

The Colorado Middle All-State Choir Governing Board presents the

Colorado Middle
ALL STATE CHOIR

2014

WOMEN'S CHOIR

Laura Farnell, Conductor
Nicole London, Accompanist

MEN'S CHOIR

Dr. Patrick Freer, Conductor
Daniel Graeber, Accompanist

BellCo Theatre, Colorado Convention Center, Denver
Friday, February 7th, 2014 at 7:00 PM



The Colorado Middle All State Choir Governing Board

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CONCERT PROGRAM

I.

- Laudate Dominum Vivaldi, arr. Liebergen
Danny Boy Irish Folk Song, arr. Patterson
You are My Music Laura Farnell
Je Le Vous Dirai!..... Certon, arr. Leavitt
Dance on My Heart Allen Koepke

Women's Choir – Laura Farnell, Conductor

Nicole London, Accompanist
Dr. MaryAnn Brilleslyper, Oboist

II.

- Come Travel With Me Scott Farthing
Kyrie Eleison Dan Davison
Colorado Trail American Folk Song, arr. Moore
Solstice Tim Sarsany

I. Friendship Dance
II. Medicine Wheel
III. Songs from the Ancient Lodge

Men's Choir – Dr. Patrick Freer, Conductor

Daniel Graeber, Accompanist
Leah Savin, Lindsay Day, Ray Hootman, Drums; Helen Threlkeld, Flute

III.

- Set Me as a Seal John Leavitt
Music, Lead the Way! Laura Farnell

Combined Choirs

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Soprano I

Maddie Abbott, Everitt Middle School
Sara Al-Bazali, Denver School of the Arts
Delaney Atkinson, Cimarron Middle School
Lauren Barnes, Discovery Canyon Campus
Jordan Bautch, Karval School
Kaitlyn Becker, Weld Central Middle School
Sasha Booth, Prairie Middle School
Maisie Bowdouris, Denver School of the Arts
Meg Brilleslyper, Discovery Canyon Campus
Maya Branch, Sabin Middle School
Cidney Brown, Sterling Middle School
Lucia Cappella, Denver School of the Arts
Maddie Carpenter, Ranch View Middle School
Emma Cook, East Middle School (GJ)
Mikaela Dailey, Falcon Creek Middle School
Hailey Dalton, Chappelow K-8 Magnet School
Macy Davis, D'Evelyn Jr./High School
Lindsay Day, Denver School of the Arts
Amanda Dillon, Lyons Middle-Senior High School
Anita Falcon, Sabin Middle School
Rachel Foote, Westview Middle School
Kayleigh Franklin, Jenkins Middle School
Kirstyn Fritzler, Sterling Middle School
Sarah Garcia, Vikan Middle School
Taylee Hardin, Liberty Middle School
Hannah Haygood, Jenkins Middle School
Claire Hoenn, Denver School of the Arts
Hannah Hrbek, Discovery Canyon Campus
Stacy Hsu, Summit Middle School
Camille Lamarque, Southern Hills Middle School

Alaira Leafgreen, Fox Ridge Middle School
Ashley Love, Cresthill Middle School
Audra Jones, Monarch K-8 School
Ashlyn Key, Sagewood Middle School
Amanda Kopf, Campus Middle School
Margaret McCracken, Redlands Middle School
Claire Mc Inerney, Altona Middle School
Madison Moran, Oberon Middle School
Sarita Narayanswamy, Southern Hills Middle School
Gianna Neathammner, Denver School of the Arts
Tina Nguyen, Kinard Middle School
Jazz Palmer, Kinard Middle School
Izabella Passey, West Middle School (GJ)
Audrey Pettner, Kinard Middle School
Sarah Prather, Manitou Springs Middle School
Grace Reeves, Sterling Middle School
Brittany Ricks, Discovery Canyon Campus
Leah Savin, Denver School of the Arts
Josie Sitton, Cortez Middle School
Sharon Smith, Russell Middle School
Anneliese Soller, Skyview Middle School
Ruth Teame, Prairie Middle School
Taleah Thomas, Sterling Middle School
Chersti Thompson, Laredo Middle School
Darcy Traynor, Altona Middle School
Madyson Veve, Erie Middle School
Rhea Verma, Fox Ridge Middle School
Jasmine Virgil, Sterling Middle School
Julia Webb, Trail Ridge Middle School
Leela Weems, Jenkins Middle School

