

**PLEASE NOTE: Our performers have worked very hard to prepare for today's recital. It is important to keep distractions to a minimum. Please do not take flash photographs during a performance. Be sure to sit with your children and take those who are restless or disruptive out of the hall at once. No food or drink is allowed in the Recital or Concert Hall at any time. Your cooperation is much appreciated.**

Welcome to the 2021 - 2022 recital season of the NIU Community School of the Arts. This is one of many concerts and recitals scheduled throughout the year. For a complete listing of upcoming performances, or to learn more about the program, call the CSA office at (815) 753-1450 or visit our website at [www.csa.niu.edu](http://www.csa.niu.edu).

### Spring 2022 Teachers

Scott Anderson, bass, guitar

Yuko Asada, CSA Steelband

Gregory Barrett, clarinet\*

Jason Barrette, piano, saxophone

Joshua Bedeau, steel pan

Aerie Bernard-Dover, bass, clarinet,  
flute, guitar, saxophone, ukulele

Kurt Bonamer, tuba, euphonium

Crystal Bragg, flute

Julia Broome-Robinson, piano, tuba,  
trombone, euphonium,

Karlaina Bunn, saxophone, voice, piano,  
clarinet, flute

Gianna Capobianco, flute

Thomas Cappaert, cello, Suzuki cello

Heewon Cha, piano

Soo-Yon Choi, piano

Jennalynn Cisna, cello, piano

David Coons, oboe

Jodeen Coulter, voice, piano

Austin Cruz, viola, violin

Christine D'Alexander, violin, viola\*

Quentin Dover, banjo, bass, guitar,  
mandolin, pipa, ukulele, guitar  
classes, CSA Guitar Ensemble

Devin Drobka, drums, percussion, piano

Brianne Duncan Fiore, voice, theater

Anya Gavin, trumpet, cello, violin, viola

William Goldenberg, piano\*

Zachary Green, viola, violin

Cheryl Haines, flute, recorder

Lynn Hansen, flute

Fiona Hunt, harp

Erik Jarvis, song writing

Harris Jordan, French horn

Britney Kieselhorst, voice

Ke-Yin Kilburn, piano, voice

Hyounkyoung "Joy" Kim, piano

Erin Kirby, clarinet, music theory

Matthew Kiser, steel pan

Laiji Li, piano

Tsai-Rung Li, conducting, piano,  
trumpet

Blaise Magniere, violin\*

Frances Marshall, cello

Alejandra Martinez Aviles, flute, piano,  
voice

Dennis Meacham, euphonium,  
trombone, trumpet, tuba

Austyn Menk, piano, organ, music  
theory

Melissa Milford, viola, violin, cello

Ann Montzka Smelser, Suzuki violin,  
violin, viola\*

Savannah-Lee Mumford, voice

Elizabeth Newquist, cello

John Novak, accordion, piano\*

Megan Rault, piano, saxophone

Nelly Rocha, cello

Laurie Rodriguez, violin, viola, Suzuki  
violin, early music education,  
chamber workshops

Sean Rzewnicki, bass

Arman Sangalang, clarinet, flute,  
saxophone

Christopher Scanlon, trumpet\*

Eric Schroeder, guitar, Suzuki guitar,  
music theory, ukulele

Faye Seeman, harp\*

Linc Smelser, cello, piano, CSA  
Symfonia, Symphonette\*

Allyson Smith, trumpet, ukulele

Hui-Hsuan "Ariel" Su, cello

Jackson Wheeler, guitar

\* NIU Faculty



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# Community School of the Arts

*College of Visual and Performing Arts*

## Suzuki Violin Group and Graduation Concert

*Director and Teacher*  
*Ann Montzka Smelser*

*Teacher*  
*Laurie Rodriguez*

*Pianist*  
*Linc Smelser*

April 30, 2022  
10:00 a.m.

Boutell Memorial Concert Hall

## **Yellow Group**

*Oliver Devroye, James Marberry, Addyson Welch, Cece Zantout*

|                    |             |
|--------------------|-------------|
| Pickle Song        | Pre-Twinkle |
| Monkey Song        | Pre-Twinkle |
| Bow River Fiddling | J. Martin   |

## **Blue Group**

*Avery Andersen, Chandler Bao, Maylee Bosma,*

*Adara Ensalaco, Wini Heinrich, Ella Huang, Ariella Vilmeus, Celina Wu*

|                    |           |
|--------------------|-----------|
| Lightly Row        | Folk Song |
| Song of the Wind   | Folk Song |
| Go Tell Aunt Rhody | Folk Song |

## **Purple Group**

*Hannah Berry, Angelo Bystry, Benjamin Devroye, Lucas Devroye,*

*Phoebe Hanna, Emi Kruse, Amir Rafea,*

|                                |                |
|--------------------------------|----------------|
| Chorus from “Judas Maccabaeus” | G.F. Handel    |
| Hunter’s Chorus                | C.M. von Weber |
| Long, Long Ago and Variation   | T.H. Bayly     |

## **Green Group**

*Patience Bystry, Marlie Colness, Claire Hua, Mariana Lundin,*

*Lauren Marberry, Edmund Solares-Jaeger, Nolan Tobin, Mia Tonaki*

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| Gavotte   | J. Becker |
| Concerto No. 2 in G Major, Op. 13<br>III. Allegretto Moderato | F. Seitz  |

## **Senior Solos**

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| Rhapsody on a Theme of Paganini, 18 <sup>th</sup> Variation<br><i>Brooke Stumm</i> | S. Rachmaninoff  |
| In the Palace - Lamentoso<br><i>Kelsey Nichols</i>                                 | Yoshihisa Hirano |
| “Spring” from The Four Seasons<br><i>Ritta Wi</i>                                  | A. Vivaldi       |

Violin Concerto No. 5 in A Major “Turkish”, K. 219 W.A. Mozart  
III. Rondeau – Tempo di menuetto  
*Reilly Farrell*

Partita No. 2 in D Minor, BWV 1004 J.S. Bach  
V. Chaconne  
*Georgia Harrelson*

**\*\*\*Intermission\*\*\***

### **Senior Presentations**

#### **High School Group**

Sofi Briscoe, Reilly Farrell, Emma Fredericks, Georgia Harrelson,  
Isabella Kirchmann, Regan Ni, Jeanny Ni, Yuxuan Ni,  
Lindsey Nichols, Kelsey Nichols, Eva Peterson, Vaishnavi Sharma,  
Keira Specht, Brooke Stumm, Ritta Wi

The Dream J. Johow

Cinema Paradiso A. Morricone and E. Morricone

Speedy Slam A. Jarvela

#### **NIU Suzuki Strings Group Performance**

Gavotte J.P. Rameau

Gigue F.M. Veracini

Concerto for Two Violins in D Minor J.S. Bach

Humoresque A. Dvořák

Gavotte in G Minor J.S. Bach

Gavotte J.B. Lully

The Two Grenadiers R. Schumann

Happy Farmer R. Schumann

Minuet J.S. Bach

Allegro S. Suzuki

**Twinkle Theme and Variations led by our Seniors**