELCOME-CHERYL WOLDSETH

# WELCOME!

Fashions fade – but style is forever.

In our third of four Picnic & Pops concerts celebrating the 50th anniversary of 1967's Summer of Love, the Nevada County Concert Band once again opens shop to provide everyone a free musical makeover with BIG HAIR! From mustaches to teased-up coiffures, I'm sure you'll enjoy our musical clips that refer to hair, grooming, and flair.

There are three special extensions to today's program. Please welcome the dancers from Patria Insurgente to perform "Mexican Hat Dance." Cameron Kopf will transform from tuba player to harpist, providing natural beauty on "Black Is the Color of my True Love's Hair." And 2017 Jerry Foote Scholarship recipient Miles Mason will complete his scholarship requirement by shining as drum soloist in the jazz number "Cute." You can read more about the dancers and the scholarship winner elsewhere in this program.

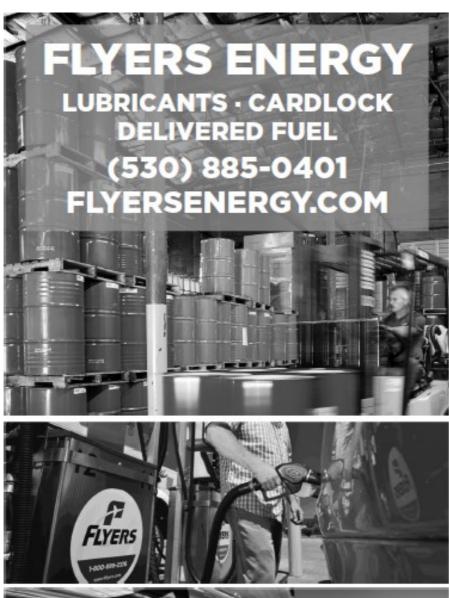
I'm sure you'll flip over our references to the Broadway show "Hair," the Disney film "Tangled" (about Rapunzel), the impeccably groomed James Bond, and the musical romantic comedy "Grease." We even highlight the 8/21/2017 eclipse! And please visit Tanya (Hairway to Heaven) to gussy up your look today – FREE – at her booth next to the Band Store.

Remember: the higher the hair, the closer to heaven!

# **OUR CONDUCTOR**

Cheryl (Sutton, Baker) Woldseth has a Bachelors of Music degree in Church Music from Westminster Choir College (Princeton, NJ), sings, and plays many instruments. In addition to conducting the Nevada County Concert Band, she performs/records/tours with Sonos Handbell Ensemble, teaches music at several local schools, performs with the Raspberry Jam Band and Blended Metal Saxophones, and has served several non-profit music organizations. She is a member of the music fraternity Sigma Alpha lota, and owns the music publishing company Bronze:FX. Cheryl lives in Grass Valley, CA.









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# A WORD FROM THE NCCBAND EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Some fun facts that you should know about the NCCBand:

- Our music library has over 1700 titles, many of which are rare original pieces written and printed in the 1800s.
- Our youngest members are aged 12 and the oldest are in their 80s.
- Our Ludwig vibraphone is older than all of them, as it was made in 1921 and is in its 96th year of use.
- There are five married couples in our band, including one couple that perform in the same section.
- The miner in the cart of our official logo is named Miner Mike. Since he has served us so well, we have given him a promotion to major so that now he is known as Major Miner Mike, musical pun intended.
- One of our tuba players toured North America with the national company of Andrew Lloyd Weber's "Phantom of the Opera" for over 12 years. He was playing French horn at the time and recently switched over to tuba.
- One of our current French Horn players is a professional flutist who once performed with James Galway.
- We are blessed with having several former or current teachers in the band, and we thank them for their commitment to shaping the future.
- An anonymous artist installed two beautifully detailed images of hummingbirds on the stone
  walls of the band shell. We have no idea how long they have been there.
- Two members of our executive committee were drum majors in high school.
- We are a "one-stop shop" for all your professional needs as we have one surgeon, several lawyers, two realtors, a banker, and a certified public accountant among our members.
- We love it when people dance in front of the band, so don't be shy. Get up and boogie!

Visit us online at <a href="http://NCCB.org">http://NCCB.org</a> regularly, and while you are there, you can sign up for updates about our seasons. We now have a "DONATE" button to make your financial support easier than ever to our non-profit organization.



# PATRIA INSURGENTE

The Nevada County Concert Band is pleased to have members from this traditional Mexican folk dance group at today's concert. Patria Insurgente in the Yuba Sutter community represents and performs the different dances and traditions of Mexico. They offer classes for

children, teenagers, and young adults.

