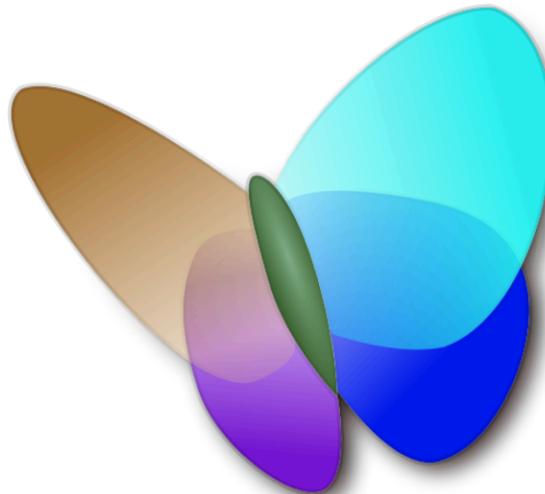


**The Wamego
Middle and High School
Bands**
present



2026
BAND SPRING
SPECTACULAR

Conducted by
Chris Richmond and Susan Gartner
Student Teacher- Grace Woydziak

Monday, March 2nd
6:30 p.m.
Wamego High School Auditorium

Reminder - Please turn all cell phones to silent during the performance

6th Grade Band

Kitty Hawk March.....	John Edmondson
Classical Canon.....	Franz J. Haydn/ arr. Magill
Montezuma's Castle.....	John Edmondson
Dr. Rock.....	Chuck Elledge

7th Grade Band

Green Mountain Rhapsody.....	Anne McGinty
Theme from "Jurassic Park".....	John Williams/ arr. Sweeney
Greenbrier March.....	John Edmondson
Sakura.....	arr. Elliot Del Borgo

8th Grade Band

Encanto.....	Robert W. Smith
Home on the Range.....	arr. James Barnes
Abracadabra.....	Frank Ticheli

Please remain seated until all the performers have exited the auditorium.

Wamego High School Concert Band

English Folk Song Suite.....Ralph Vaughan Williams
Mvt. I - "Seventeen Come Sunday"

Composed for military band, this movement premiered in 1923 at Kneller Hall. It is the first of three movements in the Folk Song Suite, which is arguably Vaughan Williams' most famous work for band. The first movement of Ralph Vaughan Williams' "English Folk Song Suite," subtitled "March – 'Seventeen Come Sunday,'" is a vibrant 1923 military band piece. It combines three distinct folk songs—"Seventeen Come Sunday," "Pretty Caroline," and "Dives and Lazarus."

Sweet Dreams.....Tyler S. Grant
Student Teacher - Grace Woydziak

"Sweet Dreams" is a musical portrait of the peace and innocence found in a sleeping infant. Rather than functioning as a simple nursery-style piece, Grant employs lush orchestration and soaring melodic lines to convey the profound sense of calm and tenderness a parent experiences while watching their child sleep. The work opens with delicate colors in the mallet percussion and piano, establishing a shimmering, ethereal atmosphere. As the piece unfolds, the ensemble moves through moments of warmth and gentle intensity, reflecting the emotional depth suggested by the title.

Choose Joy.....Randall Standridge

Inspired by a high school student—Nicole Crandall—who found happy moments even in the face of cancer, this uplifting work combines engaging rhythms, energetic melodies, bombastic percussion, and hints of Beethoven's Ode to Joy...the five note motive representing the five members of Nicole's family and a trio of flute, clarinet, and saxophone representing the instruments Nicole and her sisters played in band... to create a message of positivity for performers and audiences alike.

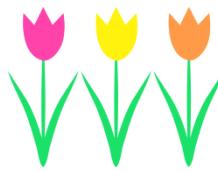
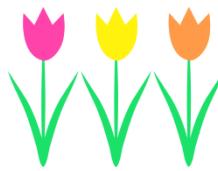
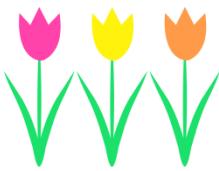
Symphony No. 1.....Daniel Bukvich

In Memoriam, Dresden, Germany 1945

On the night of February 13th, 1945, Allied forces fire-bombed the undefended German city of Dresden. Swollen by the flow of refugees fleeing the advancing Russian army to almost twice its normal population, the bombing and resulting firestorm killed approximately 25,000 men, women, and children.

