

Westchester Symphonic Winds  
333 Mamaroneck Avenue, Box 485  
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**Winner - The American Prize  
Community Wind Ensemble**

**Tarrytown Music Hall**  
Tarrytown, New York  
Sunday, Nov. 9, 2025 at 3:00 p.m.  
Sunday, Feb. 8, 2026 at 2:00 p.m.  
Saturday, May 9, 2026 at 8:00 p.m.

**Jessica Stein-Natale**  
assistant conductor

**Caramoor Center for  
Music & the Arts**  
Katonah, New York  
Pops, Patriots, & Fireworks  
Saturday, July 4, 2026 at 8:00 pm

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38TH SEASON | 2025-2026

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**Curt Ebersole**  
conductor/music director

## 38<sup>th</sup> Season Fundraising

As we begin our next season, we invite you to help us continue to build musical connections across the country and around the world. Our first priority continues to be: bring our audiences the highest quality performances possible. Your gift of support will enhance future WSW concert performances by underwriting the best guest artists and new compositions. All donations directed to our Technology Fund will provide the necessary financial resources to help bring our music to you at the touch of a button. Your donation in any amount to our general operating fund will help us sustain our performances for years to come.

### *Support the Westchester Symphonic Winds!*

Your contributions enable us to continue presenting concerts with modest ticket prices. We welcome your tax deductible contributions! All supporters will be listed in the season's programs, and earn the bonus perks listed below.

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Includes two pairs of season tickets and pre-concert Meet & Greet with the conductor
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- ☐ Please allocate my donation to the Technology Fund.



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Westchester Symphonic Winds

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You can also scan the QR code above or donate at [www.westchestersymphonicwinds.org](http://www.westchestersymphonicwinds.org).

**Look inside to learn more about the ensemble and new season,  
and to order individual concert and season tickets!**

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## Introducing WSW

Our concerts are not just programs, they are truly memorable events! The Westchester Symphonic Winds (WSW) is a 60-piece adult community-based wind and percussion ensemble, originally known as the Hudson Valley Wind Symphony. This year we celebrate our 38<sup>th</sup> season as the area's premiere community band. We exist to promote music in our area, instill pride in our nation and heritage, provide opportunities for personal expression and growth within our membership, and nurture the love of music by offering an exceptional musical experience for people of all ages. WSW performed at the Association of Concert Bands National Conventions in 2012 and 2019, the New York State Band Directors Association in 2017, and the Caramoor Festival annually since 2014.



WSW made its Lincoln Center debut in 2010, and its Carnegie Hall debut in 2023. WSW was the winner of The American Prize for 2018-2019. The organization is an Ensemble-in-Residence at the historic Tarrytown Music Hall in Tarrytown, New York, and rehearses there on Monday evenings, September through June.

Please visit our website at [www.westchestersymphonicwinds.org](http://www.westchestersymphonicwinds.org) for further information regarding donations, membership, and more. Westchester Symphonic Winds, Inc. is a Section 501(c)(3) Not-for-Profit organization. Corporate/personal contributions and volunteers, are essential and always welcomed!

## Curt Ebersole, conductor/music director

has served as the Conductor/Music Director (John P. Paynter Memorial Chair) of the Westchester Symphonic Winds since 2008, fostering its exponential growth over the past eighteen years. He retired from Northern Valley Regional High School (Old Tappan, New Jersey) in 2013 after serving as Director of Instrumental Music for 31 years, and now teaches at The Masters School, in Dobbs Ferry, New York. He has served as a guest conductor/clinician for scores of county, regional, all-state, university and adult community ensembles nationally, including performances at Carnegie Hall, Avery Fisher Hall, Symphony Space, Eisenhower Hall, and in Las Vegas, South Korea and Australia. His achievements include multiple teaching awards, solo performances as a clarinetist and basset hornist, and speaking/clinic engagements with the Midwest Clinic, TEDxOneonta, and several state music education conventions and conducting symposia.



## Purchase Tickets

Tarrytown Music Hall (November 9, February 8, & May 9)

General Admission: \$30 – Seniors and Students: \$20

(Free admission for children under 10)

Order individual concert tickets online at: [www.tarrytownmusichall.org](http://www.tarrytownmusichall.org) or call 877-840-0457

SEASON TICKETS for ALL THREE CONCERTS - Save up to \$30.00!

General Season Ticket: \$60 – Seniors and Students Season Ticket: \$45

Mail season ticket requests by November 1, 2024 with check payable to/addressed to:  
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Caramoor Center for Music & the Arts

Order online at [www.caramoor.org](http://www.caramoor.org) or call 914-232-1252 for details, prices and info.

## 2025-2026 Concert Series Highlights Our Blended Heritage: From Many, One America

Tarrytown Music Hall

in Tarrytown, New York

Box Office - [www.tarrytownmusichall.org](http://www.tarrytownmusichall.org)

Sunday, November 9, 2025 at 3:00 p.m.

### "Sonic Journeys"

Our opening concert will lead you on a tour of Italy with the magnificent tone poem, **The Pines of Rome**, by Ottorino Respighi. We will feature **Morris Northcutt** (Schilke Trumpet Performing Artist) performing works for flugelhorn (*Oblivion*, by Astor Piazzolla) cornet (*Song and Dance*, by Philip Sparke), and trumpet (*Concerto for Trumpet*, by Harry James). **Dr. Brian Cardany** (University of Rhode Island), will be our guest to conduct *Urban Light*. Our apprentice conductor, **Katherine Filatov**, will lead *Solas Ane* by Samuel Hazo. The concert will open with *Intrada*, by Steve Cohen.

Sunday, February 8, 2026 at 2:00 p.m.

### "Perspectives"

Is new music from the 1960's different from new music in the 2020's? We'll make that comparison with **Trittico** by Vaclav Nelhybel and **Bamboo Shoots and City Streets** by Benjamin Barker. Our tuba soloist, **SSG Keith Kile** (West Point Band) will perform the unique concerto, *Through a Window*, by James Beckel. Guest conductor **Jasmine Britt** will offer her interpretation of *Here We Rest*, by Anthony Barfield. Apprentice conductor **Devon Toland** will lead *Danzas Cubanos*, by Robert Sheldon. Other works include: *Towers of Bloom*, by Kelijah Dunton, and *Sheltering Sky*, by John Mackey.

Saturday, May 9, 2026 at 8:00 p.m.

### "America: Mosaic of Liberty"

Our Music Hall season finale will honor the upcoming American Semiquincentennial, with works that celebrate America's roots and diversity. Our *finale ultimo* will be the towering and emotional **Symphony No. 4**, by **David Maslanka**. Our guests include **Timothy Holtan, Col., U.S. Army (Ret.)**, the only officer to command all three of the Army's premier bands, and **MaryKay Messenger, Sgt. Maj., U.S. Army (Ret.)**, the West Point Band's featured vocalist for 29 years. Col. Holtan will conduct *Lexington Triptych* by Dwayne Milburn and *The White Rose March*, by John Philip Sousa. Sgt. Maj. Messenger will present a medley of Americana favorites that will leave you bursting with pride. It's a patriotic celebration which you do not want to miss!

Caramoor Center for Music & the Arts  
in Katonah, New York

Saturday, July 4, 2026 at 8:00 p.m.

### "Pops, Patriots, & Fireworks"

We return to the beautiful Venetian Theater at Caramoor for the fifteenth year to celebrate our spectacular semiquincentennial on Saturday, July 4 at 8:00 pm. Purchase tickets starting in Spring 2026 at [www.caramoor.org](http://www.caramoor.org).