

A Note from the Composer

The greatest thing about BATAWAGAMA is the willingness of its leaders to underwrite projects that support learning for the campers. The annual band camp commission is one such project, unique in the music world.

We are in the midst of a three-year commission to write a full four-movement Symphony for Band. In 2006, we premiered the first movement written in sonata form. Camp activities last year were devoted to studying and learning this important musical form.

This year the commission includes movements two and three. Movement two is a Chaconne—an important historical form dating back to the 1600's. A Chaconne is a variation form where a series of chords are presented and repeated over and over, each time using a new melody. (American Blues would be a modern version of Chaconne form.)

The third movement is a Scherzo-Trio, which is the most typical third movement in symphonies dating back to Mozart and Haydn. A Scherzo-Trio is not unlike our modern March-Trio form. The only difference is that the Scherzo is repeated after the trio.

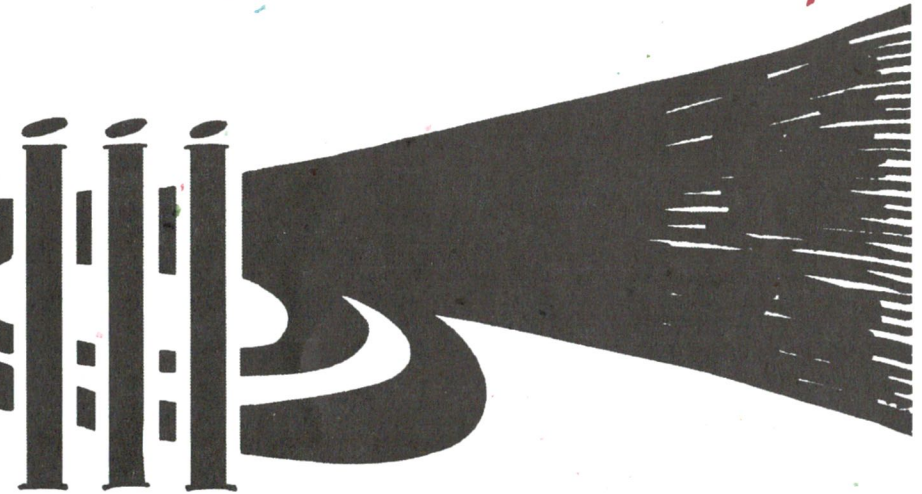
Next year we will present the fourth movement of Symphony for Band to complete the three-year project. The fourth movement will be in Rondo form.

Thanks to BATAWAGAMA for providing this great learning opportunity for these wonderful young musicians.

Robert Hanson



52nd Annual IRON COUNTY BAND CAMP CONCERT



Dennis Glocke

Bata Band Conductor, Director of Bands,
Penn State University
University Park, Pennsylvania

Lynn Hansen

Gama Band Conductor,
Traverse City, Michigan

Saturday, June 23th, 2007
West Iron County High School Gymnasium

GAMA BAND
Lynn Hansen, Conductor

Joy.....Frank Ticheli

Suite From Bohemia.....Vaclav Nelhybel

- I. Procession to the Castle
- II. Folk Tale
- III. Tournament
- IV. Round Dance

Miss Liberty.....Karl L. King

BATA BAND
Dennis Glocke, Conductor

Three Ayres From Gloucester.....Hugh M. Stuart

- I. The Jolly Earl of Cholmondeley
- II. Ayre For Eventide
- III. The Fiefs of Wembley

Psalm 46.....John Zdechlik

Three Pieces For American Band.....Timothy Broge

- I. Fanfare
- II. Pavan To A Ground
- III. Fantasia

Circus Days.....Karl King
(arranged by Schissel)

COMBINED BANDS

Symphony for Band.....Robert Hanson

- II. Chaconne
- III. Scherzo and Trio

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52nd Annual Iron County Band Camp Concert

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instruments

and

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Iron County Band Camp

Youth Camp Staff

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 Mary Cattani
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Instrumental Specialists

KRISTIN AGEE.....PERCUSSION
 Graduate Student, Ohio University

ROGER BRAUN.....PERCUSSION
 Professor of Percussion, Ohio University, Principal Percussion, Ohio Valley Symphony

MARK FLAHERTY.....TRUMPET
 Assistant Professor of Music (Trumpet/Technology/Jazz), Northern Michigan University

MIKE HALLTROMBONE
 Professor of Trombone, Old Dominion University, Virginia Governor's School for the Arts

ROBERT HANSON.....COMPOSER
 Composer, Music Director, Elgin Illinois Symphony Orchestra

