

Millard North High School
Presents

*Of Mythic
Proportions*

**Millard North Orchestras
In concert
Tuesday, April 10, 2018
Mrs. Debbie Martinez – Orchestra Director**

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Millard North Orchestra ~ Tuesday, April 10, 2018
Program

Philharmonic, 5th hour

Brave Spirit.....Randall D. Standridge, ed. J. Cameron Law
Cello soloists: Arpan Swaroop, Anusha Deshpande, Nathan McCoy
Violin soloists: Jillian Bunjer, Joseph Zhong, Brenna Monaghan

Danse Bacchanale (from *Samson and Delila*).....Camille Saint-Saens, arr. Jamin Hoffman
Violin soloist: Brenna Monaghan

Swing Low, Sweet Chariot.....Traditional Spiritual, arr. Carrie Lane Gruselle

Symphony Orchestra, 2nd hour

March from *Carmen*.....Georges Bizet, arr. Charles Woodhouse

Lion City.....Soon Hee Newbold
Rainstick: Zach Klimowicz

Evermore from *Beauty and the Beast*.....Alan Menken, Tim Rice, arr. James Kazik

Essay for Orchestra.....Elliot Del Borgo

Symphony Orchestra, 1st hour

Simple Symphony.....Benjamin Britten
III. Sentimental Sarabande

With Fire!.....Darren Mitchell, ed. J. Cameron Law

Selections from *The Phantom of the Opera*.....Andrew Lloyd Webber, arr. Calvin Custer
Featuring: *The Phantom of the Opera, Think of Me, Angel of Music, The Music of the Night, Masquerade, All I Ask of You*

A TRIBUTE TO OUR SENIORS

It has been an honor and a privilege to work with the class of 2018! They are all truly talented and dedicated individuals who have contributed a great deal of time, talent, leadership, and expertise to the Millard North Orchestra. Best of luck to each one – it will be very different without you!

*Note – if seniors chose to submit bios, they appear below. Students are listed in alphabetical order by name – instrument – and number of years they have participated in MNHS Orchestra.

Damien Alexander - violin - 4 years: Damien has been playing violin for about 9 years now, he joined Millard North's Orchestra his freshman year and has been a part of it since. Freshman and sophomore year, Damien also played football and now is a senior captain for Millard United Rugby. After high school, Damien Plans to play rugby at Iowa State University, UNL, or Wayne State, where he will major in psychology.

Daniel Bartolomei - bass - 4 years: Daniel has been in orchestra for all four years of high school, as well as being a part of the marching band program. Thanks to Mrs. Martinez for giving all of us the ability to make some beautiful music!!!

Karly Beglin - bass - 4 years: Karly has participated in multiple clubs and activities over her four years in high school. She is attending University of Omaha in the fall semester, and is enrolled in their pre-med program. She hopes to study abroad in the next year and she wishes all her fellow orchestra seniors the best of luck!

Lainy Blaker - violin, viola, cello, bass, tuba - 4 years: Orchestra has given me so many great opportunities that I never would've expected. I was able to learn every instrument in the orchestra as well as conduct and rehearse the orchestra myself. I know that I can use these amazing opportunities in the future as a music major at UNL and in life.

Abbey Braak - cello - 4 years: Abbey has participated in the orchestra program for all four years of her high school experience as a cellist. She was involved with the MN JV Swim Team her Freshman and Sophomore years. She is a current member of the National Honor Society and the IB Diploma Program. In college, she wishes to major in Animal Sciences to become a veterinarian. She would like to thank her awesome family, friends, and teachers for supporting her throughout her high school journey.

Ashley Carlson - viola - 4 years: Outside of orchestra, Ashley is involved in the Millard North marching band, wind symphony, theatre department, show choir tech team, and National Honor Society. She would like to thank her wonderful family and friends for always supporting her in everything she does, and her directors for giving her four years of delightful music and meaningful experiences.

Sarah Clark - clarinet - 3 years: Sarah Clark participated in the forensics team, Latin club, theater productions, and church youth groups. But she is mostly involved in the band program, including the marching, concert, and jazz bands. She is attending Utah State University next fall as a chemistry major, and will continue on with band programs there as well.

Austin Coe - percussion - 3 years: Austin has been in orchestra winds for 3 years. He would like to thank all of his friends and family for pushing him to go as far as he did with his music. After high school, he plans to attend the Minneapolis College of Art and Design.

