



UPCOMING CLARINET FUSION PERFORMANCES

- November 16, 2024 - 2pm - As a guest of Harmony Fusion
Our Savior Lutheran Church, 1385 S. Livermore Ave., Livermore
- December 12, 2024 - 7pm - Holiday Concert
Pleasant Hill Senior Center, 233 Gregory Lane, Pleasant Hill
- June 8, 2025 - 3pm - St. Andrew's Chamber Music Series
St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, 1601 Mary Drive, Pleasant Hill

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Clarinet Fusion presents



TOWN HALL THEATRE
3535 SCHOOL STREET, LAFAYETTE

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 20, 2024
• 4:00PM •

Clarinet Fusion (kler-ə-'net 'fyü-zh'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 •

Star Wars John Williams, arr. Tony Paredes, ed. D. Napoleon
Under the Sea Alan Menken, arr. Lisa Ochoco
This is Halloween Danny Elfman, trans. Chas Warren
The Sorcerer's Apprentice Paul Dukas, arr. Matt Johnston

• INTERMISSION •

The Godfather Nino Rota, arr. Michael Friemel
Love Story Taylor Swift, arr. D. Napoleon
No Time To Die Billie Eilish, arr. Austin Ralphson, ed. G. March
Selections from West Side Story Leonard Bernstein, trans. Chas Warren
The Pirates of the Caribbean K. Badelt & H. Zimmer, arr. Steven Verhaert
The Lone Ar-ranger! arr. Philip Butall



Today's Announcer:
Erika March

• PERSONNEL •

Diane Maltester Eb Clarinet, Bb Clarinet
Danielle Napoleon Eb Clarinet, Bb Clarinet
David Rausch Bb Clarinet
John Toyama Bb Clarinet
Rita Zigas-Brown Bb Clarinet
Karyn Weber Bb Clarinet, Eb Alto Clarinet
Kathy Boster Bb Clarinet, Bb Bass Clarinet
Sarah Hartglass Bb Clarinet, Bb Bass Clarinet
George March Bb Bass Clarinet, BBb Contra Bass 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 (Alto Clarinet, Contra Clarinets). On June 28, 2012 Clarinet Fusion held its debut performance as a full clarinet choir under the baton of Dr. Lawrence E. Anderson, U.C. Davis Director of Bands-Emeritus. In 2014, after two successful seasons with the ensemble skills they had built, Clarinet Fusion took the next step of its evolution: performing in the classical style of a chamber music group without a conductor. That is an ongoing challenge for the musicians as they must mutually, and continually, “agree” upon the numerous nuances of tempo, rhythm and blending tone during the performance of any given piece of music.

The group's diverse music programming - spanning style, genre and international boundaries - has attracted attention from arrangers/composers worldwide who have reached out to them to read their music. 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. In June 2022 the ensemble stepped up its visibility with a performance at the International Clarinet Association's *ClarinetFest* in Reno, Nevada, and last July traveled internationally to perform at *ClarinetFest 2024* in Dublin, Ireland!



We appreciate being able to play for you today and hope you will come chat with the musicians after today's performance. Thanks for attending!