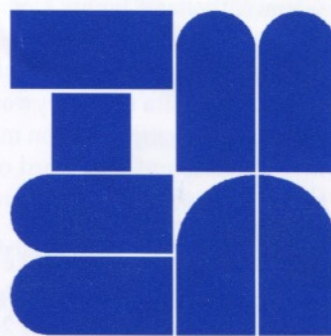


THE ASSOCIATION OF TEXAS SMALL SCHOOL BANDS

presents

The **2009**
Texas
All-State
Jazz Ensemble,
Concert Band,
and
Symphonic Band



Clinician-Conductors

Mike Vax

Dr. William K. Wakefield

John Whitwell

Saturday, February 14, 2009

Jazz Ensemble 11:00 a.m.

Concert and Symphonic Bands 3:30 p.m.

Henry B. Gonzalez Convention Center Ballroom A

San Antonio, Texas

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Jazz Ensemble

11:00 a.m.

Program (to be selected)

Be Bop Charlie	Bob Florence
The Crescent City Stomp	Eric Richards
Frank Granata's Blues	Mike Vax, arr. Bob Secor
La Suerte de Los Tontos	Johnny Richards/arr. Victor Lopez
Lil' Darlin'	Neil Hefti
Rhythm of the Masses	Frank Mantooth



Mike Vax

Mike Vax is an International Artist for the Getzen Musical Instrument Company. He is also a Summit Records recording artist. Mr. Vax performs exclusively on Getzen trumpets, cornets and flugelhorns. He has played lead and solo trumpet with the Stan Kenton Orchestra, the Clark Terry Big Bad Band, and the U.S. Navy Show Band.

Mike has also performed and/or recorded with such greats as Art Pepper, Gene Krupa, Al Grey, Freddy Hubbard, John Handy, Don Ellis, Don Jacoby, Louie Bellson, Joe Williams, Anita O'Day, June Christy, Barbara McNair, the Four Freshmen, The Glenn Miller and Jimmy Dorsey Orchestras, the Beverly Hills Unlisted Jazz Band, and the Dukes of Dixieland in New Orleans.

He has appeared as guest lead trumpet and soloist with symphony pops orchestras around the United States, and in Europe, as well as the All-American Collegiate Orchestra at Disneyworld.

As a recording musician, he has performed on more than 75 albums, including 20 under his own name.

He is the founder and Chairman of the Board of Friends of Big Band Jazz, a 501c3 nonprofit corporation that has given over \$40,000 in scholarships to jazz camps, funds to jazz programs in schools, and recently made a donation to Habitat for Humanity for the Musicians Village in New Orleans.

Currently he is leading his own groups: The Mike Vax Jazz Orchestra, The Mike Vax Big Band (featuring alumni of the Stan Kenton Orchestra), TRPTS (Trumpets), The Great American Jazz Band and the Mike Vax Quintet and Sextet.

Mike has done workshops and concerts in over 2000 high schools, colleges and universities all around the world, over the past 38 years. He is very active as a clinician and soloist in both the classical and jazz idioms.



Concert Band

3:30 p.m.

Program

The Star-Spangled Banner	arranged by John Philip Sousa/Damrosch
<i>Conducted by Rob Toups, ATSSB President</i>	
Towards the Western Horizon	Philip Sparke
<i>Commissioned by ATSSB for this premier performance</i>	
American Elegy	Frank Ticheli
Children's Folk Song Suite (mvts I, IV, V)	Kevin Walczyk
Hounds of Spring	Alfred Reed
In the Forest of the King	Pierre La Plante
Solid Men to the Front	John Philip Sousa/ed. Frank Byrne



Dr. William Wakefield

Dr. William K. Wakefield is Professor of Music, Director of Bands and Department Chair of Ensembles at the University of Oklahoma School of Music where his responsibilities include conducting the Wind Symphony and coordinating the doctoral and masters wind conducting programs. Since his appointment in 1985, the OU Wind Symphony has performed for two CBDNA National Conferences, four CBDNA Southwestern Division Conferences, two American Bandmasters Association conventions, numerous OMEA state conferences and the 2004 the Music Educators National Conference in Minneapolis, Minnesota. The OU Wind Symphony has cultivated new music for wind ensemble through commissions for composers Carter Pann, Dan Welcher, Cindy McTee, Steven Stucky, Don Grantham, Daron Hagen, Carolyn Bremer, Bruce Adolph, David Maslanka, Charles Rochester Young, Roland Barrett, and Jerry Neil Smith, Bruce Adolph, and Kenneth Fuchs.

