

RMC PRESENTS FALL CONCERT OCT. 9

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BILLINGS -- The Rocky Mountain College Department of Music presents its first concert of the 2009-2010 academic year on Friday, October 9, 2009 at 7:30 p.m. The public is invited to attend the free concert at Mayflower Congregational Church.

The concert band, under the direction of Tony Hammond, will perform "A Concert Prelude," by Phillip Sparke; the "First Suite in Eb," by Gustav Holst; and a "March dedicated to WWI soldiers." Featured soloists include clarinetist Rhonda Newman, a junior from Billings, Mont.; senior euphonium player Todd Truscott, a music education major from Glasgow, Mont.; and Ryan Floerchinger, a senior trumpet player from Anchorage, Alaska.

The concert choir, under the direction of Steven Hart, will perform "Gloria Patri," by Palestrina. The concert features folk music from Latvia, Bulgaria, and Scotland, finishing with a Jamaican work for choir and percussion. Featured soloists include Rachel Ludington from Stevensville, Mont.; Christa Schallock from Ronan Mont.; and Jessica Olson from Billings, Mont.

The RMC Chamber Singers will present two Shakespeare sonnets by contemporary composer William Harris.

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