

The Colorado Middle All-State Choir Governing Board presents the

Colorado Middle ALL-STATE CHOIR

2016

TREBLE CHOIR

Mr. Michael Ross, Conductor
Vicki Hamilton, Accompanist

MEN'S CHOIR

Dr. Henry Leck, Conductor
Daniel Graeber, Accompanist

WOMEN'S CHOIR

Ms. Diedre Douglas, Conductor
Nicole London, Accompanist

BellCo Theatre, Colorado Convention Center, Denver
Friday, February 5th, 2016 at 7:00 PM



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CONCERT PROGRAM

I.

Wir Eilen Mit Schwachen Doch EmisigeJ.S. Bach (ed. Talmadge)
Garden of Secret ThoughtsDavid Ott
Rattlesnake Skipping SongDerek Holman
Tres Cantos Nativos..... Marcos Leite
Johnnie Copearr. Ken Johnston

Treble Choir – Mr. Michael Ross, Conductor

Vicki Hamilton, Accompanist

II.

Alleluia (from Cantata 142) J.S. Bach (ed. Ehret)
Climbin' Up the Mountain, Children!..... arr. Rollo Dilworth
Hallelujah for the Day!Andrea Ramsey
Join Our Song Ken Berg
Morokeni (Greeting Song) arr. Bernard Kruger

Men's Choir – Dr. Henry Leck, Conductor

Daniel Graeber, Accompanist

III.

Confitemini DominoAllesandro Costantini
Sigh No More Ladies..... Ruth Morris Gray
Widmung (Dedication)Robert Schuman (arr. Gallina)
My True Love has My HeartLaura Farnell
Go Down, Moses..... arr. Mark Hayes

Women's Choir – Ms. Diedre Douglas, Conductor

Nicole London, Accompanist

2016 COLORADO MIDDLE ALL-STATE TREBLE CHOIR

Soprano I

Abby Atwater, Janitell Jr High
Christen Bellamy-Giles, Sproul JHS
Beau Brantley, Lucile Erwin MS
Sydney Brown, Sierra MS
Anabelle Butcher, Trail Ridge MS
Kaylan Collins, Eagleview MS
Kylee Crews, Monument Academy
Evelyn Curtis, Cimarron MS
Shir Dallal, Ranch View MS
Annastasia Damick, Sunset MS
Hannah Daniell, Southern Hills
Cloe' Dominguez-Schulte, Chappelow K-8
Ellie Fantauzzo, Resurrection Christian School
Azahra Forst, Russell MS
Maggie Fox, Nevin Platt MS

Rachel Gale, Ranch View MS
Joelle Garbrick, Cimarron MS
Annalise Gray, Laredo MS
Geneva Hein, Leshar MS
Michaela Hein, Eagleview MS
Jenny Henry, Glenwood Springs MS
Cambrie Holman, East MS
Faith Kimball, Oberon MS
Claire Kuiken, Resurrection Christian School
Emma Laskarzewski, Sagewood MS
Ethan Leland, Summit MS
Neena Malcom, Kinard MS
Arianna Maldonado, Sproul JHS
Leah Marshall, Eagleview MS
Lauren Martin, Slavens School

Kayla Nielson, Cortez MS
Jordyn Nurton, Lucile Erwin MS
Maggie O'Reilly, Fox Ridge MS
Alison Odekirk, Cimarron MS
Payton Parker, Coal Ridge MS
Sydney Perkins, Resurrection Christian School
Lyliah Powers, Rifle MS
Nathan Riggs, Eagleview MS
Mikaela Schindler, Erie MS
Kacy Selje, Eagleview MS
Katie Solheim, Eagleview MS
Alyssa Stoner, Denver School of the Arts
Whitney Toutenhoofd, Summit MS
Savannah Welte, Arvada K8
Chloe Williams, Resurrection Christian School

Soprano II

Lainey Anderson, Southern Hills
Elisa Bou, Cimarron MS
Madisen Branham, Delta MS
Mikayla Britsch, Eagleview MS
Gracie Combs, Summit MS
Noelle Cremer, Woodland Park MS
Regan Doellefeld, Resurrection Christian School
Annalese Edwards, Monument Academy
Hailey Fehringer, Sterling MS
Myna Francis, Fruita 8/9 School
Hannah Gelvin, Windsor MS
Madison Gibbons, Campus MS
Morgan Gray, Sproul JHS
Lauren Gustafson, Bookcliff MS
Traven Hammond, Glenwood Springs MS
Ashley Harmon, Jenkins MS
Emmaline Hawley, Altona MS
Maggie Henson, Leshar MS

