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Honors Recital (2023)

St. Norbert College Music Department

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~ Program ~

A Cricket Sang and Set the Sun

Blake Tyson

Mahri Hodges, Marimba

“Tornami a vagheggiar” from Alcina

George Frideric Handel

Cailey Wheeler, Soprano
Elaine Moss, Piano

"Hungarian Pastoral Fantasy" Op. 26

Albert Franz Doppler

Anna Heinzen, Flute
Elaine Moss, Piano

Serenade

Nikolai Rimsky-Korsakov

Simon Whiteley, Cello
Elaine Moss, Piano

Ideale

Francesco Paolo Tosti

Logan Enger, Baritone
Barb Hinnendael, Piano

Sarabande

Claude Debussy

Tom Lee, Piano

Rhapsody

Mark Watters

Ben Schaefer, Bari Saxophone
Elaine Moss, Piano

"Il Bacio"

Luigi Arditi

Andrea Waschbisch, Soprano
Amy Bucheger, Piano

Please join us after the concert for a reception in the lobby as we honor our recitalists and award recipients.

~ Biographies ~

Mahri Hodges is a sophomore percussion performance major from Ashwaubenon. She has been taking piano lessons since she was seven and started playing percussion in sixth grade band. Mahri keeps busy by being involved with many musical groups on campus such as Knight Theatre, Bell Choir, and the SNC Community Band. She has spent the last year playing with the Green Bay Civic Symphony and is excited to accept the role of percussion section leader for the next season. Mahri is currently in the studio of Jim Robl.

Cailey Wheeler is a third year soprano from Freedom, WI pursuing a Choral Music Education degree. She is currently in the studio of Dr. Yi-lan Niu. Cailey is also involved in Opera Workshop, Chamber Singers, Concert Choir, and the Dudley Birder Chorale. She would like to thank her voice professor, Dr. Yi-lan Niu, for the endless inspiration and encouragement on her vocal journey. She would also like to thank her family and friends for the support throughout her college career.

Anna Heinzen, a native of Manitowoc, WI, is an active performer both while at home and at school. She is currently in her second year of studying flute performance under the instruction of Dr. Kortney James at St. Norbert College. Seated first chair in the St. Norbert College Wind Ensemble and a member of the St. Norbert College flute choir, Anna has also played with the St. Norbert College Jazz Band, Dudley Birder Chorale Orchestra, Manitowoc Marine Band, and the Lakeshore Wind Ensemble. Some of her notable musical achievements include placing 3rd in the Lakeshore Wind Ensemble Young Artist Competition in 2022, being a member of the 2022 CBDNA Intercollegiate Band, a member of the 2020 WSMA State Honors Band, and along with many more. After St Norbert Anna hopes to pursue a graduate degree in flute performance. In her free time she enjoys spending time with her family, friends, and animals, attending shows and concerts, and finding new hobbies to pursue. This is her second year performing in the St Norbert College Honors Recital.

Simon Whiteley is a Sophomore Cellist from Nashville, Tennessee. This is his first year at St. Norbert College, as he transferred last fall from the Boston Conservatory. Simon is a music education major, and is active in multiple ensembles on campus, including the St. Norbert String Ensemble and the St. Norbert Chamber Ensemble. He is also a member of NAFME. Simon has played cello since he was in Kindergarten, developing as a musician within the Vanderbilt Blair School of Music Youth Orchestra Program. He hopes to share his love of music with elementary aged students, and plans to teach both general and instrumental music.

Logan Enger is a sophomore choral music education major from Little Chute. Logan has been involved in many groups on campus, including Knights on Broadway(2021-present) and Knight Theatre. Logan is also the President of the men's a capella group, SNC Acafellas, as well as a member of the Abbey Singers. He looks forward to working with aspiring musicians and inspiring students to pursue their passions. Logan would like to thank God, his family, and the great community of Saint Norbert College for helping him get one step closer to his dreams.

