

Strings & Wings



*October 14th,
7pm*

Langley High School Orchestra

Dr. Scott McCormick

Langley Orchestra Director

Dr. Scott McCormick (a.k.a “Doc” to his students) received his D.M.A. from Indiana University Bloomington in Music Performance and Literature (Viola). He is in his 25th year of teaching at Langley High School and is honored to have received Langley’s Outstanding Teacher of the Year Award in 2018.

He is also an Adjunct Professor at Patrick Henry College in Purcellville where he directs the Chamber orchestra, Harp Ensemble and teaches Applied Strings. He is also a core member of the Washington Bach Consort, the area’s premiere Baroque orchestra and chorus.

Doc lives on a small rural property in Western Loudoun County with his wife, Rebekah, and their children, Norah and Hugh, (affectionately known as the Doclings). Other residents of Doc’s homestead include a Siamese cat, a family of hummingbirds, and most recently an adorable English Springer Spaniel named Figaro. They also have an award-winning flock of heritage breed chickens, two of which have won the Grand Champion prize at the Loudoun County Fair Poultry Show. The most memorable winner, a Wheaten Maran hen named Lupine, performs a variety of tricks -- including playing the xylophone.



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(listed top to bottom)

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Prelude

Angry BirdsAri Pulkkinen (arr. Tedesco/Heyde)
Piano soloists: Luca Gozzi & Addie Middleton

Concert Orchestra

Feed the Birds, from *Mary Poppins*.....R. Sherman (arr. Longfield)
The Speckled HenWilliam Hofeldt
Chicken Foot Transplant.....Matt Turner
Drumset soloist: Humphrey Chan

Symphonic Orchestra

Swan LakeP.I. Tchaikovsky (arr. Phillippe)
The Emerald Falcon.....Richard Meyer
Finale from *Firebird*I. Stravinsky (arr. Hoffman)

Philharmonic Orchestra

Overture, from *The Thieving Magpies*.....G. Rossini (arr. Gruselle)
Of Glorious PlumageRichard Meyer
Spring, from *The Seasons*A. Vivaldi
Birdcall soloists: Gemma Shi, Leah Pang, Zifei Zhao
The Swan, from *Carnival of the Animals*.....Camille Saint-Saens
Langley Cello Choir
Chicken RunJohn Powell (Arr. Hunter)
Kazoo soloists: Kristen Han, Kristen Chen, Philip Chen,
Sasha Shakula, Alan Fu, Phoebe Emerick

Concert Orchestra

Violin 1

Edward Ahn
Elissa Arnold
Mia Chidiac
John Coen
Owen Crowell
Catalina Gnau
Hannah Goudarzi
Cindy He
Joanna Jin
Nandita Karthik
Terry McNamara
Bayyina Mir
Ayisha Mirza
Shreya Padmanabhan
Ryan Qiao
Neera Sharma
Nathan Tong
Max Velgot
Leo Wang
Steven Wang

Violin 2

Niko Aucoin
Vanessa Davies
Sophia Elam
Charlotte Frankel
Annabella Gonzalez

Aban Habib
Andre Homayounmehr
Aarini Kumar
Isaac Lin
Anthony Llanes-Perez
Mercy Melesse
Arielle Niamien
Lara Ozdemir
Anhud Pahwa
Orchid Prakthong
Vreni Raina
Eileen Ruan
Vincent Ruscio
Kyle Shadid
Alina Shah
Mohammed
Mythili Sudhir
Mark Thott
Annecy Tran
Cy Vegas

Viola

Karim Al-Ahmed
Tallulah Choi
Olivia Li
Michael Maskell
Amelia Neo
Andrew Perez Perez

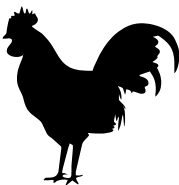
Isabelle Rawlings
Kai Reventar
Chrystiana Robinson
Jonathan Seewald
Hannah Stevens

