



DIVISION SCOLAIRE

LOUIS RIEL

SCHOOL DIVISION

LRSD in Harmony with United Way

Choral Celebration 2023 gala concert

November 8, 2023
Centennial Concert Hall
555 Main Street



United Way
Winnipeg

CHORAL CELEBRATION PROGRAM

MASTERS OF CEREMONIES

Jeff Anderson & Ingrid Pederson

WELCOME AND GREETINGS

Sandy Nemeth -

LRSD School Board Representative

O CANADA

JUNIOR CHOIR

UNITED WAY PRESENTATION & VIDEO

INTERMEDIATE CHOIR

CHORAL CELEBRATION VIDEO

2023: UNITED IN SOUND

SENIOR CHOIR

JUNIOR CHOIR

Conductor – Amanda Ciavarelli
Accompanist – Carla Plosz

Selections will be performed from the following:
Les oeuvres seront choisies du répertoire suivant:

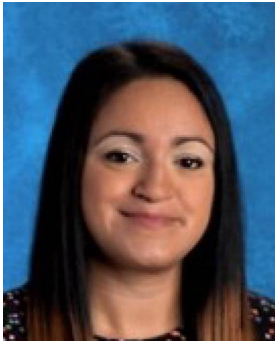
NIKAMO – by Burnstick

JOY INSIDE – by Phyllis White

WALK THROUGH LIFE – by Pinkzebra

A CHILD OF SONG— by Derryl Herring & Andy Beck

J'APPARTIENS AU COEUR DU MONDE – by Sally Albrecht & Jay Althouse



Amanda Ciavarelli

Amanda Ciavarelli teaches elementary music and choir at École South Pointe School in Winnipeg, Manitoba. École South Pointe School choirs and Orff ensembles perform many times during the school year at school assemblies, community events and concerts, at the Winnipeg Music Festival, and with the Winnipeg Symphony Orchestra. Amanda is a graduate of the University of Manitoba and holds a Bachelor of Music and Bachelor of Education. She is a Level III Orff Certification graduate as well as a certified Carl Orff Canada Orff Levels Instructor. She is honoured to be a recipient of the Morna-June Morrow Award for Excellence in Education. Amanda is passionate about music education because of the important role music plays in the development and growth of children; fostering musicianship, teamwork, and communication while creating an opportunity for children to experience emotion and humanism through music.

INTERMEDIATE

Conductor – Leanne Cooper-Carrier
Accompanist – Beth Emmers

Selections will be performed from the following:
Les oeuvres seront choisies du répertoire suivant:

WAU BULAN – by Tracy Wong
THE SLEEPY SONG – by Sherryl Sewepagaham
SING GENTLY – by Eric Whitacre
SING – by Audry Snyder
MARIE MADELEINE – by Jeannette Gallant



Leanne Cooper-Carrier

Leanne Cooper-Carrier is an up-and-coming choral director, clinician, music educator and vocal health evangelist. Empowering singers is her absolute passion. With a Bachelor degree in Choral Music and another in Education, she uses her pedagogical prowess to grow singers' skills and confidence. Her varied resume includes working as an educator, a choral clinician, composer, and director. Leanne has proved to have a diverse set of skills that demonstrates her passion and leadership, no matter the position. She is currently the director for the St James Assiniboia School Division's Divisional Children's Choir, as well as a French Immersion music teacher at École Voyageur. Leanne lives in Winnipeg MB with her husband, two adorable children, and feisty cat named Lucy.

SENIOR

Conductor - GiUng Lee **Accompanist - Kim Lapatha**

Selections will be performed from the following:
Les oeuvres seront choisies du répertoire suivant:

NITOHTAMOK ASKĪY — by Sheryl Sewepagaham
WALK OUT ON THE WATER — by GiUng Lee
THE RUNNER — by Joshua Rist
JAM! — by Tracy Wong
VOICI MON SECRET — by George Chung



GiUng Lee 이기웅

GiUng Lee is a Korean-Canadian music educator and musician based in Winnipeg, Canada. GiUng currently teaches grade 6-12 music at St. John's-Ravenscourt School, where he has designed a project-based music curriculum rooted in cultural relevance, popular music, and student creativity. As a choral leader, GiUng previously served as Artistic Director and Conductor of Prairie Voices, an award-winning youth/young adult community choir. He specializes in working with youth and young adult singers and is best known for his ensembles' dynamic and innovative delivery of choral music. GiUng holds a Master of Music in Choral Conducting and a Bachelor of Music in Voice from the University of Manitoba, and a Bachelor of Education from the University of British Columbia.

SPECIAL THANKS

CHORAL CELEBRATION COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Lori Arthur, Melissa Burns, Sean Fitzmaurice, Monica Ossachuk, Heidi Serger, and Allan Suban

LRSB BOARD OFFICE STAFF

Mackayla Essery, Events & Communications Coordinator
Lynne Mulaire-Kyle, Administrative Secretary

EXTERNAL SUPPORT

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Thanks to our wonderful Stage Manager, Emmalee Blackadar and our Site Supervisor, Melissa Burns.

Thanks to Tanner Banas who took photos and created the Choral Celebration video.

UNITED WAY WINNIPEG

Thank you to our partners at United Way Winnipeg for joining us this evening and for their work in our communities.

If you would like to make another donation in support of United Way, please use the QR code below.



MUSIC SPECIALISTS

LRSD MUSIC SPECIALISTS OF PARTICIPATING SCHOOLS

Laura Anderson

Lori Arthur

Allison Boettcher

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Katie Donnelly

Jennifer Engbrecht

Sean Fitzmaurice

Matthew Funk

Brigitte Girouard

James Hickerson

Steve Howes

Kara Hunter

Joyce Lim

Chloe LeBlanc-Tod

Leslie MacCorby

Brian Meads

John Mooney

Rob Monson

Becki Moss

Justin Odwak

Alanna Roscoe

Angela Rud

Mykayla Santilli

Heidi Serger

Andrea Siemens

Meara Sparling

Allan Suban

Monique Vasquez

EXIT PLAN

To ensure the program continues without interruption, all choir students will be dismissed at the end of the concert. Parents will need to sign their child out with a teacher.

Intermediate Choir students will be outside the auditorium portals (*schools on each side are listed below.*) Junior Choir students will be on the piano noble.

Junior Choir			
Upstairs in Piano Noble - ODD PORTAL SIDE		Upstairs in Piano Noble - EVEN PORTAL SIDE	
Darwin, Dr. D.W. Penner, École Guyot, École Van Bellegham, École Varennes, General Vanier, Hastings, HS Paul, Island Lakes Community School, Lavallee, Niakwa Place, Nordale, Victor H.L. Wyatt	Station D	Station H	École Henri-Bergeron, École Marie-Anne-Gaboury, École Sage Creek, École St. Germain, Frontenac, Glenwood, Highbury, Minnetonka, Samuel Burland, Shamrock, Victor Mager
Intermediate Choir			
ODD PORTAL SIDE		EVEN PORTAL SIDE	
Niakwa Place École Van Bellegham General Vanier Hastings	Station C	Station G	Frontenac Victor Mager Marion Minnetonka
Island Lakes, École Guyot, École Varennes	Station B	Station F	Samuel Burland Highbury École MAG
École George-McDowell Darwin H.S. Paul	Station A	Station E	Shamrock École Henri-Bergeron Glenwood

Senior choir members will be exiting through the performers' backstage door. Thank you for your patience and cooperation as you exit the Concert Hall.