

88th ANNUAL SOUTH DAKOTA BANDMASTERS CONFERENCE

Oscar Larson Performing Arts Center
Brookings, SD | February 9-10, 2024

sdbandmasters.org

Friday, February 9, 2024

- 7:45 a.m. **"Speed Dating" Meet and Greet**
Presented by SD Bandmasters Association,
Breakfast sponsored by Popplers Music
- 8:15 a.m. **Session: Empowering the Organism: Creating
an Exceptional Learning Community;**
Gerard Morris, *presenter*, OLPAC 105

*Session: The Flute Ensemble: An Extension
of Flute Teaching; Elizabeth Robinson,
presenter*, OLPAC 109
- 9:00 a.m. **Performance: Rapid City Central High School
Jazz Combo;** Andrew Belsaas, *director*,
Founders Recital Hall
- 10:00 a.m. **SD Bandmasters' Keynote Address;**
Delta David Gier, *presenter*, Founders Recital Hall
- 11:05 a.m. **Performance: Scotland High School
Symphonic Band;** Brett Jacobson, *conductor*,
Larson Memorial Concert Hall
- 11:50 a.m. **Phi Beta Mu Luncheon,** Oscar Larson Theatre
- 1:00 p.m. **Performance: Lincoln High School Jazz
Collective;** Drew Balta, *director*,
Oscar Larson Theatre
- 1:50 p.m. **Session: Learning Music Learners:
Incorporating Four Modes of Learning
Into the Music Classroom;** Sarah Stoneback,
presenter, OLPAC 105

**Session: Where We Go From Here: Music
Teaching and Opportunity in South Dakota;**
David Sanderson, *presenter*, OLPAC 109

- 2:45 p.m. **Performance: Augustana University
Jazz Northlanders;** Brian Hanegan, *director*,
Oscar Larson Theatre
- 4:00 p.m. **Performance: South Dakota School of Mines
and Technology Wind Ensemble;** Haley
Armstrong, *conductor*, Larson Memorial
Concert Hall
- 7:15 p.m. **SD Bandmasters Award Ceremony**
Larson Memorial Concert Hall
- 7:30 p.m. **Performance: South Dakota State University
Wind Symphony;** Jacob Wallace, *conductor*,
with Gerard Morris, Sarah Stoneback and
Bradley Snyder, *featured guest artists*,
Larson Memorial Concert Hall
- 9:30 p.m. **SD Bandmasters Conference Reception**
Comfort Suites University (929 25th Avenue)

Saturday, February 10, 2024

- 8:00 a.m. **SD Bandmasters Business Meeting,**
OLPAC 114
- 9:00 a.m. **Performance: Yankton Middle School
Concert Band;** Tessa Belgum, *conductor*,
Larson Memorial Concert Hall
- 9:40 a.m. **Session: Hummel's Concerto for Trumpet:
A Teacher's Enigma;** Sarah Stoneback and
David Reynolds, *presenters*, OLPAC 105

**Session: Free and Most Popular Resources:
Online Tools, Websites, Apps, and Podcasts
for All Age/Grade Levels;** Ron Stary, *panel
moderator*, OLPAC 109

Session: Developing the Young Band Sound;
Rachel Maxwell, *presenter*, OLPAC 193
- 10:30 a.m. **Session: Classroom Management Strategies,**
Rachel Maxwell, *presenter*, OLPAC 193

**Session: Squeak, Slap, Thud: How to Tame
the Saxophone;** Jason Laczkoski, *presenter*,
OLPAC 109
- 11:20 a.m. **Performance: Ipswich Elementary School
4th/5th Grade Band;** Becky Nierman,
conductor, Larson Memorial Concert Hall
- Noon **SD Bandmasters Reading Band Session;**
Rachel Maxwell and Gerard Morris, *presenters*,
OLPAC 110
- 1:00 p.m. **Adjournment**



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