LYCOMING COLLEGE

CHOIR 2008

FRED THAYER • CONDUCTOR
**Soprano I**
- Nina Cline ................... Hanover, PA ................................................. Undeclared
- *Caitlin Oakley ........... Mansfield, NJ ........................................... Psychology/Music
- Jillian Petrie ............... Hackettstown, NJ .................................... Business/Theatre
- Katie Rancik ................. Grampian, PA ........................................ Art/Political Science
- Amber Rock ................ Pond Bank, PA ........................................ Biology
- Brenda Scanlan ............. Hamilton, NJ ........................................ Archaeology/Religion

**Soprano II**
- *Stephani Crecelius .... Marshall, MN ........................................ Archaeology/Religion
- Christina Faust ............. Ephrata, PA ......................................... Political Science/Music
- Trisha Hanssler ............ Sunbury, PA ........................................ Corporate Communications
- Joanna Petrie ............... Hackettstown, NJ ................................ Music Education
- Lindsey Shaulis ............ York, PA ................................................ Religion

**Alto I**
- *Jessica Guzardo ..... Schwenksville, PA ................................ Sociology/Education
- Bethany Kelley ............ Altoona, PA ........................................ Music Education
- Alicia Roush ............... Mifflinburg, PA ...................................... Criminal Justice/Math
- Erica Schmidt ............. Limerick, PA ........................................ Undeclared
- Laura Wilson ............... Asbury, NJ ........................................ Undeclared

**Alto II**
- Kourtney Anderson .... Hughesville, PA ..................................... Psychology
- Haley Cohen ................. Coeurd’Alene, ID ............................... Archaeology/Political Science
- Casey Hersh ................. Mechanicsburg, PA ................................ Undeclared
- *Gina Puchany .......... Canonsburg, PA .................................... Business Administration/Marketing
- Andrea Santiago ........... Tenafly, NJ ........................................ Psychology

**Tenor I**
- Ryan Albertson........... Northumberland, PA ................................ Art
- Ryan Grosso ............... Port Jervis, NY ...................................... Physics/Astronomy/Math
- Kyle Totaro ............... Port Jervis, NY ...................................... Chemistry
- *Brandon Voll ............ Syracuse, NY ........................................ History/Philosophy

**Tenor II**
- *Zach Carroll ............ Penn Yan, NY .......................................... Chemistry
- Tyler Chamberlain ........ Mansfield, PA ...................................... Business Management
- Christopher Shultz ....... Williamsport, PA ................................ Undeclared
- Kenneth Vicencio ........ Miller Place, NY .................................... Psychology

**Baritone**
- Dan Bartholomew ......... Macungie, PA ...................................... Finance
- Gordon Bergstresser ....... Nazareth, PA ...................................... Political Science/Music
- Christian Dietrich ....... Kutztown, PA ......................................... Chemistry
- Amilcar Guzman .......... Allentown, PA ...................................... Psychology/Sociology
- Bryan Partner ............. Mifflintown, PA ..................................... English
- *John Scarangello ......... Nazareth, PA ...................................... Music Marketing and Promotion
- Brian Scott ................. Ulysses, PA ........................................ Music Education
- Adam Zitta ................. Coopersburg, PA .................................. Religion

**Bass**
- *Joshua Good .......... Bowmansville, PA ............................... History/Secondary Education
- Jordan Hollander ........ Branchburg, NJ ................................. Political Science/French/International Studies
- Adam Paulhamus .......... Watsontown, PA ................................ Psychology/Elementary Education
- Colin Puskaritz .......... Breinigsville, PA ................................ Marketing

*Denotes Section Head
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The Lycoming College Tour Choir

Conducted by Dr. Fred Thayer, the choir has been widely acclaimed as one of the finest college musical groups in the East. Since its inception in 1947 by Walter McIver, the choir has presented concerts in every state east of the Mississippi River. They have toured in Canada, England, Puerto Rico, and Europe. In May 2007, the ensemble toured in Europe with concerts in Germany, the Czech Republic and Budapest, Hungary.

