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President's Corner

July 2026



Summer rally season is in full swing, and there is a lot to be excited about in Streaming Musicians!

The biggest thing on the horizon, of course, is the ACI International Rally in Minot, and I know many of our members are looking forward to being there. This year, we're excited to have an even bigger role at International, as Streaming Musicians will be hosting the Block Party. That's a fun opportunity for our group to be part of the action, represent the Intra-Club, and help create a great experience for rally attendees. Of course, putting on the Block Party means we could use a few volunteers. If you'll be attending International and are willing to lend a hand, please let us know. Whether it's helping with setup, welcoming people, or just pitching in where needed, your help will make a big difference.

And Minot isn't the only event on the calendar. We're also looking ahead to the DCI Rally in August, which is always a highlight for Streaming Musicians. There's something special about getting together with fellow Airstreamers who also share a love of music, and I'm hopeful it will be another great event for our group.

As we head into the rest of the summer, I'd also love to continue hearing from members about what you'd like to see from Streaming Musicians. Whether it's more opportunities to connect socially, more chances to perform or jam together at rallies, or other ways to keep members engaged throughout the year, your ideas are always welcome. This Intra-Club is at its best when it reflects the interests and energy of its members.

A few quick reminders as we head into the busy rally season:

- If you haven't joined the Streaming Musicians Facebook group, it's a great way to stay connected between rallies.
- We still have a limited number of Streaming Musicians flags available if you'd like to show your club spirit at your campsite.
- And if you're headed to Minot, please consider volunteering to help with the Block Party. Many hands make light work, and it will help make both events even more fun.

I'm excited for what's ahead for Streaming Musicians this summer, and I know Minot and the DCI Rally will both be wonderful opportunities for members to connect and make music together. Thanks, as always, for being part of Streaming Musicians. Keep practicing, keep performing, and most of all, keep having fun with the music.

See you down the road!

Cody

ACI Band Director Message

July 2026

Wow, cannot believe that in a few short weeks we will be gathered again, in MINOT this year to enjoy each others company and make beautiful music. Thank you to those making the trip to participate with us! We will miss those of you not in attendance and hope you will join us next year in Rock Springs.

Please find in this newsletter the part assignments, program listing and rehearsal schedule (this has not changed) We will meet on Monday, August 17th at 2pm in the Bunny Barn – Building number 15. I am told that the performance venue is not far from this location.

We WILL be playing the Canadian National Anthem as well as the SSB this year assuming they can be sung in the keys that we have. If you have your parts from years past that is good, if not, we will figure that out when we arrive.

There may be some opportunity for individuals or small groups to perform for the Community Block Party, in the area where we are camped so if you have small ensemble music or you are a jammer, be prepared 😊

If there are ANY questions, please reach out to me via email, meowsik@msn.com, or phone 540-520-2357.

Thank you again and looking forward to seeing you all soon!

Mindy, International Band Conductor

Only the Band and Chorus will park early, no extra charge:
Monday, 17 August 2026 at the Minot, ND International Rally.

MINOT Concert Selections

Not in any particular order

1. The Clarinet Polka – Eric Osterling (Clarinet Ensemble).
with percussion and bass
2. Mamma Mia – Roy Phillippe
3. Fever – Jazz arrangement Roger Holmes

Denny Kennedy Sings

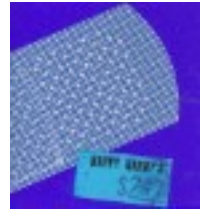
4. The Great Locomotive Chase – Robert W. Smith
5. Baby Elephant Walk – arr. Johnnie Vinson
6. From Sea to Shining Sea with Choir
7. My America - Joyce Eilers with Choir
8. Hymn to the Fallen – arr. Sweeney
9. National Emblem E.E. Bagley/Custer
10. Manhattan Beach Sousa/Balent
11. Military Escort Bennett/Clark
12. El Capitan Sousa/Balent

Star Spangled Banner

Canadian National Anthem

[CLICK HERE FOR PDF MUSIC DOWNLOAD LINK](#) - All Pieces are loaded

REHEARSAL SCHEDULE ON THE NEXT PAGE



Your Lift for Visibility

Most of you are getting this Newsletter because we ****LOVE**** staying in touch with fellow musicians in the Airstream community. Only about 100 of you have added the *Streaming Musicians Intra-Club* to your ACI membership. It's only \$10. We are completely volunteer led and administered. We use the dues to cover inventory purchases, banking fees, and facility rents.

