

Best of the West Music Festival
Colorado Mesa University
Repertoire History

2014 – Dr. Karen Fannin, Mrs. Debbie Baker, Dr. Jonathan Hinkle

BOTW Wind Symphony, Dr. Karen Fannin, conductor

Shadow Rituals – Michael Markowski
Reverberations – Brian Balmages
Rest – Frank Ticheli
Sol Y Sombra – George Gates
The Seal Lullaby – Eric Whitacre

BOTW Symphonic Band, Mrs. Debbie Baker, conductor

Nathan Hale Trilogy – James Curnow
The Great Locomotive Chase – Robert Smith
Redemption – Rossano Galante
American Fanfare – John Wasson
Shine – Michael Markowski

BOTW Concert Band, Dr. Jonathan Hinkle, conductor

Darklands March – Randall D. Standridge
Variations on “Russian Sailer’s Dance”-Reinhold Gliere, arr. Bobrowitz
Dynasty – Jason K. Nitsch
Gadget – Randall D. Standridge

2013 – Dr. Carolyn Barber, Mr. Casey Cropp, Dr. Jonathan Hinkle

BOTW Wind Symphony, Dr. Carolyn Barber, conductor

Brighton Beach – William Latham
Greek Folk Song Suite – Franco Cesarini
Sheltering Sky – John Mackey
Spring Festival – Chen Yi
Double Happiness – Joseph Curiale

BOTW Symphonic Band, Mr. Casey Cropp, conductor

Falcon Fanfare – Brian Balmages
Choreography – Robert Sheldon
Abracadabra – Frank Ticheli
The Bonsai Tree – Julie Giroux
Radetzky March – Johann Strauss/arr. Andrew Balent

BOTW Concert Band, Dr. Jonathan Hinkle, conductor

Pinnacle – Rob Grice
Zia, Zia! – Claude T. Smith
Yorkshire Ballad – James Barnes
Morning Reflections – Michael Vertoske
Rhythms & Riffs – Brian Balmages
Agressivo – Randall D. Standridge

2012- Mr. Allan McMurray and Mrs. Karen Greggs

BOTW Wind Symphony, Mr. Allan McMurray, conductor

Suite Provencale – Jan van der Roost
Three Ayres from Gloucester – Hugh M. Stuart
Variations on a Korean Folk Song – John Barnes
Amazing Grace – Frank Ticheli
I’m Seventeen Come Sunday – Percy Grainger/ Larry Daehn

BOTW Symphonic Band, Mrs. Karen Greggs, conductor

Winds a’ “Whispering” – John Schoneberger, arr. Pierre LaPlante
A Renaissance Festival – Claude Gervaise/Ken Singleton
Last Ride of the Pony Express – David Schaffer
Pax – Catherine McMichael
Shenandoah Triptych – Brian Balmages

2011- Dr. Wendy McCallum & Mr. Butch Eversole

BOTW Wind Symphony, Dr. Wendy McCallum, conductor

Hymn to the Dawn – Kimberly Archer
Fanfare to St. Cecilia – Philip Sparke
Journey of Exploration – Yo Goto
Kirkpatrick Fanfare – Andrew Boysen
Shine – Michael Markowski

BOTW Symphonic Band, Mr. Butch Eversole, conductor

The Devil’s Workshop – Kimberly Archer
Rhythms and Riffs – Brian Balmages
March of the Buccaneers – Victor Flowers
Prospect – Pierre LaPlante
Regenesis – John Higgins

2010 – Mr. Eugene Corporon & Mrs. Sara Wynes

BOTW Wind Symphony, Mr. Eugene Corporon, conductor

Miniature Overture – Jack Stamp
Bloom – Steven Bryant
The Tango Disappearing – Timothy Broege
Undertow – John Mackey
Songs of Old Kentucky – Brant Karrick

BOTW Symphonic Band, Mrs. Sara Wynes, conductor

Snow Child – Jared Spears
Distant Thunder of the Sacred Forest – Michael Sweeney
Lexington March – Karl King/ arr. James Swearingen
Overture to “LaVie Parisienne” – Jacques Offenbach/Singleton
Scenes from an Ocean Voyage – Brian Balmages

2009 – Dr. Gillian MacKay & Mr. Craig Ketels

BOTW Wind Symphony, Dr. Gillian MacKay, conductor

Morning’s First Light – David Gillingham
Madurodam – Johann de Meij
Tricycle – Andrew Boysen
Blackwater – Fergal Carroll
Petty Harbour Bait Skiff – Jim Duff

