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### TOUR PERFORMANCES

Ferris High School - Spokane, Washington

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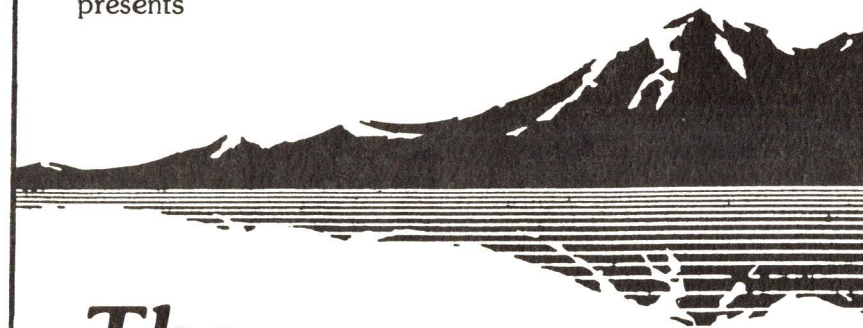
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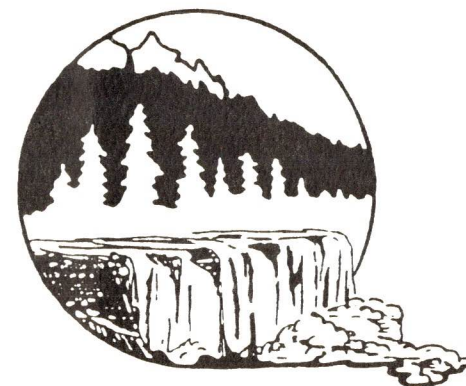
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# The Symphonic Band

*Great Falls, Montana*

**Jeff Long, Conductor**



SPRING TOUR

April 1989



## PROGRAM

- American Overture for Band ..... Joseph Wilcox Jenings
- Grand Serenade  
for an Awful lot of Winds and Percussion ..... P.D.Q. Bach  
(1807-1742?)
1. Grand Entrance
  2. Simply Grand Minuet
  3. Romance in the Grand Manner
  4. Rondo Mucho Grando
- (Tastefully Adapted to the Modern Concert Band by Professor Shickele)
- I Got Rhythm! ..... George Gershwin/arranged by John Higgins
- Nilesdance ..... David Holsinger
- Passacaglia ..... John Zdechlik
- Second Suite for Military Band in F Major ..... Gustav Holst
1. March
  2. Song Without Words
  3. Song of the Blacksmith
  4. Fantasia on the Dargason
- The Texans ..... James Barnes
- The Trombone King ..... Karl King/edited by John Paynter

## GREAT FALLS HIGH SCHOOL SYMPHONIC BAND

### FLUTE

Janice Anderson  
Audy Baack\*  
Kristi Conway  
Jaquie Gartzka  
April Gaskell  
Jody Hallstrom  
Kris Hunter  
Donna Larson  
Michon Mancell  
Mark Mazurkiewicz  
Kerry Merrel  
Stacy Nelson  
Kathy Shaw  
Heidi Tuttle  
Karen Waterson

### OBOE

Esme' Hassinger

### CLARINET

Julia Bender  
Michelle Brandt  
Colleen Denny  
Lisa Freeman  
Sarah Hanlon  
Rachel Mann\*  
Erin Nicholls  
Malinda Rollo  
Jomarie Phelan  
Mike Seelmeyer  
Stephanie Tollefson

### BASS CLARINET

Julie Kuntz  
Sandra Morse\*  
Kathy Ropes  
Lisa Sepe

### BASSOON

Billie Jo Dawson  
Shawnda Nilson\*  
Robin Reinert

### ALTO SAXOPHONE

Lanny Love  
Casey McVay\*  
Mike Nelson  
Kelly Waring

### TENOR SAXOPHONE

DeWitt Burrows\*  
Dustin Swank

### BARITONE SAXOPHONE

Chris Steel

### TRUMPET

Scott Clausen  
Mike Davis  
Tari Ensign  
Greg Grosenick  
Mason Hart\*  
Janelle King  
Brian Pfile  
Keri Yeagley

### FRENCH HORN

Chris Day  
Roberta Harris\*  
Keith Porter  
Karen Swanberg

### EUPHONIUM

Troy Carrol  
Matt Kapus  
Melodie King  
John Stettler\*

### TROMBONE

Teresa Armstrong  
Daron Park\*  
Jason Rude  
Aric Wright

### TUBA

Jason Hackmann

### STRING BASS

Charles Smith

### PERCUSSION

Kenny Atkinson  
Kevin Daly  
Stephanie Karger  
Lance Nussbaum  
Buck Olson  
Chad Rubino  
Amy Skaggs

\*Section Leader

Great Falls High School is a four-year high school with an enrollment of over 1,800 students, with nearly 550 young people involved in the study of music through performance and classroom study. The Choral Department includes eight performing choirs which meet daily. Aeolian, Lyric and Varsity Choirs are 9th grade choirs; the Concert Choir and Chorale are grades 10-12 training choirs; the Select Women's Choir is made up of advanced sophomores, juniors and seniors; the Delphian Choir and the Chamber Singers represent the select choral groups. The Instrumental Department includes the Varsity Band, the Concert Band, the select Symphonic Band and the Blue Notes Jazz Band. The string program is made up of the String Ensemble, a training group which is prerequisite to the String orchestra. Music Theory and Music Appreciation are non-performance course offerings available to all advanced music students. Handbells have been offered at Great Falls High School since 1985. The program currently consists of beginning and intermediate level choirs as well as the GFHS Handbell Choir, which includes the most experienced ringers. Handbell students are drawn from all areas of the music department.