Shana Herr, Scott Carpenter MS
Emma Holman, Fox Ridge MS
Mallory Hutchison, Sproul JHS
Anela Jackson, Sproul JHS
Lainee Jentz, Denver School of the Arts
Lindsey Johnson, The Manning School
Anton Karabushin, Thunder Ridge MS
Anita Lee, Sunset MS
Brett Mason, Denver School of the Arts
Kyrsten McBrayer, East MS
Taylor McBride, Preston MS
Ella McKnight, Ranch View MS
Shreya Naik, Rocky Heights MS
Vy Nghe, Fox Ridge MS
Mackenzie Paige, Erie MS
Zoe Peacock, Rocky Heights MS
Alexa Perez, Challenger MS

Abbi Perkins, Mandalay MS
Hannah Peter, The Manning School
Kami Pollack, Denver School of the Arts
Emilia Reeves, Sterling MS
Natalie Rieck, Eagleview MS
Taygann Schoeppner, Rifle MS
Mattison Seebey, The Manning School
Christian Simon, Summit MS
Lauren Smith, Jenkins MS
Tanner Spreeuw, Denver School of the Arts
Sophia Stone, Campus MS
Kathryn Tegtmann, Brentwood MS
Heather Thomason, Russell MS
Camryn Trump, Sterling MS
Isis Wales, Clear Creek MS
Grace Walker, Fox Ridge MS
Taia Whitcomb, Resurrection Christian School
Riley Wooten, Chappelow K-8

Alto

Karli Ashby, Falcon Creek MS
Madison Barnhill, Sterling MS
Ashlynn Bogema, Thunder Ridge MS
Ariella Booth-Nadav, Denver School of the Arts
Hannah Bowman, Swallows Charter Academy
Madison Browning, Cresthill MS
Marissa Bumann, McGinnis MS
Bree Campbell, Discovery Canyon MS
Jade Carroll, Erie MS
Natalie Chapman, Sabin MS
Travis Clifford, Sunset MS
Quincy Coet, Resurrection Christian School
Caitlen Croatt, Brentwood MS
Sydney Dreiling, Cimarron MS
Julianne Evans-Dennison, Resurrection Christian School
Rachel Foutz, West MS
Kimberly Fowler, Miller MS
Peyton Gable, Columbia MS

Kaleigh Gardner, Oberon MS
Tessa Giles, Thunder Ridge MS
Parker Goff Chrisbens, Denver School of the Arts
Jessee Grubestic, Jenkins MS
Grable Howie, Sunset MS
Daniela Jaquez, Riverside MS
Ally Keala, Eagleview MS
Autumn Kelly, Columbia MS
Emma Kirschbaum, Cimarron MS
Kayla Kosakewich, Colorado Early College MS
Kate Lee, Liberty MS
Izzy MacDougall, Cimarron MS
Gavriel Mulligan, Summit MS
Kate Nelson, Eagleview MS
Helena Neufeld, Summit MS
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Saige Pierson, The Manning School

Jena Plattenberger, Janitell Jr High
Ainsley Rudd, Cimarron MS
Gracie Shafter, Erie MS
Moriah Shafter, Deer Creek MS
Vanessa Shand, Discovery Canyon MS
Josephina Shock, Cresthill MS
Brynn Shriver, Westview MS
Clara Sjoberg, Newton MS
Lucy Slotta, Slavens School
Jordan Stokes, Eagleview MS
Holly Sullivan, Nevin Platt MS
Emma Thompson, Erie MS
Riley Tolleson, Sabin MS
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Mora Walker, Erie MS
Macy Warner, Lucile Erwin MS
Alexis Watkins, Sabin MS
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Tenor I

Devin Acevedo, Escalante MS
Alex Anguiano, Thunder Ridge MS
Benjamin Bloch, Alexander Dawson School
Zach Bunge, Woodland Park MS
Will Dienstfrey, Summit MS
Michael Dungey, Ranch View MS
Jack Fantauzzo,
Resurrection Christian School
Jacob Genualdi, Escalante MS
Dustin Griess, Chappelow K-8
Hayden Hein, Chappelow K-8
Quinn Hirschland, Nevin Platt MS
Liam Inglis, Prairie MS
Spencer Johanson, Sagewood MS