Tom (Dong Hyeon) Lee is Sophomore from Seoul, South Korea, pursuing a degree in Music Performance with piano as his primary instrument. Tom has performed with many ensembles including Chamber Singers, Concert Choir, Jazz Ensemble, Concert Band, and Wind Ensemble. Tom also started a new chamber ensemble as a student director, called SNC Student Knight Chamber Orchestra. He also accompanies vocal and instrumental students for their lessons and performances. He would like to thank his piano professor Dr. João Paulo Casarotti for the guidance, support, instruction and encouragement which has motivated him to continue to improve as a performer. Tom would also like to thank his family, friends and the faculty at St. Norbert College for giving him the many opportunities he has had thus far in his musical endeavors.

Ben Schaefer is a senior music education major and is currently in the studio of Nick Waroff. He is also a member of the St. Norbert wind ensemble and jazz band where he plays the bari sax. Ben enjoys the broad abilities of the saxophone, with it being able to play both beautiful classical music as well as strange and interesting modern music. He would like to thank his parents and girlfriend for their never-ending support, Nick Waroff and the other music faculty for helping him rediscover his love for the saxophone, and his dog Joe for providing vocal accompaniment to his long practice sessions.

Andrea Waschbisch is a senior from Oconto Falls, Wisconsin. She is graduating with a degree in Music Performance and a minor in Theatre Studies. She has been heavily involved in the music department during her time at St. Norbert College. She has performed leading roles in the opera workshop productions, and has been a regularly featured soloist for St. Norbert College's choral and instrumental ensembles. She has also participated in the semi-professional ensemble, Abbey Singers, as well as Chamber Singers, Concert Choir, and Dudley Birder Chorale. Andrea would like to thank her family for supporting her throughout all her musical endeavors.

~Music Awards 2023~

Father Robert A. Sromovsky Endowed Music Scholarship

Recipients: Nathaniel Lezotte, Kylie Merchant & Kelly Robinson

Awarded to students having displayed the highest level of musicianship, outstanding academic achievement, and contributions to the music department.

Peg Egan Music Ministry Scholarship Award

Recipient: Tom Dong Heyon Lee

This award is in recognition of a student's commitment to the college's liturgical music ministry program.

Tony Winters Award

Recipient: Elizabeth Brefka

This award is made in recognition of community outreach through extraordinary music performance. The recipient should actively participate in one of several music ensembles at the College for the purpose of expanding the appreciation of music to diversified community audiences.

Ellen Hogan Neufeld Endowed Music Scholarship Award

Recipients: Elizabeth Brielmaier, Austin Kobylarczyk,
Benjamin Schaefer & Simon Whiteley

This award is made in recognition of exceptional scholastic achievement and service in school and musical activities.

Lucille Meusel Vocal Endowed Scholarship Award

Recipients: Mileana Burmesch, Logan Enger, Rebekah Gerads, Adriana Hanson, Madeline Kaltz, Aria Lemke, Ronald Match, Megan O'Brien & Madeline Schneider

This award is made in recognition of exceptional scholastic achievement and service in school and musical activities.

Dominic Forgianni Vocal Music Scholarship Award

Recipient: Hannah Dornfeld & Isabella Puchalla

This award is made in recognition of scholarship ability, moral force of character, instincts to lead and take an interest in others.

Gerald Mattern Music Scholarship Award

Recipient: Nathaniel Lezotte

This award is in recognition of a student's outstanding music ability.

Elizabeth Beutler Mittlesteadt Scholarship Award

Recipient: Esai Torres

This award is in recognition of a promising student studying piano.

Marshall Moss Endowed Music Scholarship Award

Recipient: Anna Heinzen, Tom Dong Hyeon Lee & Simon Whiteley

This award is made in recognition of exceptional scholastic achievement and outstanding ability in one or more areas of musical competence.

Paul D. Ziemer Vocal Music Scholarship Award

Recipient: Megan O'Brien & Cailey Wheeler

This award is made in recognition of a promising vocal music student.

H. Thomas Hurley Endowed Music Scholarship Award

Recipient: Mahri Hodges & Esai Torres

This award is in recognition of overall academic performance and demonstrated promise of a music major.

Pi Kappa Lambda Music Honor Society

Recipient: Andrea Waschbisch