

7th Annual MSBOA/MASTA Teachers Orchestra - 2018 Michigan Music Conference

Looking to recharge your musicianship, rehearsal strategies, and conducting techniques through an active participatory session? Join us for the annual MMC Teachers Orchestra where we will be joined by clinician **Alan MacNair** for a great afternoon of music making with. After an opening session remembering what it is like to be a “student” again, the Teachers Orchestra will serve as the demonstration/lab group for the Conducting Symposium, giving participants the opportunity to learn and observe techniques from several conductors. The Teacher Orchestra experience will culminate in a Friday night performance for students, family, and friends! (Bowed parts will be emailed after registration is received. Please prepare in advance so that the day can maximize its focus on the musical and pedagogical aspects of the works. This year we are featuring the ASTA Competition winner on the concert program (unaccompanied). Additionally, after taking into account participant feedback, we will be moving to an afternoon schedule making the morning available for full participation in the conducting symposium or other conference sessions. SB-CEU’s are available through the MMC for participation in this ensemble.)

Schedule:

Thursday, January 25, 2018

12:00-12:30pm – Check in, warm-up, socialize

12:30-2:30 – Rehearsal Laboratory

2:30-4:00 – Lab Orchestra for String Conducting Symposium + program run through

Friday, January 26, 2018

7:00 p.m. Feature Performance (Concert dress: Men – black shirt and pants, no coat and tie, Women - all black)

Registration must be made through the MMC website. There is no fee to participate in the Teachers Orchestra other than regular conference registration. There is a fee for participation in the conducting symposium. The current schedule makes for easy participation between the conducting symposium and teachers orchestra. Questions contact Joel Schut.

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Additionally please complete the following survey link below noting your name, school program, email address, and preferred string part.

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1oT40DZylq7hhpfpkUBZNXr8rfvh-TkdiLQJ5RcTiiM/viewform?usp=send_form

Looking forward to a great day of music, learning and fun! Feel free to contact with questions!

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