Will you add YOUR small contribution to help lift the load?

We'd love to have you [CLICK THIS LINK](#), and scroll down to join today.

MINOT International 2026

Band Rehearsal Schedule

(During sectionals, Bruce will run brass, Mindy will run WW and Percussion)

Monday, August 17	2:30 - 4:00 pm FIRST REHEARSAL - Airstream Full Band Happy Hour 5pm - Bunny Barn - Building #15
Tuesday, August 18	9 - 11:30am Airstream Full Band 2:00 - 3:30pm Sectionals all
Wednesday, August 19	9 - 11:30am Airstream Full Band 2:00 - 3:30pm Sectionals all
Thursday, August 20	9 - 11:30am Airstream Full Band 2:00 - 3:30pm Sectionals all
Friday, August 21	9 - 11:30am Airstream Full Band ENJOY YOUR AFTERNOON!
Saturday, August 22	9 - 11:30am Full Band with MINOT Community Band Luncheon for all following rehearsal 5:00pm - Set up 6:00pm - Call time for Band 6:30pm - Begin playing 7:00 pm OPENING CEREMONY
Sunday, August 23	DAY OFF 😊
Monday, August 24	9 - 11:30am Full Bad with MINOT (if available)
Tuesday, August 25	9 - 11:30am Full Bad with MINOT (if available) 1:00 - 3:00 Choir and Band???
Wednesday, August 26	4:30pm - Set up 5:30pm - begin seating and warm-up for FULL BAND with MINOT Members (Please eat before arriving) 7:00pm BAND AND CHORUS CONCERT
Thursday, August 27	6:00pm - Airstream Band Call Time/ Pre Ceremony Music 6:30pm - begin playing 7:00pm CLOSING CEREMONY - Band stays seated for recognition

*****MINOT Members are welcome to join us at any of the rehearsals**

INSTRUMENTATION MINOT

Flute

Vicki Ketchum 1
Ariel Oster 1
Kathy Robinson 2
Carole Spangler Vaughan 2
Carlen Heninger 2

Oboe

Kerry Samples
Ray Malone (cover Clarinet/A. Sax)

Bassoon

Victoria Bellon

Clarinet

Lilli Weyer 1
Michelle Thomas 2 (1st if only two parts)
Allana Patterson 3 (2nd if only two parts)
Frank Steed 3 (2nd if only two parts)

Bass Clarinet

Cindy Miller

Alto Sax

Ashley Mogard 2

Tenor Sax

Greg King
George Helm

Trumpet

Bruce Morrow 1
Steve Schroeder 2 (1st if only two parts)
Steve Downie 2
Ron Glowatchy 3 (2nd if only two parts)
AJ Rutherford 3 (2nd if only two parts)

French Horn

Dan Steadman 1
Ragene Sovak 2

Trombone

Ron Backus 1
Michael Harrison 1
Darryl Baldwin 2 (1st if only two parts)
Rochelle Feldman 2
Tom Ketchum 3 (2nd if only two parts)
Paul Aufderheide 3 (2nd if only two parts)

Euphonium/Baritone

Jim Reynolds

Tuba

Thom Smith
Gary Samples

Percussion

Rod Kile (all)
Nadine Johnson (Aux)
Arnola Leverson (Aux/Bass)
Ken Starr (Timpani)
Katie Sundbakken (Mallets)

Electric Bass

Robert Fahey

Keyboards

Kerry Russell



Minot Community Band On Stage

Magin in Minot! The Airstream Club Concert Band is preparing to play alongside the (Facebook link below)

[Minot Community Band](#) to present for you a selection of tunes that feature various aspects of what makes Minot a magical place! If you have not already signed up to participate in the band, then make sure you are parked with the Streaming Musicians Intra-Club/Band Parking so that you get access to early arrival parking near the rehearsal venue. If you want to verify that you are indeed already registered, reach out to Mindy Downie at meowsik@msn.com or by phone, 540-5202357 to verify. Join the Streaming Musicians Intra-Club to receive the latest newsletter and updated music selection lists along with your instrumental parts so that you can begin practicing! Looking forward to seeing you all in Minot!

