

Saginaw Area Concert Band

Saginaw, Michigan – Philip Blossenberger, Conductor

3:30 p.m.

Program

Regal Fanfare	Richard Saucedo
Sinfonia Hungarica	Robert Jager
Shenandoah	Frank Ticheli
Irish Songs	
I. Deirin De	Robert W. Smith
II. Jug of Punch	
Blue Moon	Richard Rodgers Lorenz Hart arr. Warren Barker
Cole Porter Classics	arr. Douglas Wagner
Raging Thunder	David Shaffer

History

The Saginaw Area Concert Band is celebrating its 40th anniversary this year! Founded and directed by James Nyquist in 1983, it is now under the baton of its fifth conductor, Philip Bossenberger, since 2019.

The Saginaw Area Concert Band is the most active community band in mid-Michigan, performing 15-20 free concerts each year. Its mission is to offer performance opportunities for amateur musicians and take those performances into the community, focusing on those who cannot attend concerts at traditional 'musical' venues, as well as providing fundraising events for local non-profit organizations.

The band's current personnel of approximately 50 musicians come from throughout mid-Michigan. A unique aspect of the group is the development of cross-generational friendships. There is only one criterion for membership: the willingness to share your instrumental talents. SACB believes that music is a gift and does not charge membership fees or admission to our concerts. Donations are our sole source of revenue.

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