

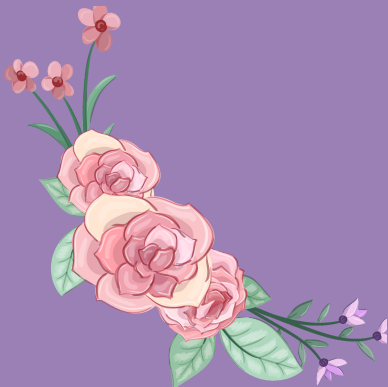


Music For Moms

GATEWAY THEATRE

6:30PM MAY 11, 2026

PRESENTED BY:
RICHMOND YOUTH
CONCERT BAND &
RICHMOND ELEMENTARY
HONOUR BAND



Land Acknowledgement

We acknowledge that we are on the traditional, ancestral and unceded territory of the Hə́n'á́míń'ə́m (*hunkimeen-um*) language group, and we thank those who have occupied and cared for this land for thousands of years.

PROGRAM

RYCB & REHB Music For Moms Program

6:00PM Doors Open
**Refreshments available for
Purchase**

6:30PM Program Begins

**Opening Remarks by RYCB
President Bruce Marshall**

Emcee: Bruce Marshall

**6:45PM Richmond Elementary Honour
Band**

7:30PM Interlude

7:45PM Richmond Youth Concert Band

8:15PM Closing Remarks

RICHMOND YOUTH CONCERT BAND & RICHMOND ELEMENTARY HONOUR BAND

The Richmond Youth Concert Band (RYCB) is an auditioned ensemble of Richmond secondary school students originally established in 1978. Our mission is to provide quality band music education and performance opportunities for our members.

RYCB has a history of involvement with the local community, most recently through our partnership with the Richmond Food Bank Society (RFBS). This year we had our annual fundraising concert for RFBS at Gilmore United Church on March 2nd, 2026.

RYCB rehearses on Monday evenings from September to May. RYCB Band members put on a Christmas Winter concert in December every year, followed by workshops to practice individual instruments in January-February. There are also team building events in February and May for the students to have fun playing lazer tag and bowling. In addition, the parents of RYCB band members play a critical role in providing the support needed to make events such as *Music for Moms* possible.

RYCB sponsors the Richmond Elementary Honour Band (REHB), for which Grade 7 students enrolled in music at their elementary schools are invited to audition. This year, the band includes 68 members. Practices are held weekly from January through April, culminating in community concerts hosted in early May. Many students from REHB go on to join RYCB, bringing with them enthusiasm, dedication, and developing musical skills as they continue their musical journey through high school.

NATASHA LOZOVSKY-BURNS REHB MUSIC DIRECTOR



Natasha's first introduction to music was at age 5, when her mother signed her up for piano lessons. This led to her completing her ARCT (teaching diploma) in piano many years later. In addition to piano, Natasha learned to play the violin, accordion, balalaika and domra as a child. Her love of Russian folk music and dance led to a 2 year study program in music and dance in Kiev, Ukraine, which included courses in balalaika, domra, orchestration and conducting.

Natasha has been conducting the RCC Balalaika Orchestra of Vancouver since 1985. Over the last 30 years, she has taught many Russian music and dance workshops in the US, as an invited guest to the Balalaika and Domra Association of America. In 2000, she started a children's balalaika and domra ensemble through the Saturday language school at the Vancouver Russian Community Centre.

Natasha currently teaches music and band to over 400 students at Whiteside Elementary, which includes over 135 students in junior and senior concert and jazz band, and 50 in intermediate choir.

Natasha has been conductor of REHB since 2016. She absolutely loves working with these very talented elementary school musicians and plans to continue for many years to come.

RICHMOND ELEMENTARY HONOUR BAND MEMBERS

Flute

Elizabeth Chen
Joylene Fan
Sophia Gao
Melissa He
Chloe Kuan
Anubha Khadka
Austin Lin
Amy Niu
Andro Sahagun
Elin Situ
Kirei Widodo
Katy Wu
Maggie Ye
Taylor Yue
Natalie Zerr
Rachel Zheng

Clarinet

Emilie Chan
Mayagan Hando
Leah Ho
Ella Huang
Zia Lin
Moon Li
Alina Tian
Melanie Tsai
Hikaru van Beek
Russell Wong
Masaki Yamashita
Jolin Zhang

Bass Clarinet

Eevee Chow
Ethan Jiang

Alto Saxophone

Leo Chan
Vishwanath Dixit
Floria Gong
Liam Moriel-Guzman
Kieran Johnston-Ngo
Chloe Li
Alvaro Liu
Jayden Naing
Hilary Tam
Zachary Tian