Amparito Roca (March).....Jaime Texidor

Amparito Roca was composed in 1925 by Spanish musician, conductor and composer Jaime Texidor. Its first performance took place in September of 1925 in the theater El Siglo in the town of Carlet where the composer lived at the time. It is a pasodoble and one of the better-known pieces of Spanish music around the world. The score was published in Madrid later in 1925 by Música Moderna. Paso dobles became very popular with U.S. Bands throughout the sixties and a few of those, including *Amparito Roca*, have remained a part of established concert band repertoire.



Wamego Middle School 6th Grade Band

<u>Flutes</u>	<u>Bass Clarinet</u>	<u>Trumpets</u>	<u>Trombones</u>
Addilyn Delay	Kyler Womack	Regan Baum	Camden Bellinder
Yndilon Garcia		Samuel Beaubien	Alyssa Haselhorst
Ayla Gunderson	<u>Alto Saxes</u>	Aaliyah Carpenter	Ady Hudson
Trinity Johnson	Jaiden Armstrong-Elliot	Kenworth Cottrell	Grayson Moody
Hadley King	Kaylee Collins	Rhett Daly	Rylan Rhoads
Alyceya Pugh	Cooper Gallagher	Caiden Fath	
Jace Ritter	Brecklyn Goehring	Annaleece Geyer	<u>Baritones</u>
Victoria Smith	Charlotte Kreider	Ashlynn Hermesch	Jax Kugler
Ruger Stratton	Elizabeth Miksch	Michael Jacenko	Amari Payne
Courtney Thorn	Tyler Shaw	Lincoln Learned	
Kitra Ward	Audrey Ten Eyck	Bryson Lindeman	<u>Percussion</u>
	Laela Valdivia	Will Lutter	Levi Baker
<u>Clarinets</u>		Isaac Meitler	Aleyx Cheeseman
Emma Hall	<u>Horn</u>	Destin Schultz	Allie Haskins
Reagan Jones	Joey Fry	Foster Smith	James Katt
Payton Lattimer		Noah Stinson	Makayla Molz
Izzy Melton		Sam Wickenhauser	Andrew Weis
Sundaye Morris			Alice Yonning
Anika Warner			
Journey Waugh			

7th Grade Band

<u>Flutes</u>	<u>Alto Saxes</u>	<u>Trumpets</u>	<u>Trombones</u>
Nia Dugan	Corbyn Baker	Rowan Allenbaugh	Cooper Gann
Ivy Feathers	Jack Horton	Cody Balver	Levi Lancaster
Adlee Geyer	Madison Hupe	Alexa Brock	Declan Murphy
Myla McMurray	Evie Tolle	Brylin Cady	Pippa Pugh
EmmaLynn Sampson		Grayson Hopkins	Brodey Spiker
Jaidyn Weeks	<u>Tenor Sax</u>	Isaac Magette	Paxton Stream
Sophia Yarnell	Jaxen Tilton	Blaine Schmidt	Jackson Thorn
		Isabella Scott	Owen Walsh
<u>Clarinets</u>	<u>Baritone Sax</u>	Harper Sibert	
Brooklyn Bailey	John Massieon		<u>Tuba</u>
Evelyn Blackwell			Bryce Deines
Emma Douglass	<u>French Horn</u>		
Faith McCarter	Niah Page	<u>Percussion</u>	<u>Percussion (cont.)</u>
Serinity Moeller		Diego Chamberlain	Dakota Muetting
Marina Sprenkle	<u>Bass Clarinet</u>	Lilley Foster	Claire Rossow
Sadie Williams	Amelia Breault	Joseph Hawley	Lilly Stanhope
		Caden Herman	Parker Williams