Zoe Cook - horn - 3 years: Outside of orchestra winds, Zoe also participates in marching band, concert band, choir, show choir, and theater. Next year she will be attending University of Nebraska-Lincoln. Playing with the orchestra has been a highlight of her concert band experience and she is incredibly grateful to Mrs. Martinez for providing this opportunity.

Xander Downs - cello - 4 years: Besides Orchestra, Xander did cross-country for all 4 years at MNHS. Xander likes long walks on the beaches, and also plans to go to college and take time to travel and making art whenever possible.

Grace Dunbar - violin - 4 years: Outside of Orchestra Grace has been involved in the MN play productions and FCCLA. She will be attending UNL majoring in Early Education and Spanish. She is grateful for all the amazing opportunities the MN orchestra has offered and wishes the class of 2018 the best of luck in the future!

Mitchell Feagins - cello - 4 years: I've been in orchestra for all four years and was involved in the Cody Practice Club. I plan to go to UNO after high school and possibly major in music or anything creative and fun like that. Without my family I wouldn't be the person I am today, I love them and thank them for everything, also shoutout to my helpful teachers and friends.

Christian Fritz - cello - 4 years: I've thoroughly enjoyed my 4 years in orchestra and also my 4 years in Cross Country as well. Thanks to my great friends and family for making these years go by super fast. I've had lots of fun and hope to continue to do so in the coming years.

Makenzi Hawk - violin - 4 years: Makenzi has been involved in the Millard North show choir, choir, and orchestral programs for all four years of high school. She wishes to thank all her teachers but most specifically Mrs. Martinez, Mr. Placek, Mr. Mathis, Ms. Tantillo, and Mr. Dugdale for helping Makenzi become who she is today, and changing her life for the better.

Chris He - violin - 3 years: Chris has been in the school orchestra for 3 years, and has participated in a variety of activities such as the IB Diploma Program and swimming. He would like to thank his parents, his professors at North, and the wonderful music department that has given him a wonderful experience.

Elizabeth Hill - cello - 4 years: Elizabeth has been involved in lots of music activities outside of school, especially with her church, St. Leo's. She has enjoyed and met many friends during her four years in orchestra, and has made many memories she will treasure. Thank you, Mrs. Martinez, because you are such a caring, talented, and loving teacher.

Hunter Holoubek - bassoon - 3 years: Hunter has been heavily involved in music/performing arts at Millard North. Along with orchestra winds Hunter is involved with Varsity Marching Band, Wind Ensemble, Jazz Band, the Fall Musical, and the Winter and Spring plays. Next year Hunter hopes to continue music by pursuing a degree in Music Education at either UNO or UNL. Hunter would like thank his family for the support and Mrs. Martinez for the amazing orchestra opportunity.

Mary Kate Huser - clarinet - 3 years: Involved in: Band, Orchestra Winds, Mustang Mentoring, SkillsUSA, Broadcasting Club, and Student Council. After high school I plan on attending The University of Nebraska-Lincoln and majoring in Nursing, while participating in the school's Air Force ROTC program. Thank you to all my family, friends, and teachers for all the priceless memories!

Austin Infante - viola - 4 years: Austin is currently attending Millard North High School and participates in the high school's music program. Other than being in Orchestra for 4 years, he had a lead in this year's musical, Aida, and he has been a part of the varsity choir for 4 years and the award winning show choir Infinity for 3 years. He would like to make a shoutout to his sister and especially his parents. "Thanks for coming everybody, enjoy the concert!"

Alyssa Jarabek - viola - 4 years: Throughout high school, Alyssa has been a member of show choir, choir, show band, Nova co-Ed acapella group, the musicals, tech crews for the plays, National Honor Society, Math Honor Society, and is president of the Spanish Honor Society, along with being a member of her church worship team and volunteering in her free time. Following high school, she plans to major in biochemistry with a minor in Spanish and math, following a pre-medicine track. She would like to thank her family, friends, and teachers for supporting her in everything she does.

Mary Johnson - violin/viola - 4 years: Mary has participated in Latin Club, Writer's Club, and several Orchestra events over the last four years. She would like to thank her wonderful parents, the best she ever could have asked for, for their patience and devotion. She would also like to thank her amazing older brother, who has been more supportive and helpful than words could ever say. She intends to go into Linguistics, with a possible minor in Accounting or Statistics.

“All we have to decide is what to do with the time that is given to us.” - J.R.R. Tolkien

Emily Juno - viola - 4 years: Emily Juno has been playing Viola in the Millard North Orchestra for 4 years. She is also the costumes chief for drama productions and participates in various outreach programs for Orchestra. She is also a head member of the “Zach Klimowicz Fan Club”, and is an avid participator of the Millard North Shark Sock Wednesday tradition. She would like to thank her friends and family for all their years of love and support.