Patria Insurgente

659 Plumas Street, Yuba City CA 95991

Contact: director Osvaldo Delgado at 530-218-1614

Facebook: Grupo de Danza Patria Insurgente

# **TODAY'S PROGRAM**

OPENER: Star Spangled Banner Frances Scott Key / C. Graufulla-Hausey

Grease! arr. John Moss

MEDLEY: We Go Together • Summer Nights • Hand Jive • Beauty School Dropout • Greased Lightning

Beatles Medley John Lennon & Paul McCartney / Andrew Balent

MEDLEY: Michelle • Eleanor Rigby • Yesterday

Our Flirtation John Philip Sousa

I See the Light (from "Tangled") Alan Menken & Glenn Slater / Richard Morrissey

performed by GOLD COUNTRY BRASS

Carmen (selection) Georges Bizet / Al Hayes

introduced by the NCCBand Players

The Summer of '69 arr. Ted Ricketts

MEDLEY: Purple Haze • Somebody to Love • Suite: Judy Blue Eyes • With a Little Help From My Friends • Soul Sacrifice • Pinball Wizard • Proud Mary

# III INTERMISSION III

Aquarius / Let the Sunshine In (from "Hair") G. Macdermot & G. Ragni

arr. Mary Whitmore & Cheryl Woldseth

performed by Blended Metal Saxophones (plus)

Cute Niel Hefti / Roy Phillippe

performed by 2017 Foote Scholarship recipient Miles Mason, drum soloist

Fantasy on "Black Is the Color of my True Love's Hair arr. Alfred Reed for woodwind choir plus bells, and harp soloist Cameron Kopf

Mexican Hat Dance F. A. Partichela / Lawrence Fogelberg
with Patria Insurgente (Osvaldo Delgado, director)

When You Wish Upon a Star (from "Pinocchio") arr. Michael Brown

Cheerio (audience sing and whistle) Edwin Franko Goldman

Bond... James Bond arr. Stephen Bulla

MEDLEY: Theme • Goldfinger • Nobody Does It Better • Skyfall • Live and Let Die

**ENCORE: 1915 March** B.C. Bridges / Cheryl Woldseth

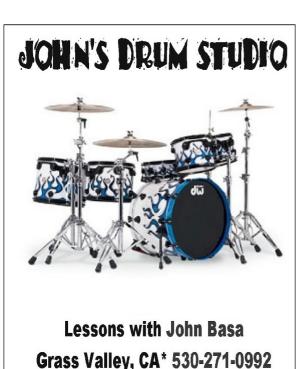
# **JERRY FOOTE SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT 2017**

Miles Mason, Drums



My drumming career started in kindergarten, when my parents signed me up for a drum line program that a remarkably kind woman started in Foresthill. That lasted about one year, and after it was over, I forgot about most of it. Then I entered fourth grade, and the middle school band asked me to join their program. My dad had me playing soccer, and, to put it kindly, I did not like soccer at all. My first response was, "If I join the band, will it get me out of soccer?" My mom said that it would, and once she decides something there is little my dad can do to stop it. So I joined the band. I originally had no plans of continuing and was only in it to get out of sports. But, well, I fell in love with drumming. I started taking outside lessons, and a new teacher Tom Candlish took over as the band director. He taught me a lot of what I know today, and I met a lot of great people in that band. But my drumming really went into overdrive when I joined the Nevada County Concert Band in seventh grade. I met my current

teacher, John Basa, and began taking lessons from him when I entered high school. And, well, now I'm here, with the great privilege of receiving the Jerry Foote scholarship. I'm currently a senior at Ghidotti Early College High School, and I plan on attending the University of California at San Diego as a Political Science and Accounting major (with a minor in Music).



# Bear River Music Boosters



Supporting the Bear River Band & Choir Programs both financially & physically.

#### 2017

Dec 2 — "Swing into the Night" Big Band Community
Dance, 7 — 10 pm
Dec 7 & 8 — "Winter Choral Concert", 7 — 9 pm

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#### 2018

Jan 25 – "Winter Winds" Band Concert, 7 – 8:30 pm
March 2 & 3 – "Fantasy of Stars" Show Choir / Vocal
Jazz Festival, 7 pm (2 pm Matinee Sat)
May 18 & 19 – "Puttin' on the Ritz" Choir Concert,
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Bill Powell (+English horn,

Eb clarinet)

#### BASSOON

Bruce Piner

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Jane Boettger

Mellony Coleman

Shirley Dean

Noah Grove

Patsy Hannebrink

Michael Ireland

Janys Jordan

David Lake

Joelle Lake

Joel Livingston

Stephannie Marquis

Daron Scarborough

Jan Woldseth (+tenor sax) 3

#### **BASS CLARINET**

Ginger Jackson

#### **ALTO SAXOPHONE**

Gary Anderson<sup>3</sup>

Andrea McKibben 3

Mary Whitmore (+soprano) 2,3

Lori Yarborough\*

#### **TENOR SAXOPHONE**

Ted Lindberg

Mark Potampa

Tim Proffitt 3

Zachary Riner

Caitlyn Warwick

**Douglas Whitney** 

Jackson Witt

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Ellen Bell 3

Julie Gustafson 3

Richard Murdock

# TRUMPET/CORNET

Mike Bankston (+Eb cornet)