8th Grade Band

<u>Flutes</u>	<u>Bass Clarinet</u>	<u>Trumpets</u>	<u>Trombones</u>
Mallory Billings	Jackson Beatty	Jaxxon Baker	Blake Blume
Sara Jacobs		Oliver Biggs	Korban Campbell
Maddi Van Petten-Reid	<u>Alto Saxes</u>	Andrew Coleman	Cayson Costello
	Ainsley Couchman	Lillian Cooper	Bella Eastman
<u>Oboe</u>	Creighton Ferris	Ella Foster	Emily Fry
Marjorie Clark	Carson Herman	TJ Frasier	Will Solida
		Lily Hall	Charlotte Woodworth
<u>Clarinets</u>	<u>Tenor Sax</u>	JJ Rhoads	Lauren Yakel
Marabelle Aldridge	Brogun Newell	Aubrianna Rhoads	
Morgynn Biggs		Leyton Sisco	
Brenn Blume	<u>Baritone Sax</u>		<u>Percussion</u>
Malia Collins	Billy Hekel	<u>Baritones</u>	Calister Baker
Logan Lakin		Dane Sheldon	Aiden Delay
Aubrey Ritter			Remington Estes
Nathan Shaw	<u>French Horns</u>	<u>Tubas</u>	Katelyn Willhite
	Lucy Ross	Carter Stansbury	
	Jordyn Siefkes	Kane Yonning	

2026 WHS Concert Band

<u>Flutes</u>	<u>Clarinets (cont.)</u>	<u>Trumpets (cont.)</u>	<u>Trombones (cont.)</u>
Landyn Baker	Lacy Vestal	Alex Keyser	Lauren Lane
Vaella Boothe	Eva Wildin	Landon Lakin	Asher Long
Amelliah Budreau		Maggie McCune	Lucas Magette
Haylee Garoutte	<u>Bass Clarinet</u>	Colleen Murphy	Carter Reeves
Rayya Hermesch	Amelia Peterson	Spencer Peterson	DeLanie Rhoads
Cloe Learned		Anthony Raine	Kelton Ross
Bethany McCarter	<u>Alto Saxes</u>		Maddie Sheldon
Rochelle Ready	Ash Andersen		Cooper Slagle
Gemma Salas	Carsyn Baker	<u>Baritones</u>	Malachi Weimer
Katherine Shea	David Benson	Hailey Gabrielson	Mariah Woodyard
Gracie Sievert	Andrew Chainey	Grace Moulton	Claire Zachgo
Allie Sprenkle	Caden Figge	Emily Santana	
Rose Weimer	Liam Ten Eyck		<u>Percussion</u>
Julianna Willhite	Jaxson Thomas	<u>Tubas</u>	Patrick Bailey
		Laura Benson	James Bearman
<u>Bassoon</u>	<u>Tenor Saxes</u>	Andrew Miksch	Jaxson Breault
Graci Clark	Tatiana Conley	Michael Molz	Bentley Brown
	Fletcher Cutting	Cal Nichols	Ian Burdett
<u>Clarinets</u>	Aiden Webb		Logyn Evans
Austyn Baum		<u>Bass Guitar</u>	Annie Jantz
Trevin Brock	<u>French Horn</u>	CJ Totten	Kash Kinser
Estevan Donez	Kathryn O'Konski		Logan Linsey
Kinlee Jeffrey		<u>Trombones</u>	Gabe McCall
Jordan Jones	<u>Trumpets</u>	Will Adams	Zayden McKenna
Victoria Kessler	Luke Ault	Evan Austin	Rowan McNeil
Daniel Keyser	Greyson Bailey	Caleb Bremeyer	Nathan Rice
Peter Miller	Atreyu Benton	Clara Burgess	Jakob Sampson
Leah Sisco	Charleston Bodiford	James Gartner	Ally Solida
Isabella Stream	Amelia Hupe	Michael Hermesch	Charleigh Yarnell

Upcoming Band Events:

Mar. 31- Fine Arts Night 7:00 p.m. (Jazz Band- HS Aud)

Apr. 11- Regional Solo and Ensemble Festival (Manhattan)

Apr. 15- State Large Group Festival (Beloit)

Apr. 22- District Jazz Tour

Apr. 24- State Solo & Ensemble Recital 7:00 p.m. (HS Band Room)

Apr. 25- State Solo and Ensemble Festival (Andover)

May 2- Middle School Band Festival (HS all day)

May 7- HS Spring Concert 7:00 p.m. (HS Aud)

May 14- 6th-8th Grade Band Concert 6:30 p.m. (MS)

May 17- HS Graduation 2:00 p.m.



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An event like tonight doesn't happen spontaneously—it takes a lot of willing hands and giving hearts. In the same way, a successful music program takes hard working teachers, a supportive administration, and an active parent support group. The Wamego Music Boosters, previously a small handful of truly dedicated parents, has recently grown and is looking for more parents interested in the future of music in the Wamego schools.

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