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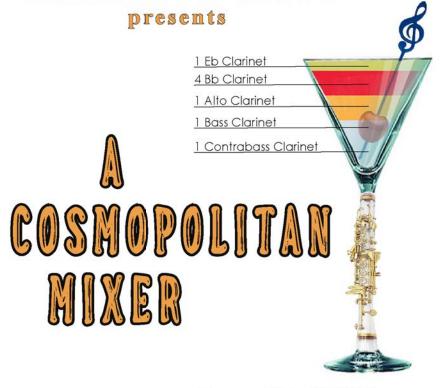


Danielle Napoleon	Eb Clarinet, Bb Clarinet
Sarah Hartglass (guest musician)	Bb Clarinet
George Pascoe	Bb Clarinet
David Rausch	Bb Clarinet
John Toyama	Bb Clarinet
Rita Zigas-Brown	Bb Clarinet
Karyn Weber	Eb Alto Clarinet
Kathy Boster	Eb Clarinet, Bb Bass Clarinet
George MarchBl	Clarinet, BBb Contra Bass Clarinet
Diane Maltester (not performing tonight)	

The musicians of Clarinet Fusion collectively boast over 300 years of music-playing experience, with a majority of that on clarinet. Various members also have experience playing other instruments such as: A and C clarinet, flute, ukulele, piano, bassoon and the saxophone family: soprano, alto, tenor, and baritone. They also play with a number of other regional bands, orchestras, and musical theatre orchestras.

FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT CLARINET FUSION PLEASE CONTACT US OR LOOK FOR US ONLINE.





TUESDAY, JULY 25, 2023 ROSSMOOR EVENT CENTER 1021 STANLEY DOLLAR DR. WALNUT CREEK, CA



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

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The Circus Bee (Cincinnati) Henry Fillmore, arr. Jari Villanueva Chattanooga Choo Choo (Tennessee) Harry Warner Fur Elise Boogie Woogie (India).....Ludwig van Beethoven, arr. Keith Terrett Menuetto (Czech Republic).......Antonín Dvořák, arr. Clair Johnson What! No Cigar? (Cuba)......Alun Cook The Sound of Silence (Florida).......Paul Simon, arr. Bill Malcolm Love Story (Massachusetts)Francis Lai, arr. Bill Malcolm Greg Brown, Tenor Sax Fugue in C Minor (Germany)....... J.S. Bach, arr. Jervis Underwood Klezmer Karnival (Eastern Europe) Philip Sparke Sweet Caroline (Brooklyn) Neil Diamond, arr. Thomas H. Graf Rolling Thunder (Cincinnati)...... Henry Fillmore, tr. Matt Johnston



Tonight's Announcer: Greg Brown

THANK YOU TO THE ROSSMOOR RECREATION DEPARTMENT FOR SPONSORING THIS FREE CONCERT

Special thank you to Diablo Valley College Director of Bands, Kaitlin Bove and Orchestra Director, Owen Lee for the loan of the Contrabass Clarinet.

• 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 a year until the spring of 2012 when it expanded to a choir which includes the extended range of the harmony clarinets (Eb Clarinet, Alto Clarinet, Contra Clarinets). On June 28, 2012 Clarinet Fusion held its debut performance as a full clarinet choir. The group had the pleasure to perform on the big stage at Davies Symphony Hall three times for the SF Symphony's Community of Music Makers program. In addition to regular solo performances, Clarinet Fusion has been a guest group with several of the local community bands, as well as performing for an Association of Community Bands (ACB) convention and a California Music Educators Association (CMEA) Winter Conference. In January, 2018, Clarinet Fusion had the honor to be recognized with the 2017 Arts Recognition Award from the Contra Costa County Arts and Culture Commission. And finally, the ensemble was selected to perform at the International Clarinet Association's ClarinetFest in Reno, Nevada in June 2022.

We appreciate playing for you and hope you will come chat with the musicians and come see our instrument display after today's performance.

Thanks for attending!