The Tour Choir is selected each year by competitive audition from the 110-voice College Choir, which is comprised of students from all academic fields. Forty-one students are chosen annually to perform in two weekend tours and a 10-day spring break tour. The spring 2008 ten-day tour will begin in Rockville, Maryland, continuing on to perform eight concerts in Florida.

In its six decades of music, the Lycoming College Choir has performed hundreds of concerts including appearances at the National Cathedral, the Washington Shrine, the Crystal Cathedral, Coral Ridge, and New York City’s St. John the Divine and Saint Patrick’s Cathedral. The ensemble has sung with the Gregg Smith Singers, the Chieftains, and Barry Manilow. The choir has been featured twice in the Holiday Celebrations at the White House. Recently, the choir released its seventh CD, titled “Et Resurrexit.”

The Conductor and Accompanists

As professor of music and director of choral activities at Lycoming College, Fred Thayer conducts three choirs: Lycoming College Choir (110 members), Chamber Choir (28 members), and Tour Choir (40 members). He is the recipient of Lycoming College’s Logan Richmond Professorship.

Thayer’s graduate degrees are in composition with a Doctorate of Musical Arts from Cornell University, studying with Karel Husa and Robert Palmer. As a member of ASCAP, he has received 24 annual ASCAP Standard Panel awards. His compositions include two operas, three works for orchestra, two works for band, and more than 75 choral works.

Having a long association with the professional ensemble, the Gregg Smith Singers, Thayer has served as their associate conductor at the summertime Adirondack Festivals of American Music in Saranac Lake, N.Y. Also, he is the associate conductor for the GSS’s bi-annual concerts in New York City. The GSS and the Adirondack Chamber Orchestra have jointly commissioned him to write ten works since 1982. If it’s ever spring again was commissioned in 2005 for the GSS’s 50th Anniversary, and was published in 2007 by Roger Dean Publishing Company.

Richard J. Lakey is currently the Director of Music at St. Mark’s Lutheran Church in Williamsport. He is a graduate of Westminster Choir College, Princeton, NJ, where he received a Bachelor of Music Degree in Church Music. While at Westminster, he was awarded the Alexander McCurdy Organ Scholarship, and through his music ministry has given numerous organ recitals. Lakey earned a Master of Music Education at Indiana University of Pennsylvania.
He has been a part-time instructor of organ and piano at Lycoming, and for the past 19 years has accompanied the Lycoming College Choir. In previous years, the choir has performed his Te Deum and several anthems. His Missa Brevis was performed by the Lycoming College Chamber Choir and the Gregg Smith Singers. Paraclete Press has published several of his compositions for choir. Also, Shawnee Press recently published one of his compositions.

Lee Saville-Andree is an experienced solo, collaborative, and ensemble pianist. He holds a Bachelor of Music degree in Music Education from Susquehanna University in Selinsgrove, PA, where he studied piano with Dr. Holly Roadfeldt-O’Riordan. After graduating in May 2007, Lee accepted a position teaching vocal and classroom music in the Loyalsock Township Middle and High Schools in Williamsport, PA. He currently has four vocal ensembles under his leadership and directs the school’s musical theatre productions. Saville-Andree is also an avid composer of vocal and instrumental music, and has to his credit the performance of his piece Songs of Blake at the conference for the Northeast Chapter of the College Music Society.

Music Department Fellowships
Performing a diverse repertoire from vocal jazz to major works, the Chamber Choir is made up of Choral Fellowship recipients. Each member receives an annually renewable $500 tuition remission. By auditioning, students of all majors may qualify for this award.
Lycoming College Choir performing at 2007 Commencement
Scholarships

Music scholarships are available for both music majors and non-majors. They range from $1,000 to $3,000 and are renewable each year. Money is awarded on the basis of auditions that are heard by the music faculty.

Lycoming College

Lycoming is an independent, coeducational college of 1,500 students enrolled in 32 majors. The College is ranked by U. S. News & World Report as a national liberal arts college. Located in Williamsport, Pa., the college is affiliated with the United Methodist Church.

Lycoming operates on a 4-4-1 academic calendar: four-month fall and spring semesters, an optional May term as well as a summer term. The faculty-student ratio is 13:1.