Soprano II

Faith Anderson, Southern Hills Middle School
Grace Anolin, Denver School of the Arts
Madeline Asay, Holmes Middle School
Jane Baker, Oberon Middle School
Ashley Beacham, Russell Middle School
Emily Bechtel, Southern Hills Middle School
Lindsey Bertoldo, Swallows Charter Academy
Brooke Bowman, Woodland Park Middle School
Andrea Boza, Southern Hills Middle School
Kiera Brown, Discovery Canyon Campus
Aubrey Burr, Windsor Middle School
Katie Byrne, Westview Middle School
Rachel Calkum, Limon Middle School
Lauren Campbell, Erie Middle School
Kacey Chen, Escalante Middle School
Cailen Chinn, Nevin Platt Middle School
Astrid Cole, Denver School of the Arts
Erin Crane, Erie Middle School
Danielle Curtis, Woodland Park Middle School
Nikki Dodge, Weld Central Middle School
Hanna Dotson, Falcon Creek Middle School
Grace Dow, Erie Middle School

Camaryn Doyle, Sabin Middle School
Chloe Drye, Holmes Middle School
Nina Eisenberg, Altona Middle School
Regan Fenske, Ranch View Middle School
Emily Fernandes, Prairie Middle School
Allison Fisher, Southern Hills Middle School
Liza Flora, Campus Middle School
Mia Fox, Nevin Platt Middle School
Heidi Frazier, Slavens K-8 School
Katherine Goodall, Mountain Ridge Middle School
Tatum Graf, Discovery Canyon Campus
Cassandra Greene, Riverside Middle School
Alpin Hanson-Holladay, Escalante Middle School
Erykah Hill-Luna, Holmes Middle School
Tara Hitchcock, Westview Middle School
Shelby Houser, Sterling Middle School
Alexa Huesgen-Hobbs, Holmes Middle School
Kathryn Jordan, West Middle School (GJ)
Stephanie Kehoe, Riverside Middle School
Bailey Klinger, The Manning School
Brynn Kuykendall, Sabin Middle School
Linnea Lee, Discovery Canyon Campus

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Soprano II (continued)

Audrey Lofthouse, Discovery Canyon Campus
Abbie Mahnken, Cimarron Middle School
Lorena Majors-Hernandez, Denver School of the Arts
Melissa Marshall, Campus Middle School
Meryn Martinchick, Kindard Middle School
Grace Martinson, Altona Middle School
Emily McCracken, Olathe Middle School
Gabi Meyer, Southern Hills Middle School
Bailey Miller, Falcon Creek Middle School
Hannah Mills, Laredo Middle School
Audrey Nelson, Ranch View Middle School
Brenna Nelson, Mountain Ridge Middle School
Olivia Nikkari, East Middle School (GJ)
Catherine O'Hara, Oberon Middle School

Grace O'Toole, Oberon Middle School
Christina Otte, Altona Middle School
Grace Paintin, Limon Middle School
Val Perse, Fox Ridge Middle School
Claire Peshut, Denver School of the Arts
Alexandria Porras, Laredo Middle School
Clarice Reiner, Oberon Middle School
Maia Rocklin, Ranch View Middle School
Aubrey Sewell, Southern Hills Middle School
Annie Simpson, Ranch View Middle School
Samantha Smith, Fox Ridge Middle School
Morgan Schramm, Kinard Middle School
Rowan Stormo Flanagan, Nevin Platt Middle School
Camila Tamarez, Mountain Ridge Middle School