MINOT International 2026

Choir Rehearsal Schedule

Hi,

If you haven't heard, Bob and Elizabeth Hawkins are not going to be at the Minot Rally. Mindy Downie and Bob have asked me to take over for this year. Mindy, Bob and Elizabeth have been talking to me about the music for this year and the expectations for the church service.

Below is the chorus rehearsal schedule that should fit with those of you who are also in band.

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday - August 18-20 from 3:45 - 4:45 p.m.

Saturday - August 22 from 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.

Sunday - August 23 - Church service 9:00 a.m., warmup 8:15 a.m.

Monday, August 24 from 2:00 - 3:00 p.m.

Tuesday - August 25 - Rehearsal with band - 1:00-3:00 p.m. - I will check with the band when we need to be there.

Wednesday - August 26 - Warmup with band - 5:00 pm - Concert - 7:00 - concert

Location?? Hopefully in the same room as the band. All our rehearsals will be after their practices until we are practicing with the band.

We will be singing at the church service on Sunday, August 23. Steve Downie is trying to arrange a Praise Band for pre-service music. The anthem we are singing is "Peaceful River". It goes with Steve's message. It is a partner song with sign language. Really easy to learn.

For the concert, we will be singing with the band, "From Sea to Shining Sea" and "My America". We will be singing with a CD for our song at the concert, "Rockin' Gold" which is a medley of "Rollin' Down the River", "Ain't No Mountain High Enough" and "YMCA".

By mid July, I will have recordings of the voice parts and a video of the sign language which I can send out to those who would like to practice before Minot.

If you would like the recordings, please send an email to me, telling me your voice part and I will send everything to you.

Please invite anybody else who would like to sing with us to contact me.

For the church service, Bob has always requested nicer attire, no shorts. If we are on a high stage, careful about too short of a dress.

For the concert, both band and choir will be wearing black pants and white shirts.

Thank you,

Teresa Kile
tckile@earthlink.net

The Flags are Here!

The first shipment of the high quality 3 x 5 double-sided Streaming Musicians Flags has arrived. The price includes all fees, tax, set-up charges, and in-bound ship.

\$115.42 TOTAL, free shipping to you!



Minot 2026



Streaming
MUSICIANS
★ GET-TOGETHER ★
INTERNATIONAL RALLY

Join fellow musicians for a relaxed evening of music, connection, and fun!



 MONDAY,
AUGUST 24



Bring a Bite to Share!

HELP US KEEP THE MUSIC (AND SNACKS) FLOWING!

We're inviting attendees to bring simple finger foods to share during the Streaming Musicians Gathering.

Ideas include:

- Snacks & appetizers
- Desserts
- Easy-to-share treats

No need for anything fancy—just something fun!



 MONDAY,
AUGUST 24



WANT TO BE THE
HOUSE BAND?

We're looking for musicians or small groups to help lead the musical vibe for the Streaming Musicians Gathering.

- ★ Kick things off musically
- ★ Lead a casual jam
- ★ Provide light entertainment

This is a relaxed, fun environment—not a formal performance.



 MONDAY,
AUGUST 24



Streaming Musicians Rally at DCI

August 5-8, 2026
Lake Haven Retreat
Indianapolis, IN

Rally Hosts: Melinda Downie & Bruce Morrow
Make your camping reservation here: [Lake Haven Retreat](#)
Purchase your DCI Tickets here: [DCI](#)
Signup for the Rally here: Jotform coming soon!

Spirit Merchandise - Streaming Musicians

T-shirt [long and short sleeve], hoodies, polo shirts, and stickers for your rig. Use the JotForm link below to see pricing and to place your order, MULTIPLE payment forms accepted:

Jotform link is <https://pci.jotform.com/form/252285229901155>



Garden Flag, no pole - \$29, free shipping.

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