Avery Johnson, Altona MS
Ryan Jones, Drake MS
Dakota Kantner, Cortez MS
Ari Kaye, Liberty MS
Drew Kendall, Summit MS
Dakota Kenoyer, Eagleview MS
Ryan Keohane, Laredo MS
Jake Knowlton, Southern Hills
Randy Lane, Sabin MS
Jesus Lemus Magallon, Sabin MS
Colby Lish, Colorado Academy
Jevon McKinney, Sproul JHS
Brayden Menan, Silver Hills MS
Braden Monahan, Cimarron MS
Nathan Mukooba, Laredo MS

Zach Neeb, Rocky Heights MS
Sawyer Parker, Coal Ridge MS
Landon Perkins, Sabin MS
Ben Rawlings, Ranch View MS
Ethan Rossi, Campus MS
Zach Rytting, Eagleview MS
Evan Svenneby, Denver School of the Arts
Daniel Thompson, Eagleview MS
Logan Trenkle, McGinnisMS
Haines Trevin, Coal Ridge MS
Nolan Williamson,
Resurrection Christian School
Zane Winegar, Erie MS
Peter Young, Ranch View MS

Tenor II

Nathan Bartalo, Jenkins MS
Tucker Bedwell, Discovery Canyon MS
Jalen Butler, Brentwood MS
Angelo Dango, Eagleview MS
Jamie Daniels, Liberty MS
Ian Dilenschneider, Falcon Creek MS
Allan Elfe, Jenkins MS
Jackson Falk, Gunnison MS
Benjamin Garduno, Fort Morgan MS
Ivan Ghirmatsion, Prairie MS
Anton Gilley, Jenkins MS
Tyler Grasmick, Windsor MS
Brussel Gultom, South MS
Ayden Harris, Rocky Top MS

Edwin Harris, Liberty MS
Tommy Hasler, Cimarron MS
Timothy Henderson, Thunder Ridge MS
Howard Jackson, The Manning School
Martin Jernigan, Denver School of the Arts
Haram Kang, Thunder Ridge MS
Alex Kurbegov, Eagleview MS
Jacob Lay, Rocky Top MS
Jack Laychak, Erie MS
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Ethan Martin, Eagleview MS
Tate Martin, The Manning School
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Spencer Miner, Drake MS
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Kadin Spenneberg, Windsor MS
Max Tuning, Drake MS
Joshua Vigil, Ranch View MS
Travis Wagner, Thunder Ridge MS
Audric Wang, Kinard MS
Miles Wonnacott, Discovery Canyon MS

Baritone/Bass

Colby Arlington, Erie MS
Jonathan Barrentine, Jenkins MS
Connor Bernal, Fox Ridge MS
Matthew Bess, Campus MS
Ben Bicknell, Altona MS
Kwasi Boadi-Amponing, Horizon MS
Justin Bullock, Discovery Canyon MS
Johnathan Carpenter, Sunset MS
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Julian Cordova, Lucile Erwin MS
Justin Crounse, Challenge MS
Anderson Crowshaw, Thunder Ridge MS
Brevin Cruz, Brentwood MS
Brian Davis, Chappelow K-8
Travis Deane, Prairie MS
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Sam Ferrara, Eagleview MS
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Honza Sanford, Eagleview MS
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Grant Schmidt, PrestonMS
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Chris Sedmak, Kinard MS
William Sidabutar, Prairie MS
Jamie Slick, Southern Hills
Wade Taylor, MountainRidgeMS
Caleb Valdez, Jenkins MS
William VanLeuven, Mesa MS
Kenton Vu, Sabin MS
Asher Wolf, Prairie MS
Jenson Zaugg, Sierra MS

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Soprano I

Grace Albertson, Fremont MS
Elise Ancell, Liberty MS
Colette Bangma, Resurrection Christian School
Angelique Beaulieu, Fremont MS
Hailey Bergstrom, Lucile Erwin MS
Alyson Botos, Oberon MS
Alyssa Bray, Russell MS
Rheanna DeCrow, West MS
Josephine Dinan, Challenge MS
Camille Dixon, Drake MS
Ana Fouts, Russell MS
Harmonie Gitehill, Eagleview MS
Sumner Grey, Swallows Charter Academy
Karmen Grubisic, Altona MS
Lauren Gwyn, Cresthill MS