Alto

Isabel Avila, Laredo Middle School
Mackenzie Becerra, Weld Central Middle School
Annalise Beisterfeld, The Manning School
Noel Bland, Kunsmiller Creative Arts Academy
Athena Bowker, Wayne Carle Middle School
Addi Bowman, Windsor Middle School
Ashlynn Bradley, Russell Middle School
Alia Brand, Erie Middle School
Hailey Brown, Corwin International Magnet School
Hannah Bruce, Altona Middle School
Anna Bullock, Cortez Middle School
Jillian Bush, Sabin Middle School
Nisha Caiozzi, Denver School of the Arts
Maya Christo, Campus Middle School
Audrey Collins, Discovery Canyon Campus
Anisha Das, Falcon Creek Middle School
Meron Demeke, Laredo Middle School
Elizabeth Dupuis-Spiva, Prairie Middle School
Gabriella Esquibel, Kunsmiller Creative Academy
Samantha Gardner, Skyview Middle School
Mariah Gohson, Sterling Middle School
Rebecca Han, Challenger Middle School
Rachel Harris, Colorado Academy
Lauren Hart, Discovery Canyon Campus
Ray Hootman, Denver School of the Arts
Isabel Horst, Oberon Middle School
Melody Jacobsen, West Middle School (GJ)
Jeyani James, Mesa Middle School
Devon Johanningmeier, Denver School of the Arts
Coco Justino, Denver School of the Arts
Kaitlyn Kane, Vikan Middle School
Lauren Keel, Summit Middle School
Jade Keomanivong, Prairie Middle School
Skylar King, Cortez Middle School
Katie Ko, Kinard Middle School

Riley Krehbiel, Windsor Middle School
Kathryn Laforte, Falcon Creek Middle School
Brenna Lambrecht, Vikan Middle School
Renee Lane, Sabin Middle School
McKenna Langford, Escalante Middle School
Sarah Lofland, Everitt Middle School
Alyssa Millard, Nevin Platt Middle School
Noopur Naik, Discovery Canyon Campus
Jasmine Odell, Sabin Middle School
Paola Ortiz, Riverside Middle School
Autumn Palmer, Holmes Middle School
Kori Penfold, Sterling Middle School
Corrin Perry, Limon Middle School
Anna Raedeke, Denver School of the Arts
Nathalie Richards, Denver School of the Arts
Charley Rodgers, Sabin Middle School
Zelda Rogers, Denver School of the Arts
Tristan Romero, Skyview Middle School
Dakota Schneider, Sterling Middle School
Felicity Slade, Windsor Middle School
Kaylee Smith, Challenger Middle School
Lauren Solano, Fox Ridge Middle School
Megan Sterrett, Wayne Carle Middle School
Anastasia Therianos, Liberty Middle School
Brianna VanRope, Cortez Middle School
Sneha Varanasi, Broomfield Academy
Jenna Vigil, Ranch View Middle School
Holly Vose, The Manning School
Livia Walker, Nevin Platt Middle School
Taylor Watson, Fox Ridge Middle School
Kylie Wieand, Prairie Middle School
Rachel Winnick, Discovery Canyon Campus
Tabitha Willden, Laredo Middle School
Rachel Zekowski, The Manning School
Annalea Zhao, Kinard Middle School

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Tenor I

Ryan Adler, Westview Middle School
Jace Baldwin, Falcon Creek Middle School
Bashir Bazr Bachi, Horizon Middle School
Liam Benson, Sunset Middle School
Kevin Castaneda, Kunsmiller Creative Arts Academy
Jacob Chrisman, Sterling Academy
Ryan Colley, Escalante Middle School
Nick Devine, Campus Middle School
Michael Duncan, Denver School of the Arts
Jaden Duncanson, Trail Ridge Middle School
Justin Ferrugia, Colorado Academy
Zach Harker, Kinard Middle School
Kamden Heintz, Falcon Creek Middle School
Matthew Himle, Laredo Middle School
Cameron Holland, Southern Hills Middle School
Wyatt Johnson, The Manning School
Lance Kemp, Escalante Middle School
Joshua Kendall, Holmes Middle School