Zach Klimowicz - Cello, Guitar, Rainstick - 4 years: Zach has participated in the Orchestra program at Millard North since Freshman year. He is also involved in North's drama program, a production designer for the Infinity, Illumination, and Intensity Show Choirs, and an avid participator in Millard North's proud Shark Sock Wednesday tradition. He would like to thank his parents, friends, and peers for supporting him as well as his fans for keeping his room nice and cool.

Rena Li - flute - 4 years: Rena Li has been involved in music for all four years of her high school career as a flute player in the Millard North Band and Millard North Orchestra. Alongside music, she has developed her leadership skills as a drum major for the marching band, and participates in the Slam Poetry Club. She would like to thank her parents, friends, and the Music Directors at North for making all the lovely memories possible.

Daniel Liebsack - trumpet - 2 years: Daniel has participated in many other extracurricular activities besides orchestra including but not limited to band, jazz band, forensics, and NHS. He wants to thank all his teachers and his parents for all the help they gave him through high school.

Brent Lienemann - bass clarinet - 1 year: This is Brent's first year in orchestra winds as he is trying to get the most of his high school experience before graduation. He has participated in marching band all 4 years and currently is in wind ensemble. Brent plans to pursue a career in psychiatric nursing after high school.

Fianna Long-Bulduc - viola - 4 years: Fianna played the viola in Philharmonic Orchestra her freshman year, Symphony Orchestra her sophomore, and in Chamber her junior and senior year. Also, she participated in the jazz-like club for strings, Alternative Styles, her senior year. Besides orchestra, Fianna plays the flute in the Millard North Band. She plans on continuing both instruments at UNL where she will study Music Performance. She wishes the best of luck to the rest of the orchestra seniors and their futures, and thanks Mrs. Martinez for being the absolute best music teacher. She would also like to thank her family for supporting her love of music and playing many instruments. <3

Charlie Maas - trombone - 4 years: Charlie Maas participates in band, theater, and show choir outside of orchestra. After high school, he is going to Creighton University to study Psychology, and can't thank his friends and family enough for these 4 years!

Ethan McDermott - violin - 4 years: Throughout his years in high school, Ethan always had an interest in languages. His mom would always sarcastically say that he would one day he would end up in a yurt somewhere in the steppes of Mongolia because of his interest in random languages. As of right now, he is not exactly sure what he plans to do after high school, although it will very likely include languages and is only slightly less likely to involve a yurt. He would also like to thank all his friends, family, and teachers that made his last four years great.

Vishnu Menon - violin - 4 years: Thank you to my teachers and parents for supporting me in high school in all I endeavored.

Shae Monaghan - violin - 4 years: Through my high school career I was fortunate to be a part of MN JV swim team, MN Orchestra, OAYO Symphony, Debate Team, Theater pit orchestra and various volunteer programs. All of my accomplishments were not done by myself, so I would like to thank everyone: teachers, family, and friends, who have been a part of my journey. But most importantly, I would like to thank my parents who were the first to support and believe in my abilities and provided opportunities of a lifetime. Millard North has also provided great opportunities and communities that built me up to be the person I am today and helped pave the path for my future. I am so happy to have been apart of MN Orchestra!

Austin Nguyen - violin - 4 years: Austin has participated in various activities in high school, such as competing in Robotics and Forensics, and he is also on the International Baccalaureate Diploma track. He is planning on attending the University of Texas at Dallas after high school.

Makenzie Reed - oboe - 3 years: At Millard North, Makenzie is a member of the Millard North Band, Orchestra, National Honor Society, and German National Honor Society. Outside of school, she is a member of the Blade and Edge Figure Skating Club of Omaha. Next year, Makenzie will attend Minnesota State University, Mankato to study Zoology, and will participate in the "Maverick Machine" Marching Band, and the Maverick Hockey Cheer/Figure Skating Squad.

Maddie Ryan - violin - 4 years: Maddie has been a violinist for 9 years and is also involved in other activities at school. She has been in FCCLA since sophomore year and this year is also involved in student council and senior class board. She would like to remind everyone that mayonnaise is not an instrument... horseradish isn't an instrument either.

Mia Schaeppi - violin - 4 years: This is Mia's ninth year playing violin for school orchestra. Outside of orchestra she is involved in FCCLA, art classes, National Honor Society and tech in theatre. She is excited to play with her school orchestra for the last time and will be attending UNL in the fall.

