



THE WEEKEND OF CHAMBER MUSIC, INC.

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STUDENTS PERFORM WITH MUSICAL MENTORS

Monticello – A select group of Monticello High School students and their Weekend of Chamber Music artist coaches perform at 8 pm **May 6** in the school's new band room 700. In its 9th year at Monticello, WCM's band and chamber coaching activities have involved as many as seven county schools at various times over the years, and next year the program expands to two new schools, Tri-Valley and Ellenville.

The performing pros hired to work with student musicians in Monticello's unique chamber music program include cellist Käthe Jarka, bassist Kurt Muroki, flutist Judith Pearce, bassoonist Leonard Hindell, clarinetist Allen Blustine and pianist Marija Stroke. The shared concert features an eclectic program, with music ranging from Simon and Garfunkle to Bach, Albeniz and the Beatles. An original theater piece created by high school senior John Garry, and a duo with Muroki and senior Andrew Trombley are also among the highlights.

The concert is open to the public. Admission is \$10; \$5 for parents of students in the chamber music program, and free for students. For information, call 845-932-8527.

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PHOTO CAPTIONS(photos available on request):



Monticello High School Senior Andrew Trombley



WCM Artist Coach, Bassist Kurt Muroki