Unomi Koshari, Scott Carpenter Middle School
Matthew Laforte, Falcon Creek Middle School
Jack Mangine, Nevin Platt Middle School
Jonah Marlow, Holmes Middle School
Nathan Mayer, Denver School of the Arts
Sachin Mehta, Colorado Academy
Justin Miller, Discovery Canyon Campus
Ryan Oliver, Nevin Platt Middle School
Rene Perez, Denver School of the Arts
Joey Prendergast, Westview Middle School
Caden Rhatican, Campus Middle School
Ben Roswell, Colorado Academy
Wyatt Sales, Southern Hills Middle School
Zander Salyers, Sterling Middle School
Jared Scott, Campus Middle School
Elijah Weekley, Lyons Middle-Senior High School
William Wikowsky, Falcon Creek Middle School
Benji Willet, Altona

Tenor II

Sean Adams, Oberon Middle School
Brett Barban, Ranch View Middle School
Jacob Browning, Mesa Middle School
Matthew Breidt, Kinard Middle School
Jeremy Brown, Nevin Platt Middle School
Brian Cain, Ranch View Middle School
Caleb Carlson, Laredo Middle School
Noah Cisna, Sabin Middle School
Benjamin Cochran, Discovery Canyon Campus
Ray Cruz, Altona Middle School
Will Cutchen, Kinard Middle School
Bradley Davis, Mountain Ridge Middle School
Hagan Delaney, Westview Middle School
Coleman Deuschle, Erie Middle School
Jared Escobar, The Manning School
Nicholas Garcia, Mountain Ridge Middle School
Sam Glaser, Slavens K-8 School

Jayson Glidden, Newton Middle School
Ben Guy, Sabin Middle School
Alec Hanchett, Ranch View Middle School
Peter Krausa, The Manning School
Jacob Maki, Woodland Park Middle School
Riley Meisner, Sterling Middle School
Chris Miller, Southern Hills Middle School
Cody Murrow, Newton Middle School
Alexander Myers, Laredo Middle School
Mason Nack, Ranch View Middle School
Ethan Rader Hunt, Horizon Middle School
Pablo Rivero, Southern Hills Middle School
Jared Sowa, Jenkins Middle School
Samuel Stech, Riverside Middle School
Cade Sundgaard, Discovery Canyon Campus
Matthew Tyler, Kinard Middle School

Baritone/Bass

Blake Blakeslee, Oberon Middle School
Joey Bruns, Woodland Park Middle School
Greg Cain, Colorado Academy
Matthew Chaudhary-Mesdag, Discovery Canyon
Aaron Choi, Sagewood Middle School
Trevor Cosby, Liberty Middle School
Henry Daniels, Cimarron Middle School
Carson Goss, Corwin International Magnet School
Kale Hall, Cortez Middle School
Nathan Higgs, Wayne Carle Middle School
Peter Kennedy, Nevin Platt Middle School
Fletcher Kim, Denver School of the Arts
Nicholas Koeser, Jenkins Middle School
Marshall Marrs, The Manning School
Patrick Ortiz, Manitou Springs Middle School
Timothy Pamintuan, Fox Ridge Middle School
Kade Partington, Cortez Middle School

Gabe Patton, Russell Middle School
Andreas Perea, Everitt Middle School
Dennis Phinney, Mesa Middle School
Joel Potter, Corwin International Magnet School
Ethan Roberts, Slavens K-8 School
Kobe Samuel, Prairie Middle School
Kevin Shelley, Sabin Middle School
Kevin Sidabutar, Prairie Middle School
Collin Sinclair, Ranch View Middle School
Josh Soto, Westview Middle School
Daniel Trevino, Erie Middle School
Jack Van Gilder, Colorado Academy
Nelson Walker, Sunset Middle School
Zach Walker, Kinard Middle School
Chris Warren, Southern Hills Middle School
Joseph Wersch, Prairie Middle School