ALYSSA MCKEITHEN.....OBOE/BASSOON
 Free-lance musician in South Florida; Howarth Oboe representative; professional reed-maker

CARRIE KOFFMAN.....SAXOPHONE
 Professor of Saxophone, The Hartt School, University of Hartford

ED RISINGER.....TUBA AND EUPHONIUM
 Professor of Tuba and Euphonium, Illinois Wesleyan University

KIM MCCOUL RISINGER.....FLUTE
 Professor of Flute, Illinois State University; Principal Flute, The Illinois Symphony Orchestra and Chamber Orchestra

ROBERT SPRING.....CLARINET
 Evelyn Smith Professor of Music, Arizona State University, Tempe, Arizona; Principal Clarinet, ProMusica Chamber Orchestra, Columbus, Ohio

JIM WILHELMSSEN.....ACCOMPANIST
 Teacher of Piano, Accompanist, Vocal Coach, and Free-Lance Musician; Director, Clarkston Conservatory of Music; Fulbright Scholar; Former Faculty, University of Michigan, Wayne State University, Center for Creative Studies, Detroit

WILLARD ZIRK.....FRENCH HORN
 Professor of Horn, Eastern Michigan University; Member of Eastern Wind Quintet

Gama Band

Flute

Audra Basal
Sheila Flood
Samantha Micke
Ashley Beaudry
Alyssa Bell
Marissa LaVigne

Oboe

Chelsey Fix

Clarinet

Erin Glocke
Dani Tingo
Bethany Hunt
Cody Krznarich
Lexy Henkelman
Alex Swanson
Rachel Caron
Taylor Peiffer
Michaela Barnhart
Andrea Grengs

Bassoon

Kaylee Whitfield
Drew Hibbard

Alto Saxophone

Eric Bogauda
Samantha Olson
Rachel West
Ashley Thomas
Jack Klim
Anne Krohn
Jason LaFave
Austin Martin
Colton Powell
Chelsea Fodin

Tenor Saxophone

Carolyn Lawrence

Baritone Saxophone

Austin St. Vincent

Horn

Olivia Heitz
Stefany Barba
Jessica Kennedy

Trumpet

Beau LaFave
David Laughbaum
Alix Turri
Lacie Miller
Rachel Bugay
Bill Houghton
Andy Marcell
David Beck

Tuba

Jordan Smith
Arthur Bishop

Euphonium

Todd Way
Alex Takala
Travis Tomasoski
Jimmy Spicer

Trombone

Megan Pacer
Shaun Fleury

Perucussion

Kristen Verdoorn
Marissa Nygaard
Haille Bernson
Trevor Rosten
Nick Takala
Jason Thibeault

Bata Band

Flute

Jane Gregg
Jenna Bernson
Emily Whitmer
Valerie Takala
Mccall Sayen
Kelly Haynes
Erin Kirkpatrick
Ashley Wade
Sandrya MacDonald
Amanda McLeod
Kaylen Broeders

Oboe

Kirsten Foster
Kim Beck

Clarinet

Charlotte Anderson
Sarah Morrison
Michele Owens
Stanley Ritsema
Hilary Severyn
Shannon Coughlin
Jackie Kennedy
Nicole Clement
Megan Ritter
Jordan Rispalje

Bass Clarinet

David Roush

Bassoon

Danielle Hall

Alto Saxophone

Carrie Seavoy
Michelle Thomas
Travis Sotirin-Miller
Tyler Dziubinski
Erik Winsor
Melinda Whitaker
Keely Weiland
Jack Dorr
Clayton Powell

Tenor Saxophone

Serena Cram
Jazmin Bolan-Williamson
Stephanie Spicer
Jon Menghini

Horn

Luke Shepich
Molly Wells
Marcela Barba
Kelly Fielder
Elizabeth Petschar
Katherine Beck
Anne Golus
Hannah Tepsa
Jessica Kennedy

Trombone

Lee Shepich
Dylan Tauzer
Roscoe Schieler
Angelo Bersine
Clinton Millman

Trumpet

Jacob Bender
Anthony Smiljanich
Caleb Scanlon
Mark Fitzpatrick
Paul Thomas
Steven Collins
Debbra Wagner
Alex Pickard
Mike Martin

Euphonium

John Daavettila
Adam Ladd
Brita Thorne
Keith Olson
Tony Menucci

Tuba

Kiersten Ritsema
Michelle Hunt
Casey Olson

Percussion

Matthew Wells
Kavi Pandey
Breyanna Waldsmith
Dan Bingel
Philip Lindblom
Michael Way
Nick Ralston