Cello

Kareem Amro
Carmen Appel
Alejandro Corona
Charlotte de Clerck
Eric Han
Sarah Jarrah
Christopher Kim
Benjamin Paredes
Lily Raoufinia
Azra Topo
Chelsea Zeng
Andrew Zheng
Jack Zheng
Jason Zheng

Bass

Kevin Keshavarz



Teaching Assistants:

Michaela Frey, Katie

Myshrall, Zifei Zhao



Symphonic Orchestra

Violin 1

Ananda Abeysekera
Rahula Abeysekera
Natalie Aucoin
Isabelle Boyd
Madeline Jacobs
Gunnar Jamison
Julie Kinead
Andy Li
Claire Li-Chang
Zaineb Mallick
Ella Naroditsky
Emily New
Dewey Qiao
Maria Reshetnyak
Varun Sharma
Gemma Shi
Aiden Thornsbury
Teagan Tolman
Eric Zeng

Violin 2

Hirad Alsafi
Billy Center
Sri Chaduruvelly
Matthew de Clerck
Violet Grgeta
Armon
Homayounmehr

Simra Hussain
Ishi Kanaparthi
Chloe Ko
Wyatt Lewis
Adan Li
Colin Marshall
Mo Mir
Raghu Rana
Jason Ruan
Sophia Sahaydak
Bennett Steele
Dylan Thomas
Margot West
Hannah Workie
Yali Zhu

Viola

Augustus Berle
Dylan Bracken
Aria Braynard
Johnny Center
Liam Coffey
Reeyaz Ghimire
Sahas Iyer
Lucas Kim
Jaidan Sabharwal
Nate Tuomey
William Wu

Cello

Jade Arnold
Tara Chun
Zoey Gu
Nuraz Hassan
Varenaya Immidisetti
Adam Kim
Jinhan Kim
Keira Lam
Prthika Lanka
Shumvobi Mitra
Max Tang
Nina Wang
Sasha Weiss
Daniel Zia

Bass

Luke Butler
Iris Yoon

Piano

Kylie Guo
Keira Lam



Teaching Assistant:
Gemma Shi, Max Tang

Philharmonic

Violin 1

Kristen Cheung
Lily Choi
Connor Chun
Michaela Frey
Kristen Han
Bennett Huang
Chloe Lin
Leah Pang
Gemma Shi
Nhien Tran

Violin 2

Nick Chang
Ben Chilton
Lam Dinh
Alan Fu
Jarod Jiang

Iris Lin
Avery Pang
Jonathan Sang
Sasha Shakula
David Shi
Jah-la Vang
Zifei Zhao

Viola

Kweku Adusei-Poku
Philip Chen
Luke Chuang
Tongfei Ji
Andrew Kim
Matthew Kim
Lewis Le
Catherine Lyons
Ryan Minton
Katie Myshrall

Cello

Tony Aue
Joanna Chen
Allison Cheng
Alex Frey
Saeun Jeon
Lianhan Li
Shumvobi Mitra
Max Tang
Julian Vasapoli
Bryan Xia

Bass

Luke Butler
Phoebe Emerick
Claire Mo

Piano

Luca Gozzi
Adeline Middleton

Congratulations to our 2025 Senior Regional Orchestra Participants!

Gemma Shi (assistant concertmaster)
Zifei Zhao (principal 2nd violin)
Leah Pang (assistant principal 2nd)
Bennett Huang – 2nd violin
Rahula Abeysekera – 2nd violin
Andrew Kim – viola
Kweku Adusei-Poku – viola
Julian Vasapoli – cello
Alexander Frey – cello



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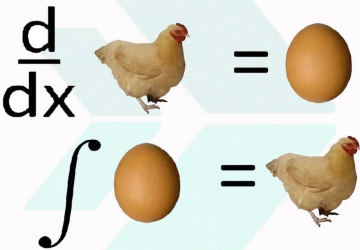
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feathers -
That perches in the soul -
And sings the tune
without the words -
And never stops - at all -
~By Emily Dickinson



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