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Beth Miller, Altona Middle School
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Lori May, Falcon Creek Middle School
Shannon Schell, Fox Ridge Middle School
Candace Hahn, Holmes Middle School
Roxann Fromm, Horizon Community Middle School
Lori Koeser, Jenkins Middle School
Anne Savage, Karval School
Scott Wheeler, Kinard Core Knowledge Middle School
Sarah Burton, Kunsmiller Creative Arts Academy
Clare Ingolia, Laredo Middle School
Seth Rouch, Liberty Middle School
Deborah Carr, Limon Middle School
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Shawna Mendez, The Manning School
Sandra Browning, Mesa Middle School
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Jessica Naramore, Mountain Ridge Middle School
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Karen Gilchrist, Ranchview Middle School
Tanner Kelly, Ranchview Middle School
Scott Betts, Redlands Middle School
Keith Bushman, Riverside Middle School
Nathan Wubbena, Riverside Middle School
Renee' Tabet, Russell Middle School
Vicky Chiles, Sabin Middle School
Marsha Anema, Sagewood Middle School
Tara U'Ren, Scott Carpenter Middle School
Harriet Jarmon, Skyview Middle School
Lizabeth Barnett, Slavens K-8 School
Tina Dozauer-Ray, Southern Hills Middle School
Annette Lambrecht, Sterling Middle School
Amy Austin, Summit Middle School
Romaine Anderson, Sunset Middle School
Jason Burns, Swallows Charter Academy
Sue Williamson, Trail Ridge Middle School
Ann Mielke, Vikan Middle School
Hope Hosier, Wayne Carle Middle School
Will Ecker, Weld Central Middle School
Rebecca Anderson, West Middle School
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Connie Davis, Westview Middle School
Kristie Bement, Windsor Middle School
Cherese Bennett, Woodland Park Middle School

2014 COLORADO MIDDLE ALL-STATE CHOIR CONDUCTORS



Patrick K. Freer is Associate Professor of Choral Music Education at Georgia State University in Atlanta where he conducts the University Men's Chorus and the Choral Union. He holds degrees from Westminster Choir College and Teachers College, Columbia University. He has guest conducted or presented in 36 states and 17 countries. In addition to this Colorado All-State honor choir, he will conduct 2014 honor choirs in China and Thailand and in the states of Arkansas, Georgia, New York, and Tennessee. He will conduct the 2014 Junior High Mixed Honor Choir for the Southwestern Division of the American Choral Conductors Association. His 2013-14 schedule includes research, presentations and/or teaching graduate courses in Belgium, Estonia, Singapore, and Spain, and in the states of Alabama, Georgia, Kansas, Maryland, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, North Carolina, Oklahoma, Tennessee, Texas, and Washington.

Dr. Freer is Academic Editor and Chair of the Editorial Committees for *Music Educators Journal* and has authored over 80 articles in most of the field's leading national and international journals. Publications include "Getting Started with Middle School Chorus" (named outstanding Academic Title by *Choice*) and the DVD series *Success for Adolescent Singers*. His most recent publications include a chapter in the book "Perspectives on Males and Singing," articles in the *Bulletin of the Council for Research in Music Education*, *Choral Journal*, *Middle Grades Research Journal*, *Arts Education Policy Review*, and *Philosophy of Music Education Review*, and guest editing two issues of *Choral Journal* focused on male singing from middle school through college.



Laura Farnell is a choral composer, clinician, accompanist, and adjudicator who resides in Arlington, Texas. After graduating summa cum laude from Baylor University in 1998 with her Bachelor of Music Education in Choral Music (with a piano emphasis), Laura taught elementary music for two years in Mansfield, Texas, followed by eight years of teaching junior high choir in Arlington, Texas. She was honored by her schools with Teacher of the Year awards in 2000 and 2003, and she received an Excellence in Education Award in 2004 as the Arlington Independent School District's outstanding junior high teacher of the year.

Laura presently serves as an invited clinician for district, region, and state honor choirs across the country. She also presents workshops and reading sessions for choir directors at both district and state levels. She has served as a clinician or presented at music conferences in Florida, Illinois, Iowa, Mississippi, North Carolina, Oklahoma, Texas, and Wisconsin. A prolific composer, she especially enjoys writing and arranging music for choirs at the middle school level. She is represented by several music publishers with more than sixty choral compositions and a co-authored sight-singing method book in publication. She and her husband, Russell, and their sons Ryan (6) and Will (2), attend First Presbyterian Church of Arlington where Russell serves as Minister of Music and

Laura directs the childrens' choirs. Laura is excited for the opportunity to work with the talented singers and directors of Colorado!



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