Kara Hartsweiker, Russell MS
Isabel Hebenstreit, Monument Academy
Alexandra Hicks, Sagewood MS
Abigail Hoerler, Ranch View MS
Briahna Horton, Oberon MS
Miranda Mccauley, Eagleview MS
Trey McKeever, Sagewood MS
Megan McLaughlin,
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Haley Nelson, Liberty MS
Ava Paul, West MS
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Jessica Romero, Windsor MS
Ariana Roylance, Erie MS

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Lulu Scully, Denver School of the Arts
Breanna Seay, Rifle MS
Kaitlyn Shelby, Thunder Ridge MS
Corinne Tallman, University MS
Amber Theune, Erie MS
Sierra Valentine, Sierra MS
Mickayla Watson, Oberon MS
Faith Wilkinson, Jenkins MS
Alli Williamson, Resurrection Christian School
Kyla Wilson, Denver School of the Arts
Anna Worlund, PrestonMS
Regan Wright, Sterling MS
Anna Yepez, Discovery Canyon MS
Nadia Zelenbaba, Challenger MS

Soprano II

Sydney Allen, Vista Peak
Caroline Allred, Monument Academy
Olivia Angus, Sagewood MS
Olivia Bell, Denver School of the Arts
Savannah Bell, West MS
Fiona Benson, Sunset MS
Sophie Biesterfeld, The Manning School
Sasha Blair, Sproul JHS
Sophie Boileau, Southern Hills
Kalene Brand, Rifle MS
Nicole Brown, Sterling MS
Alyssa Clark, West MS
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Alicia Domingo, Eagleview MS
Heather Eglet, Bookcliff MS
Mikayla Farquhar, Sterling MS
Shannon Ganoë, Woodland Park MS
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Zoe Johnson, Colorado MS
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Serena Kopf, Campus MS
Kiersten Langford, Escalante MS
Helen Lee, Summit MS
Kate Liston, Southern Hills
Alexandria Lopez, Sproul JHS
Kaeli Lowe, Sabin MS
Amelia Lukassen, Gunnison MS
D'Angelo Marshall, Laredo MS
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Emme Mitchell, Eagleview MS

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Jasmine Retland, South MS
Sydnee Robinson, Jenkins MS
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Téa Wright, Summit MS

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Kyle Jones, Rifle MS

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2016 COLORADO MIDDLE ALL-STATE CHOIR CONDUCTORS



2016 WOMEN'S CHOIR CONDUCTOR: MS. DIEDRE DOUGLAS

Deidre Douglas is in her twenty-eighth year of teaching and her eleventh year at Cypress Falls High School. She began her teaching career with seventeen years in middle school choir. Thirteen years were at Labay Middle School and the remaining four at Aragon and Arnold Middle Schools. While at Labay, her advanced girls were selected to perform at the 1995 Texas Music Educators Association Convention, and in 2012, her Varsity Men's Choir received the same honor. This past year, Mrs. Douglas had the honor of her Varsity Women's Choir being selected to perform at the TMEA convention as well as the national American Choral Directors Association Convention. In the school year 1999-2000, she was named the Labay Middle School "Spotlight Teacher" and in 2012, received the same honor at Cypress Falls High School.

Deidre attended Stephen F. Austin State University and studied voice with the late Dr. David Jones, and choral music with Dr. Tim King and Dr. Ronald Anderson. At SFA, she graduated *cum laude* with a Bachelor of Fine Arts and a Master of Arts degree. She was named the Presser Scholar and the Lenvill Martin Outstanding Music Graduate. In 2008, she received the prestigious honor of being named Outstanding Music Alumna. Mrs. Douglas' choirs have received numerous sweepstakes ratings in UIL Contest and Sightreading, Best in Class and Outstanding Performance at festivals. Her students have consistently earned membership in District, Region, and All-State Choirs. She has served on the Prescribed Music List committee and the choral textbook committee for Hal Leonard/Glencoe, including serving as one of the contributing authors.