Karin Hofland

Jim Luckinbill

Ryan McKibben

Ralph Remick

Alex Rosprim

Forrest Schomberg <sup>1</sup>

John Smiley 1

Ted Zalkind

#### FRENCH HORN

Kate Thoreson Hershberger

Richard Morrissey 1

Kirsti Powell

Caleb Richev 2

Pat Rosales

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Alden Denny

**David Edwards** 

Larry Faller

Chris Hofland

Doug Miner (bass)

Nicole Riner

Mike Sarringar 1

Jason Woldseth

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Lou Troyato

#### TUBA

Cameron Kopf (+harp)

Mark Meeker

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John Basa

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Patria Insurgente

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Kathy Williams, programs

Gold Country Brass

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> NCCBand Players

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Blended Metal Saxophones

# FROM WITHIN THE NCCBAND

Playing a variety of pop, jazz, folk, romantic, show tunes, and classic favorites, NCCBand ensembles can bring a lively toetapping, finger-snapping, fun ambience to enhance your celebration. The groups are available for hire to play at school and church events, fundraisers, retirement parties, weddings, birthday parties, and family reunions, at all types of venues, both indoor and out.

Turn your fundraiser into a FUNraiser by booking one of our ensembles to play at your next event!

# TWISTED LICORICE



Twisted Licorice is Nevada County Concert Band's affiliated Clarinet Ensemble. We enjoy playing a wide variety of music styles from the Classical, Romantic and modern periods, traditional songs through smooth swing and jazz. We also offer a Christmas Holiday repertoire. We have performed for formal and informal concert settings, accompanied dinner/party events and ceremonies.

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# **UPCOMING EVENTS FOR 2017**

# Sunday September 3, 2017, 5:00—6:30pm

Labor Day concert (for Lake Wildwood residents only), Commodore Park, Penn Valley

# Saturday September 9, 2017, 4:30 - 6:15pm

Pops concert as part of Constitution Day Celebration events on North Pine Street (closed to traffic), Nevada City

# Sunday September 10, 2017, 5:00 - 6:30pm

Picnic & Pops Concert #4 (open to the public) at Alta Sierra Country Club, theme "Summers of Love – Sunday Night Live"

# Sunday November 26, 2017, 3:00 - 4:30pm

"Old-Fashioned Holiday" concert, The Center for the Arts, Grass Valley,

#### **OUR ROOTS**

Nevada County's love affair with music started at the very beginning of our county's existence. As people poured in for the great Gold Rush of 1849, they brought their own traditions and music. In Europe and the eastern U.S., homegrown volunteer bands were a large part of a town's identity and source of pride. The Cornish people who populated this area of the Gold Country were particularly proud of their musical roots and heritage. Practically every mine, club, school, and service organization in Nevada County had a band in the early days. In 1861, the Grass Valley Band was formed to combine the many groups, and our current band directly traces its roots to this one. Despite this consolidation, many other bands continued to flourish and played for thrilled audiences at dances, celebrations, parades, and other social events. These included bands formed in Nevada City, Sierra City, North Bloomfield, North Columbia, and the little town of Washington.

In the 20<sup>th</sup> century, the Grass Valley Band extended its reach and played at state fairs as well as the famous 1915 Panama-Pacific Exhibition in San Francisco. During that period, one of its musicians, B.C. Bridges, composed a piece especially for the band that you will hear today—the "1915"



March." In the 1920s, the Grass Valley Band was led by Harold J. George, who continued as its leader for over 40 years, and was also conductor for the Cornish Choir. Saturday night concerts during the warm summer months at the Grass Valley Park bandstand were a tradition during this time. Today, we carry on this local tradition of free music at Pioneer Park in Nevada City and other venues throughout the county.

Read more about the NCCBand's history and heritage on our website.

#### JERRY FOOTE SCHOLARSHIP FUND

An oboe and English horn player, Jerry was an active member of the Nevada County Concert Band. This scholarship was established to honor Jerry's memory to promote development of young musicians in our community, to benefit local music education programs, and to support local private music teachers. Details about the scholarship are available at http://nccb.org.



Congratulations to our 2017 Foote Scholarship recipients! **Miles Mason** will perform Neil Hefti's big band jazz number "Cute" at today's concert. **Noah Grove** will perform "Concertino, Op. 26 by Carl Maria von Weber at our November 26 concert.



Noah Grove, clarinet

Miles Mason, drums

Suppose the singing birds musicians,
The grass whereon thou tread'st
the presence strew'd,
The flowers fair ladies, and thy steps no more
Than a delightful measure or a dance;
For gnarling sorrow hath less power to bite
The man that mocks at it and sets it light.

Richard II, John of Gaunt Act I, Scene 3

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- SPD Market, Nevada City —"Thanks for all the ice!"
- Grocery Outlet and other merchants for their generous donations of water for the band
- Patria Insurgente for their participation in our event!

- A Big Thank You to our Big Hair Master Stylist,
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- Thanks to the Roamin' Angels for bringing their awesome "sweet rides" to our Burning Band concert last month!



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