
**A
NIGHT
OF
PERCUSSION**

A Special Thank You to:

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Mr. Bryan Buck, Principal, Plank Junior High

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for letting me "borrow" your percussionists!

The parents of all the performers
for their encouragement and support

**FEATURING
THE OSWEGO HIGH SCHOOL
PERCUSSION ENSEMBLE**

**GUEST SOLOIST
RYAN ZERNA, FLUTE**

**SPECIAL GUESTS:
PLANK JUNIOR HIGH
PERCUSSION ENSEMBLE**

Walter Schneider, Director

April 7, 2010 at 7 p.m.

Welcome to our second annual “Night of Percussion.” Our Percussion Ensemble rehearsals started in November. We performed at the December “Crystals” concert, the *Day of Percussion* at Vandercook College on February 7th, and on March 13 at the Elk Grove Percussion Festival.

Our major work this year is the complete transcription by percussionist, Josh Gottry of Saint Saens’ Danse Macabre and the related piece, Samba Macabre by Dan Armstrong.

I thank all the members of our groups for their attendance at all rehearsals and their diligent practice of this difficult music. *WS*

Oswego Percussion Ensemble

Anthony Ashner*	Jonathan Norris*
Christopher Boes*	Claudia Lopez
Matthew Langerveld	Thomas Pappa*
Nick Langerveld	Erin Schewda
Kendra Lee	Dougan Smith
Mary Watson*	* = OHS Chamber Ensemble

Plank Junior High Percussion Ensemble

Eric Berthelot	Hannah O’Connor
Hannah Gargrave	Samuel Stovall
Jimmy Fisher	Rachel Staudenbaur

Our soloist, **Ryan Zerna**, a junior at OHS, has been studying flute for eight years with Hideko Amano. Recent honors include All-State Honors Orchestra, the Edward and Ethel Martin Scholarship of the Union League Civic and Arts Foundation, and 1st place in the Chicago Flute Club Competition. Ryan also enjoys time with friends and watching movies.

Program

A La Samba.....Mitchell Peters

Oswego Percussion Ensemble

Whole-Tone Fantasy...Thomas O’Connor

The Nesaquake Shake.....Murray Houllif

Plank Junior High Percussion Ensemble

Mysterious Exit.....Howard Buss

Ryan Zerna, Flute Soloist

OHS Chamber Percussion Ensemble

Danse Macabre.....Camille Saint-Saens

transcribed by Josh Gottry

Samba Macabre.....Dan Armstrong

based on the themes of Danse Macabre

by Camille Saint Saens

Cool.....John Russell

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