Deidre is a frequent adjudicator, clinician and soloist throughout Texas and the surrounding states. Her professional affiliations include TMEA, TCDA, TMAA, ACDA, Mu Phi Epsilon, Alpha Chi and Pi Kappa Lambda. She is married to her wonderful husband of twenty-four years, BJ, who is also a high school choir director. They have two daughters, Rebekah, a Spanish and Psychology major at the University of St. Thomas and Leah, a biology major at Prairie View A & M University.

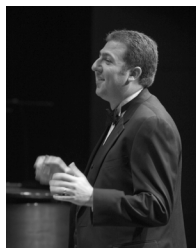


2016 MEN'S CHOIR CONDUCTOR: DR. HENRY LECK

An internationally recognized choral director, Henry Leck is a professor emeritus in choral music at Butler University, where he served on the faculty for 27 years. He is the Founder and Artistic Director of the Indianapolis Children's Choir, which is in its 30th season. His choirs perform regularly for national ACDA, MENC, OAKE and AOSA Conferences, in addition to annual international tours. Mr. Leck recently arranged and conducted the national anthem for Kelly Clarkson and the Indianapolis Children's Choir at the Super Bowl XLVI.

Mr. Leck is the founding conductor of the Indiana Children's All-State Honor Choir and the Indiana Middle School Honor Choir. He has conducted Mixed, Men's, Women's, Junior High and Children's All-State choirs and festival choirs in nearly every state. He is a frequent conductor of regional and national honor choirs for both the American Choral Director's Association and the Organization of American Kodály Educators. Mr. Leck has led festivals, tours, and clinics in Italy, China, Spain, Austria, Brazil, Japan, the United Kingdom, Malta, and Latvia. Mr. Leck's many honors include the *Sagamore of the Wabash*, the State of Indiana *Distinguished Hoosier Award*, the *Indiana Governor's Arts Award*, the *Lowell Mason Fellows Award*, the *Paul Harris Fellowship*, and just recently the *Outstanding Hoosier Musician Award 2016* from Indiana Music Education Association.

Mr. Leck is widely known as a specialist in choral techniques, the child's voice, Dalcroze Eurhythmics, Laban and the boy's changing voice. He has produced four teaching videos titled *Vocal Techniques for the Young Singer*, *The Boy's Expanding Voice: Take the High Road*, *Creating Artistry through Movement*, *Dalcroze Eurhythmics* and *Creating Artistry with the Male Maturing Voice*. He was a lead author for the choral textbook series published by McGraw Hill/Glencoe titled *Experiencing Choral Music* and is the lead author of a new series of textbooks entitled *Voices in Concert*. He is also the editor of two nationally known choral series published by Hal Leonard Corporation and Colla Voce, Inc. Each year he has taught an international conductor's workshop entitled *Creating Artistry* at Butler University. He has recently written a textbook titled, *Creating Artistry through Choral Excellence*. Mr. Leck received his training from the University of Wisconsin – Stevens Point, the University of Colorado and Indiana University.



2016 TREBLE CHOIR CONDUCTOR: MR. MICHAEL ROSS

Michael Ross has worked for the Madison Youth Choirs since 2003, first as Artistic Director, and since 2013 as Artistic/Executive Director. He was previously the Music Department Chair and Vocal Music Teacher at Madison West High School. Michael was the Tallis (training choir) instructor for the former Madison Boychoir for ten years. He has both Bachelor's and Master's degrees in Music Education from UW-Madison, where he studied with Robert Fountain, Beverly Taylor, Julia Koza, and Anthony Barresi. Michael has also taught at the University of Wisconsin-Madison Summer Music Clinic, conducted the University Chorus at the University of Wisconsin-Madison, and led the former Basso Continuo choir of the Madison Boychoir.

Michael has extensive accompanying and music directing experience, including having been accompanist for both the Madison Boychoir and Madison Children's Choir, department accompanist for the University of Wisconsin-Madison choral program, and music director for several University of Wisconsin-Madison Summer Theatre productions.

Michael has been active in state music organizations, having been the choral chair for the Wisconsin Music Educators Association, accompanist for the Wisconsin Choral Directors Association's Next Direction conference, and both section leader and accompanist for various WSMA and WCDA State Honors Choirs. Michael is a member of the Voice Care Network, and has been named several times to "Who's Who Among America's Teachers". He is also an active clinician throughout the United States. In 2014 he conducted the WCDA (Wisconsin) All-State Children's choir and in 2016 will conduct the Colorado Middle All-State Treble Choir.

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Small World Movers

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