Wakefield, active as a guest conductor for all-state, intercollegiate and university ensembles throughout the United States and

Canada, is the recipient of Phi Mu Alpha's Orpheus Award for significant contributions to Music in America. He is also the recipient of the Blue Key Honor Society Teaching Excellence Award. In 1997 he received the Outstanding Faculty Member Award from The University of Oklahoma College of Fine Arts and in 1998 was inducted into the American Bandmasters Association. In 2001, he received Kappa Kappa Psi's Silver Baton Award for a record of excellence and quality of service to bands, band members, and instrumental music education. The Oklahoma Bandmasters Association inducted Wakefield into the OBA Hall of Fame in the summer of 2008. Wakefield is currently President for 2007-2009 biennium of the College Band Directors National Association.

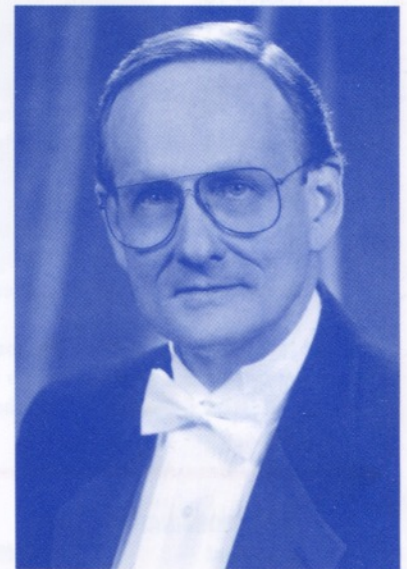
Wakefield's educational background includes a DMA in Instrumental Conducting from the University of Texas at Austin, an MM in Trombone from the University of Houston, and a BM in Trombone from the Manhattan School of Music in New York City. Additional studies were obtained from summers at the Aspen Music Festival, the Juilliard School, and the University of North Texas. From 1980-85 he was Associate Director and Director of Bands at Indiana State University in Terre Haute. His secondary school experience includes positions at Dickinson and Nimitz high schools in the Houston, Texas, area. He is currently President for the College Band Directors National Association, a past-president for the CBDNA Southwestern Division, treasurer and past-president of the Big 12 Band Directors Association. At the University of Oklahoma he is a faculty sponsor for Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia, Kappa Kappa Psi, and Tau Beta Sigma.



Symphonic Band

following the Concert Band
Program

- Americans We** Henry Fillmore/ed. Frederick Fennell
Chester William Schuman
Fanfare for a Festive Day Roger Cichy
Fantasia in G Major J.S. Bach/trans. Richard F. Goldman and Robert L. Leist
Song for Lyndsay Andrew Boysen Jr.
We would like to thank Beth Morrison, Thrall High School Band Director, for playing the piano on this piece
Undertow John Mackey



John Whitwell

John L. Whitwell is Director of Bands Emeritus at Michigan State University, where he served as Director of Bands, Conductor of the Wind Symphony, Professor of Music, Chair of the Conducting area, and guided the graduate degree programs in Wind Conducting prior to his retirement in 2006.

Prior to his appointment at Michigan State University, Professor Whitwell held positions at Stephen F. Austin State University and Abilene Christian University. He also taught in the public schools of Michigan as band director at Ann Arbor Huron and Northwest Jackson high schools.

His bands have performed for the College Band Directors National Association Convention, Texas Music Educators Association Clinic-Convention, Midwest Clinic, and Midwestern Conference on Vocal and Instrumental Music. He is a member of the Board of Directors of the Midwest Clinic, past-president of the Big Ten Band Directors Association, and past-president of the North Central Division of the College Band Directors National Association.

Professor Whitwell maintains an active schedule and is in great demand as a guest conductor and clinician throughout the United States, Canada, Mexico, and abroad. He is extremely active in the commissioning of new music and has participated in commissioning projects with composers Samuel Adler, Fred Allen, Kenneth Amis, William Averitt, Steve Barton, Susan Botti, Timothy Broege, Daryl Burghardt, Michael Colgrass, Donald Crockett, James Curnow, Richard Danielpour, Michael Daugherty, Eric Ewazen, Michael Finnissy, Michael Gandolfi, David Gillingham, Daniel Godfrey, Michael Golemo, Adam Gorb, Donald Grantham, Murray Gross, Daron Aric Hagen, Sam Hazo, David Heckendorn, Jennifer Higdon, Sydney Hodkinson, Jere Hutcheson, Robert Jager, Ian Krouse, Timothy Mahr, John Mackey, Daniel McCarthy, David Maslanka, Gregory Mertl, Cindy McTee, John Moss, Lior Navok, Ron Newman, James Niblock, Robert Xavier Rodriguez, Charles Ruggiero, Joseph Spaniola, Eric Stokes, James Syler, Frank Ticheli, Joan Tower, Joseph Turrin, Michael Weinstein, Eric Whitacre, Dana Wilson, and Charles Rochester Young.