Founded in 1812, Lycoming is one of America’s 50 oldest colleges. Lycoming’s main campus is the setting of 22 buildings, including eight residence halls. A 12-acre athletic complex includes the football stadium, soccer and lacrosse fields.

Nestled in north-central Pennsylvania’s picturesque mountains and valleys, the Williamsport area offers abundant natural and recreational resources. Students join the local community in enjoying the beautiful Susquehanna River and the various boating and fishing opportunities that abound. New York City, Philadelphia, Washington, D.C., and Pittsburgh are all within a five-hour drive from Williamsport.

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Program Selections from the above repertoire
### Lycoming College Choir Itinerary

**First Weekend**
- **Saturday, January 26, 2008**
  - First Presbyterian Church, Hackettstown, NJ (7:00 pm)
- **Sunday, January 27, 2008**
  - Gethsemeni Lutheran Church, Hackettstown, NJ (10:30 am)
- **Sunday, January 27, 2008**
  - St. John’s (Hains) United Church of Christ, Wernersville, PA (4:00 pm)

**Second Weekend**
- **Saturday, February 9, 2008**
  - First Presbyterian Church, Lewisburg, PA (7:00 pm)
- **Sunday, February 10, 2008**
  - Shepherdstown United Methodist Church, Mechanicsburg, PA (10:45 am)
- **Sunday, February 10, 2008**
  - St. Luke’s United Methodist Church, Shade Gap, PA (4:00 pm)

**Spring Break**
- **Friday, February 22, 2008**
  - Faith United Methodist Church, Rockville, MD (7:00 pm)
- **Saturday, February 23, 2008**
  - First United Methodist Church, Boynton Beach, FL (7:00 pm)
- **Sunday, February 24, 2008**
  - Coral Ridge Presbyterian Church, Fort Lauderdale, FL (8:45 am – 1st Service, 11:15 am – 2nd Service)
- **Sunday, February 24, 2008**
  - Episcopal Church of Bethesda by the Sea, Palm Beach, FL (4:00 pm)

**Monday, February 25, 2008**
- First United Methodist Church of Jupiter – Tequesta, Jupiter, FL (7:00 pm)
- Tuesday, February 26, 2008
  - Saint John’s United Methodist Church, Sebring, FL (7:00 pm)
- Wednesday, February 27, 2008
  - Trinity United Methodist Church, Gainesville, FL (6:30 pm)
- Thursday, February 28, 2008
  - Palm Harbor United Methodist Church, Palm Harbor, FL (7:00 pm)
- Friday, February 29, 2008
  - First United Methodist Church, Ocala, FL (7:00 pm)
- Wednesday, March 5, 2008
  - Homecoming Concert, Clarke Chapel, Williamsport, PA (8:00 pm)
## Lycoming College Chamber Choir

### Sopranos
- Stephani Crecelius
- Kristen Dickey
- Christina Faust
- Caitlin Oakley
- Joanna Petrie
- Amber Rock
- Brianne Shaw

### Tenors
- Zach Carroll
- Tyler Chamberlain
- Ryan Grosso
- Kyle Totaro
- Kenneth Vicencio
- Brandon Voll

### Basses
- Joshua Good
- Jordan Hollander
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Andrew Clark
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Haley Cohen
Stephani Crecelius
Stephanie Danneker
Kirsten Darby
Nicole Dayton
Kristen Dickey
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Erin Durisin
Sara Fajardo
Christina Faust
Amanda Finley
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Stephanie Graboski
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Chelsea Hobert
Jordan Hollander
Chanelle Horst
Martha Hughes
Michael Hughes
Alex Hunter
Cassandra Hurley
Bethany Kelley
Jeffrey Kiren
Jenna Klaue
Joan Knappenberger
Sarah Krebs
Amy Leffler
Caitlin Mitchell
Linnea Morris
Kenneth Mosby
Jakob Niederhaus
Caitlin Oakley
Dianna Ortiz
Kyla Ortiz
Bryan Partner
Emily Patton
Michelle Patton
Adam Palhamus
Jillian Petrie
Joanna Petrie
Jason Piper
Gina Puchany
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