Tenor Saxophone

Jaycob Buensuceso
Ivan Duan
Miriam Giligson
Nicole Wootton

Baritone Sax

Shane Casupanan
Alvan Chan

Trumpet

Wyman Fang
Kaia Fary
Laura Huang
William Li
Aden Ng
Donovan Fei
Blake Paghasian
Gavin Zhao

Electric Bass

Alice An
John Dias
Mason Lee
April Tabago
Rylan Wong

Trombone

Aurum Mok
Andrea Sum

French Horn

Kayla Li

Drums/Percussion

Tessa Cheung
Willem Reitsma
Hannah Or
Shawn Wang
Vivian Zhou

Bells Kit

Gina Cao

MUSICAL PROGRAM
RICHMOND ELEMENTARY HONOUR
BAND

Happy Days

By Charles Fox
Arranged by Larry Norred

Music in the Dark

By Danny Elfman
Arranged by Johnnie Vinson

Italian Polka

By Sergei Rachmaninoff
Arranged by Elena Roussanova Lucas

Spy Train

By Robert Buckley

Arabian Dances

By Roland Barrett

Golden

By EJAE, Mark Sonnenblick, IDO, 24, and
Teddy Park
Arranged by Paul Murtha

Dinosaur Dance

By David Fromager
Performed with RYCB



CAMPBELL MCLEOD, RYCB MUSIC DIRECTOR



Campbell is Richmond based performer and teacher, who has a passion for concert band working with young people. He is currently the head of the band department at Sir Winston Churchill Secondary School in Vancouver. Campbell is a native of Richmond, and a longtime member of RYCB.

He began his RYCB journey in elementary school by participating in REHB before moving on to RYCB in high school.

Upon graduating, Campbell has served over the years as a RYCB peer mentor, clinician, chaperone, and adjudicator. Campbell is now in his 11th year as RYCB's Musical Director.

RICHMOND YOUTH CONCERT BAND MEMBERS

Flute

Aadya Chanchal
Sofia Liu
Angelina Ma
Jolin Zhou

Clarinet

Tyler Dai
Jaslynn Hung
Bram Johansson
Raghuvel Kumaravel
Silas Leung
Emma Su
Charisse Tang
Ethan Ying
Andy Zhou

Bass Clarinet

Lena Butcher
Ryan Bromilow

Alto Saxophone

Evan Chao
Fike Lolu-Akinseye
Izabel Marshall
Ryan Qin
Gordon Ren

Tenor Saxophone

Clayton Li
Zeqi Li

Baritone Saxophone

Layne Koestlmaier
Junxi He

Trumpet

Andrew Quinn
Holly Tam
Jamie Chan

Trombone

Eunice Ma
Olivia Lee
Ethan Liang

French Horn

Skyee Tam

Euphonium

Leo Guan

Percussion

Ethan Ng
Leo Zhuang

Bass

Jonathan Li
Fife Lolu-Akinseye

**MUSICAL PROGRAM
RICHMOND YOUTH
CONCERT BAND**

The Washington Post

By John Philip Sousa

A Klezmer Carnival

By Philip Sparke

A Shaker Gift Song

By Frank Ticheli

American Big Top

By Brian Balmages

Song of the Matador

By Douglas Court

An English Sea Song Suite

By Philip Sparke

**Music from HOW TO
TRAIN YOUR DRAGON**

By John Powell
Arranged by Sean O'Loughlin



Acknowledgements

We would like to thank the following for their support of RYCB and REHB:

Band Directors Campbell McLeod and Natasha Lozovsky-Burns for their countless hours of preparation, practices and contributing to the students' development and ongoing passion for music.

Ms. Iris Chan, music teacher, and Palmer Secondary School Administration and custodial staff for ongoing use of their band space for RYCB practices and the Christmas concert.

The Current and Past RYCB Board and all parent volunteers, whose efforts make events such as Music for Moms possible.

The Gateway Theatre for supporting music development in Richmond through events such as Music for Moms.

2025-2026 Board Members

Bruce Marshall - President

Chiu Ho Peggy Wan - Treasurer

Akinlolu Akinseye - Secretary

Bernie Koestlmaier - Director

Nislanha dos Anjos Marshall - Director

Lily Zheng - Director

Yufan Zhuang - Director



Past Members: Alexander Teh and Wendy Willis: A heartfelt thanks to Alex and Wendy for their unwavering support and dedication over the years.

*Interested in joining RYCB for the
2026-2027 season?*



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