George Varghese - violin - 4 years: It would be super difficult to describe even a fraction of the experiences I've enjoyed in high school. I have been fortunate enough to learn from and meet many different kinds of people. I hope that in the future I can apply myself in a way that improves the world, so that I can a full life without any regrets.

Pranav Viswanathan - violin - 4 years: Along with orchestra, I am involved in the high school tennis and forensics teams. I have been a member of the Millard North Orchestra for all four years of high school, and I am really glad that I did. Orchestra gives me the opportunity to express my feelings through music and a good time to relax after stressful times.

Maleigha Warwick - violin - 4 years: Maleigha Warwick has been playing the violin for over 9 years. This is a skill she will cherish forever. Maleigha has also been involved with volunteering around her community and likes to challenge herself academically. She is sad to leave but is excited to see where life takes her after graduation!

MJ Waterhouse - viola - 4 years: "Thanks to all involved in the orchestra program it's been wild. Here are some inspiring words for me to leave you with:

When there's trouble, you know who to call (teen titans!)
From their tower, they can see it all (teen titans!)
When there's evil on the attack
You can rest knowing they got your back
Cause when the world needs heroes on patrol
Teen titans, go!
With their super powers, they unite (teen titans!)
Never met a villain that they liked (teen titans!)
They got the bad guys on the run
They never stop until the job gets done
Cause when the world is losing all control
Teen titans, go!
If your heart is black, you better watch out
You cannot escape the team
When they catch you, there won't be any doubt
You've been beaten by the teens
Beaten by the teens
T-e-e-n! t-I-t-a-n-s! teen titans! let's go!
When there's evil on the attack
You can rest knowing they got your back
Cause when the world needs heroes on patrol
Teen titans, go!"

Kennedy Wolfe - violin - 4 years: Kennedy enjoys drama, art, and playing a variety of instruments. She wishes the best of luck to the future of orchestra!

Jeff Zhao - violin - 4 years: Jeff is an International Baccalaureate student and has been a violinist for 9 years. He thanks all the people that have supported him throughout his life- his friends, family and teachers.

Thank You Seniors!

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Date	Time	Event	Location
4-14	10 AM	Mustang String Studio	MNHS Music Wing
4-18	9 PM	1st Hour Symphony Orch. Performs at District Music Contest	Fremont HS Aud.
4-21	TBD	District Music Contest Solo and Small Ensemble Competition	Fremont HS
5-5	1 PM	MN Orch performs (<i>req. for 12th grade and winds/percussion/selected 9-11 grade strings</i>)	Oakview Mall, 2nd Level, Sears entrance
5-10	5 PM	MN Music Awards Night & Dessert Reception	Auditorium & 1520
5-12	TBA	ASTA Young Orch. Festival (<i>req. 9th grade only</i>)	Millard South HS
5-26	1 PM	MN Orch performs at Graduation	Baxter Arena

Philharmonic Orchestra

Violin A

Isabelle Berlin
Chethana Deeduvanu*
Murali Devanaboyina
Maya Elting
Chris Henderson
Eva Jindal
Navya Khandavalli
Mara Matache
Brenna Monaghan 1
McKenna Phillips
Kashish Poore*
Gabe Ramsey
Arjun Sakthi
Hannah Serhan
Varshini Thyagarajan
Joseph (Joey) Zhong* 1

Violin B

Jillian Bunjer
Sushmitha Chandrasekaran
Katie Fulkerson*
Grace Henderson
Molly Hosch-Hill
Nadira Jeethandran*
Sree Kolli
Allison Louthan*
Michael Mbowa
Jayadeep Peddyreddy
Chaitra Pirisingula
Tarun Sivakumar
Neeharika Solasa
Olivia Twedt*
Abbie Widhalm
Michelle Zhu

Cello

Ella Benson
Tess Crowell
Anusha Deshpande* 4
Dexton DeTienne
Brayden Gill
Autumn Givehand
Anissa Martin
Nathan McCoy
Rylie Mendez
Shruti Pradeep
Jordan Saxton
Varun Sivakumar
Ellie Stuart
Arpan Swaroop
Shresht Yadav*

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Team/Class Presidents
1 = All State Orchestra
4 = UNO Honor Orch

Viola

Paul Bierman
Gretchen Braak*
Moriah Friesen*
Davis Hill*
Ava Infante
Jack Neville
Matan Shapiro
Ananya Sivashanker
Victor Thoms
Arya Volvoicar

