

# Bluegrass All-Regional Band Concert

January 13, 2023

7:00pm



**Boyle County Performing Arts Center**

# From the Directors

On behalf of the band directors of Southeastern Kentucky, welcome to the Boyle County Performing Arts Center as we gather to celebrate the musical efforts of the region's brightest high school band musicians!

In December, nearly 145 high school students from the Southeastern region of Kentucky auditioned for placement in the Bluegrass All-Regional Bands. From these student auditions, approximately 90 students were awarded placement in the Bluegrass All-Regional Band. The students performing for you this afternoon represent the very best of high school music education in this part of the commonwealth!

Since the 1960s, the Bluegrass All-Regional Bands have existed to serve, educate and showcase the most talented students of Southeast Kentucky's high school band programs. Earning placement in the Bluegrass All-Regional Bands is a significant achievement for these students. They are to be commended for their dedication to their art, and every student has served as a wonderful ambassador for their self, their family, and their home band program. The students have demonstrated not only impressive musical talents, but admirable leadership and responsibility for one another. They have cooperated with their guest conductor and have been models of behavior. It has truly been a joy to spend the past three days with your students!

The Bluegrass All-Regional Band's members and directors are excited to invite our guest conductor, Dr. DuWayne Dale, to share his musical expertise with our young musicians. We are very grateful for the musical knowledge and wisdom he has imparted to us during his time with us this week.

We hope you thoroughly enjoy the students' performances this evening. Thank you so much for all the support you give to your students and to their band programs. Without your sacrifices and support, your students would not be here celebrating their musical successes and achievements with their peers today!

Thank you and enjoy!  
Bluegrass All-Regional Band Directors



# DuWayne Dale – Conductor

Dr. DuWayne Dale joined the faculty of Morehead State University in 2017 after 18 years of teaching high school band and orchestra in public schools in Ohio and Kentucky. At MSU, he serves as the Director of Bands and teaches graduate and undergraduate courses in music education and conducting.

Dr. Dale holds a Bachelor of Music Education and Master of Music degree from Morehead State University. He completed his Rank I in music education and conducting at the University of Kentucky and his Doctor of Musical Arts degree in Music Education from Boston University. He is a member of the National Association for Music Education (NAfME/KMEA), the College Band Directors National Association (CBDNA), and the National Band Association (NBA), and has been honored by membership in the prestigious Phi Beta Mu International Bandmasters Fraternity and with honorary membership in the Theta Pi chapter of Phi Mu Alpha.

Dr. Dale has contributed to GIA Publications' *Teaching Music Through Performance in Band* series and is a past editor of the *Bluegrass Music News*, the official state publication of the Kentucky Music Educators Association. He was named the 2012 KMEA second district High School Music Educator of the Year, the 2018 and 2020 KMEA eighth district College/University Educator of the Year, and has twice been honored with a Citation of Excellence from the National Band Association.

Dr. Dale is in demand as a guest conductor and clinician and maintains an active schedule working with high school and middle school bands, conducting regional honor bands, presenting at state and regional conferences, and adjudicating music festivals and competitions.



# Program Selected from the Following:

<i>Abracadabra</i> .....	Frank Ticheli
<i>Shine</i> .....	Michael Markowski
<i>American Big Top</i> .....	Brian Balmages
<i>Pavanne</i> .....	Morton Gould
<i>Evening Song</i> .....	Joseph Rheinberger. arr. Shelly Hanson
<i>This Cruel Moon</i> .....	John Mackey

## Participating Schools and Directors

- Boyle County-Zach Shelton
- Burgin-Nicole Short
- Corbin-Ben Duncan
- Danville-Jeff Towns
- Estill County-Jason Bowles
- Garrard County-Chris Vance
- Harlan Independent-Betsy Burkhart
- Madison Southern-David Ratliff & Martina Sanders
- McCreary Central-Michelle Simpson
- Mercer County-Erica Ashford & Adam McRay
- Model Lab-Eric Sokolowski
- North Laurel-Billy Carpenter
- Owsley County-Stevi Nolan
- Pineville-Dale Mayberry & Sarah Mayberry
- Powell County-Taylor Huffaker
- Pulaski County-Scott Sexton & Meagan Gentry
- Rockcastle County-Greg Daugherty
- South Laurel-Sheldon House
- Southwestern-Austin Gilliatt , Adam Hopper, & Zach Shannon
- Williamsburg-Jacob Sudduth



# Band Members

## Flute

Emily Curtsinger  
Maria Seiber  
Brylee Parnell  
Rhianna Bowlin  
Kate Fee  
Laurel Jasper  
Sadie Sirk  
Raegan Daniels  
Auri Mitchell  
Bailee Franklin  
Karlie Tipton  
Jamie Isaacs

## Oboe

Katy McSweyn

## Bassoon

Darby Nelson

## Clarinet

Zada Henderson  
Melody Weihrauch  
Andrew Wolke  
Madilyn Sizemore  
Katie Caudill  
Madison White  
Alex Lee  
Holly Wolke  
Emmalee Carroll  
Miranda Brock