BOTW Symphonic Band, Mr. Craig Ketels, conductor

Bavura – C.E. Duple/arr. Edmondson
Second Prelude – George Gerswin/arr. Krance
A Renaissance Revel -- Tylman Susato/arr. Ken Singleton
Bells of Freedom – David Gillingham
Joy -- Frank Ticheli

2008 – Dr. Joan deAlbuquerque & Ms. Stephanie Texera

BOTW Wind Symphony, Dr. Joan deAlbuquerque, conductor

Arioso – J.S. Bach/arr. Jacob de Hann
Pieces of Eight – Carolyn Bremer
In the Forest of the King – Pierre La Plante
Washington Post – Sousa/arr. John Carnahan

BOTW Symphonic Band, Ms. Stephanie Texera, conductor

Tinkers to Evers to Chance – Carolyn Bremer
Zia Zia – Claude T. Smith
Peregrin: A Traveler’s Tale – Doug Akely
A Song for Friends – Larry Daehn
Unraveling – Andrew Boysen, Jr.
Portrait of a Clown – Frank Ticheli

2007 – Dr. Kraig Alan Williams & Mr. Tim Libby, conductors

BOTW Wind Symphony, Dr. Williams, conductor

Nitro - Frank Ticheli
Polly Oliver - Thomas Root
I Am - Andrew Boysen
Lost Lady Found – Grainger/Fennell

BOTW Symphonic Band, Mr. Tim Libby, conductor

Circus Days - Karl King
A Song of Hope -James Swearingen
Phantom of Dark Hollow - Robert Sheldon
Awakening Hills - Richard Saucedo
John Williams in Concert -arr. Paul Lavendar

2006 – Dr. Gary Hill and Mr. Mark Wurst, guest conductors

BOTW Maroon Band, Dr. Hill, conductor

Selections from “The Danyseré” – Susato/Patrick Dunnigan
Fanfares from the Opera LIBUSE – Bedrich Smetana/arr. Nelhybel
American Hymn – Jason Nitsch

BOTW Gold Band, Mr. Wurst, conductor

Flourish for Wind Band – Ralph Vaughan Williams
Novo Lenio – Samuel R. Hazo
Dynasty – Jason Nitsch
Prairie Dances – David Holsigner
Chorale Prelude: Be Thou My Vision (not performed)

2005 - Dr. Paula Holcomb and Dr. Calvin Hofer, conductors

Galop - Shostakovich
Sarabande & Polka - Malcolm Arnold/Paynter
Shenandoah - Ticheli
O Magnum Mysterium - Lauridsen
Cajun Folk Songs - Ticheli
Pelude, Siciliano & Rondo - Arnold/Paynter
The Thunderer - Sousa

2004 - Dr. Alan Lafave, conductor

Fanfare and Flourishes – James Curnow
Images – Robert Sheldon
With Quiet Courage – Larry Daehn
The Spirit of Orpheus - Robert W. Smith
Anchors Aweigh - Arr. James Ployhar

2003 - Dr. John Tuinstra, conductor

Courtly Airs and Dances – Ron Nelson
Flourish for Wind Band – Ralph Vaughan Williams
Lindbergh Variations – Robert Sheldon
Fire of Eternal Glory – Dimitri Shostakovich
Loch Lomond – Frank Ticheli

2002 - Mr. Eugene Corporon, conductor

Sun Dance - Frank Ticheli
Sunrise at Angel's Gate - Philip Sparke
Overture on a Minstrel Tune - Pierre La Plante
Old Churches - Michael Colgrass
Hands Across the Sea - John Philip Sousa/Keith Brion
Suite on Celtic Folk Songs - Tomohiro Tatebe

2001 - Dr. Calvin Hofer, conductor (combined w/ MSC Wind Symphony)

Cajun Folk Songs - Frank Ticheli
Chant & Jubilo - Francis W. McBeth
American Elegy - Frank Ticheli
For the Courageous - Jared Spears
I'm Seventeen Come Sunday - Percy Grainger/arr. Wagner

2000 - Dr. Calvin Hofer, Conductor (combined w/ MSC Wind Symphony)

Where Never Lark or Eagle Flew - James Curnow
Vesuvius - Frank Ticheli
On a Hymn Song of Philip Bliss - David Holsinger
Scherzo - Albert Oliver Davis
Aspen Song - Walter Cummings
Sleigh Ride - Leroy Anderson