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"I look at my clarinet sometimes and I think, I wonder what's going to come out of there tonight? You never know."

-Acker Bilk (1929 - 2014) English clarinettist

## **CLARINET FUSION**

**PRESENTS** 



# A MUSICAL EXCURSION



FRIDAY, JULY 10, 2015
PLEASANT HILL SENIOR CENTER
233 GREGORY LANE, PLEASANT HILL

**Clarinet Fusion** (kler-ə-'net 'fyü-zh<sup>a</sup>n) *n*. **1.** The process of the sound of single-reed, tubular woodwind instruments merging diverse, distinct, or separate elements into a unified whole.

#### • Program •

Puszta - 1st Movement	
Old Military Music	
English Folk Song Suite	
Libertango	
The Sorcerer's Apprentice	
<b>Beelzebub</b>	
Clarinet Polka	
Moderato, quasi marcia from Serenade for Winds Antonin Dvorák/ Coen Wolfgram	
Gypsy Dance from CarmenGeorges Bizet/Lloyd Conley	
When the Saints Go Marching In Traditional/Philip R. Buttall	



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#### • ABOUT CLARINET FUSION •

Clarinet Fusion is the result of the inspiration, hard work, and determination of founder Karyn Weber. Begun as a quartet/quintet in the fall of 2009, Clarinet Fusion performed several concerts each year until the spring of 2012 when it expanded to a full choir to include the extended range of the harmony clarinets. Clarinet Fusion (the clarinet choir) held its debut performance on June 28, 2012.

The members of *Clarinet Fusion* collectively boast over 300 years of music-playing experience, with a majority of that on clarinets. In addition to the clarinets being played today, various members also have experience playing other instruments such as: A and C clarinet, flute, french horn, trumpet, baritone horn, tuba, electric bass, and the saxophone family: soprano, alto, tenor, and baritone.

These musicians also play for a number of other music and performing groups, including:

Danville Community Band
Walnut Creek Concert Band
Awesöme Orchestra Collective
Quintaire Woodwind Quintet
Ohlone Community Band
Ohlone Wind Orchestra
Ohlone Clarinet Choir
Castro Valley Chamber Orchestra
Pleasanton Community Concert Band

Livermore-Amador Symphony
Brentwood Concert Band
Tri-Valley Rep Theatre (Livermore)
Star Struck Theater (Fremont)
California Repercussions Band
Hayward Municipal Band
Contra Costa Wind Symphony
Oakland Civic Orchestra
Prometheus Symphony Orchestra

#### • Personnel •

Ronald Kerst	Eb Clarinet, Bb Clarinet
Danielle Napoleon	Bb Clarinet
David Rausch	Bb Clarinet
Dave Sandusky	Bb Clarinet
John Toyama	Bb Clarinet
Rita Zigas-Brown	Bb Clarinet
Karyn Weber	Eb Alto Clarinet
Mark Horne	EEb Contra Alto Clarinet,
	BBb Contra Bass Clarinet

Kathy Boster, Phillip Pollard (on leave)