Bass

Abby Demson
Ian Klimowicz
Nicole Wandrey

2nd Hour Symphony Orchestra

Violin A

T. J. Beacham
Teju Boinpally
Grace Dunbar
Danielle Glasgow
Robyn Handley
Makenzi Hawk*
Grace Klinefelter*
Cole Lao
Ryan Mendez
Ashlie Mendoza
Ian Parmley
Niheala Ponnatha*
Vaughn Purcell
Ramya Rengarajan
Kenzie Spigner
Megan Townsend*
Pranav Viswanathan
Maleigha Warwick
Casey Wilkinson

Flute

Vaishnavi Menon
Bridget Peterkin
Jenica David

Oboe

Madelyn Dickey

Clarinet

Mary Kate Huser
Taryn Sanders
Kelsie Henkel

Bass Clarinet

Brooke Myers
Rebecca Callan

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3 = All State Choir
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Violin B

Damien Alexander
Shreya Chada
Jamison Dresser
Lizzy Eason
Brandon Gardner
Liyang Guo
Justice Kahler
Francesca Kerkhofs
Rianna Kopcho
Vasavi Kotipalli
Derek Larsen
Samantha Lu
Rylen Neubauer
Anjali Nooka
Jaina Olari
Maddie Ryan*
Mia Schaeppi*
Gracie Schweers*
Kennedy Wolfe*
Felicia Xiong

Viola

Lainy Blaker* 2
Jax Bruns
Mandy Eason
Austin Infante * 3
Jonathon Keller
Michelle Kim
Cara Lund 1
Kaedyn Niemeyer*
Katie Plagge
Ellie Siebe-Walles
Alexa Wildy

Horn

Abby Siebe-Walles
Ian Parmley

Trumpet

Allie Guido
Ness Paseka
Katlyn Jenkins

Cello

Kaitie Beccard *
Xander Downs*
Mitchell Feagins 4
Christian Fritz*
Gabby Hiatt*
Asher Jerald-Mends
Julia Loneman
A. J. Newsome
Isaac Osmanson
Alec Randazzo
Anders Rosoy
Sean Ryan
Orion Shnayder
Ceci Stevens
Amelia Tesch
Shereese Tomkins
Kirsten Wandrey
Elle Waterhouse

Bass

Karly Beglin
Shaunak Datta
Kieffer Holder
Adam Rutherford
Isaac Wardyn

Trombone

Jamison Dresser
Peyton Meink

Tuba

Jacob Van Riesen
Lainy Blaker

Percussion

Andrew Adams
Austin Coe
Brandon Carlson
Eli Shaner
Holly Sernett

1st Hour Symphony Orchestra

Violin I

Ethan Chen* 1
Rachel Folts
Mary Johnson* 1
Vishnu Menon*1
Austin Nguyen *
Oliver Niu
Juhi Thakker 1
George Varghese* 1
Elaine Whetstone
Rebecca Wright
Shreya Yadav

Flute

Rena Li 1
Lauren Qiu 2
Emma Ulrich 2
Ruike Liang

Oboe

Makenzie Reed
Joelle Rittershaus

Clarinet

Sarah Clark
Caroline Mattern
Justin Morrow
Lucy Peterkin

Bass Clarinet

Brent Lienemann

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Award

Violin II

Matthew Halbur
Christopher He*
Sarah Lee
Miranda McDaniel
Ethan McDermott*
Shae Monaghan* 1
McKenzie Nelson
Elizabeth Nielsen*
Palak Singh
Lorin Utsch
Srikar Yallala
Jeff Zhao

Viola

Ashley Carlson 2
Fianna Long-Bulduc
Alyssa Jarabek* 3
Emily Juno*
Justin Le
Quincey Loveridge
Shivani Mudhelli
Will Talbot 1
MJ Waterhouse
Addison Williams

Bassoon

Hunter Holoubek

Horn

Zoe Cook 2
Dalín Plog 2
Ian Parmley

Trumpet

Gracie Fagan 5
Daniel Liebsack
Brandon Collins
Piper Smith

Cello

Abbey Braak
Logan Dunlop* 1
Elizabeth Hill 1
Zach Klimowicz
Carl Olson
Charlie Peng
Chella Raghavan*
Abby Siebe-Walles
Kelson Welker
Ella Williams
Jamie Youn* 1, 5

Bass

Daniel Bartolomei
Bryce Herrington 1
Noah Mussman
Cooper Rohde

Trombone

Charlie Maas 2
Zach Krausman
Emma Houfek

Tuba

Lainy Blaker

Percussion

Austin Coe
Campbell Haasch
Aiden Kitchen
Josh Sabata

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