Whitwell has received many honors, including: being named the Michigan recipient of the A. R. MacAllister "Mac" Award, "Band Teacher of the Year" Award by the Michigan School Band and Orchestra Association, "Citation of Excellence" Award by the National Band Association, Distinguished Graduate "Hall of Fame" Award by Wyandotte Roosevelt High, Honorary Doctor of Laws degree from Rochester College, Kappa Kappa Psi "Distinguished Service to Music" Award, American School Band Directors National Association "Edwin Franko Goldman" Award, the Michigan State University "Distinguished Professor" Award, the MSU "Paul Varg" Award for teaching excellence, the National Federation of High Schools "Outstanding Music Educator" Award, the Kappa Kappa Psi "Bohumil Makovsky Memorial Award," and induction into the Phi Beta Mu/Texas Bandmasters Association Hall of Fame.

Jazz Ensemble Personnel

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Tim Savage, Wylie (Abilene)

TENOR SAX

Alan Michnoff, Greenhill School
Andrew Metzger, San Antonio Christian

BARITONE SAX

Nicholas Means, Pilot Point

TRUMPET

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Mario Garza, Rio Hondo
Tyler Brinkman, Somerville
Austin Stallard, Decatur

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Caleb Gentry, Kirbyville
Hilary Rankin, Iowa Park

BASS TROMBONE

Christopher Gooch, Wimberley

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Rafael Espinoza, Alba-Golden

BASS GUITAR

John McIntyre, Decatur

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Daniel Robertson, Princeton

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Kenzi Lacy, Kirbyville

FLUTE

Brandi Elder, Commerce
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Ami Foster, Memphis
Kenzi Lacy, Kirbyville
Kayla Miller-Arnold, Splendora
Courtney Klapp, Argyle
Codi Diane Hammons, Harper
Ianelly Galan, Hidalgo
Morgan Dugger, Seminole
Taylor Cramer, Brownsboro

OBOE

Richard Craig Hoerster, Fredericksburg
Ashley Adair, Sundown
Paige Wolfe, Argyle

BASSOON

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Shelly Clark, Perryton
Joseph Trench, Luling

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*Alexia Gonzalez, Odem
Kimberly Plants-Paris, New Diana
Andrew Emerick, Pope John XXIII
Jose Angel Aguilar, Hidalgo
Carrie Evans, Glen Rose
Nichole Annonson, Cleveland
Brenda Chavez, Gatesville
Lynsey Gold, Junction
Katie Niehus, Howe
Jinnie Pratt, Sanger
Ismael Beltran, Clint
Sara Runyan, Kountze
Rachel Montgomery, Commerce
Christi Haines, Palestine
Kelsey Curry, Crane
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Kaylie Young, Lubbock-Cooper
Adriana Reyes, Greenwood

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Elisha Carroll, Coahoma

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Roberto Albarez, Snyder
Kevin Sutton, Pleasant Grove
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Colton Wakefield, Greenwood

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Rydell Walthall, La Vega
LeAnne Heckmann, Navarro
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Morgan Smiland, Sanger

Marissa Ruehle, Bellville

Patrick Doucette, Lockney

Aaron Kline, Argyle

Catelyn Gentry, Kirbyville

Ashley Derrick, Princeton

Lainey Sherman, Carthage

Priscilla Garcia, Saint Joseph Academy

Robyn Judd, Reagan County

Leighandra Guenther, Kermit

Timothy Bagert, Princeton

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Timothy Cuevas, Eldorado

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*Abigail Medrano, Port Isabel

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Liset Najera, Crane

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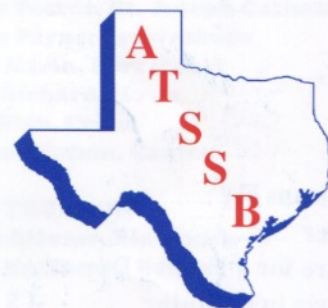
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