## Clarinet Cont.

Hannah Hardy  
Layla Sizemore  
Hannah Atkinson  
Gracie Shelton  
Augusta Haley  
Shayla Simmons  
Zach White  
Sia Taylor  
Liana Aragon

## Bass Clarinet

Trinity Harris  
Haylee Miller  
Zachary Starnes

## Alto Sax

Jakeb Hurley  
Abbey Soots  
Johnny Cathcart  
Ashton Hale  
Lamont Doneghy

## Tenor Sax

Blake Arnold  
Evan Hayes  
Garrett Robertson

## Bari Sax

Noah Abbott  
Sophee Cockrell  
Ayvyn Gilbert

## Trumpet

Jason Baker  
Noah Mullins  
Alexis Lockard  
Ella Myhre  
Camilla Clay  
Olivia Harris  
Owen Sheaks  
Haley Combs  
Tai Barnes  
Allyson Montgomery  
Wyatt Williams  
Dylan King  
Jakob Miracle  
Elijah Hacker

## Horn

Caden Bowles  
Addison Griebe  
Shelby Scoville  
Elyjah Hacker

## Trombone

Alex Coleman  
Abigail Kuhn  
Chase Miller  
Kash White  
Colin Gibson  
Talon Huff  
Linzie Cooper  
Landon Westerfield  
Zoe Dibble

## Euphonium

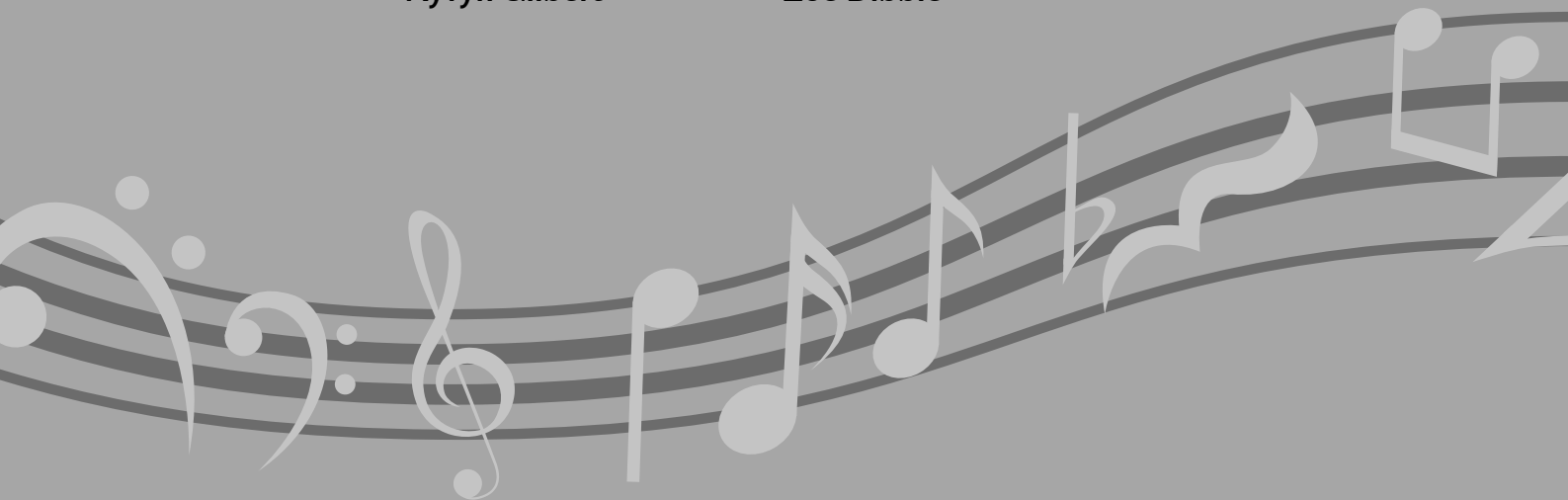
Hayden Short  
William Mullins  
Ada Clark  
Toni Neirengarten

## Tuba

Keaton Killion  
David Griffie  
Brennon Gibson  
John Frost

## Percussion

Brannon Nolan  
Nate Baker  
Kailene Smith  
Johnny Brock  
Colin Richey  
Grayson Maggard  
Gavin Merrick  
Adam Edwards  
Jada Martin



# Bluegrass All-Regional Band Sponsors and Special Thanks

We are very grateful for the usage of the wonderful facilities at the Boyle County Performing Arts Center and would like to thank Zach Shelton, Jimmy Cornn, and the administrators of Boyle County Middle School for allowing us to use these spaces.

Thanks to the many directors that brought percussion instruments to fulfill the repertoire needs of the ensemble. This year's list was especially long and so many directors volunteered to meet our needs - thank you.

The Bluegrass All-Regional Band would like to thank you - the parents and families - of the students performing today for your tireless efforts to support the musical growth of your students and educational efforts of their band programs.

Last but not least, the directors of the Bluegrass All-Regional Bands would like to thank our guest conductor, Dr. DuWayne Dale for his energetic and entertaining efforts to prepare our students for their performance today.

