











## All Together Now! Festival 2025

## **SELCOME**

Dear Friends,

On behalf of the students, teachers, Board, and team at **Education Through Music-Colorado** — welcome, and thank you for being here tonight.

The **All Together Now! Festival** is more than a concert. It's a celebration of what happens when young people are given the chance to grow, create, and express themselves through music.

As you explore **the program**, you'll discover the artists, schools, and shared mission behind this experience.

Our students have prepared with dedication and heart. Your presence honors their effort — and reinforces our belief that **all students deserve access to music education.** 

Enjoy the show. Share the joy. We're so glad you're here!

Mallory Bernstein **ETM-CO Executive Director** 

## PROGRAM ORDER

**Tonight** *Composers*: Giant Walking Robots Performers: Giant Walking Robots and ETM-CO students



### Favorito

Composers: Jon Leone, Edgar Barrera, Camilo, Rafa Arcaute Performers: CMS Angels Director. Cody Witsken



#### **ARTWORK CONTEST**

Subject: "All Together Now" Winner: Camila Ramirez



### Composers: Giant Walking Robots Performers: Giant Walking Robots and ETM-CO students

Down By the Salley Gardens Composers: Traditional Irish tune; poem by William Butler Yeats Performers: Dora Moore Singers Director. Michael Martin

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### Mary Had a Little Lamb / Hot Cross Buns

*Composers*: Sarah Josepha Hale / Folk Rhyme *Performers*: The Whittier Band *Director.* Myah Frank, Matheus Pagliacci, Evan King

If I Were A Fish
 Composer: Corook
 Performers: Hallett Hawks
 Director: Blaise Carpenter



#### **MUSIC ESSAY CONTEST**

Subject: "Why I Make Music" Winner: Gianmarco Reyes-Garcia



Composers: Lady Gaga, Bruno Mars, Dernst Emile II, Andrew Watt, Fauntleroy *Performers*: The Miners *Director*: Molly Drewry

From the Start Composer: Laufey Performers: Adallyn Estrada, Nour Ibrahim, Esak Ismail Director: William Heinz

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### **Dame Amor**

Composers: Officialalex425, Óscar Maydon Performers: Brandon Valentín, Jose Arras, Sebastian Sulbaran Director: William Heinz

Cheerleader

*Composers*: Omi, Clifton Dillon, Mark
Bradford, Ryan Dillon *Performers*: Danielle Curley, Que'Liayh
Lambert-Jackson *Director*: William Heinz

Wake Up Composers: Giant Walking Robots Performers: Giant Walking Robots

and ETM-CO students

Brick by Brick
 Composers: Giant Walking Robots
 Performers: Giant Walking Robots, Whittier
 Band, ETM-CO students



## Giant Walking Robots

Rooted in reggae, infused with jamtronica, and powered by drum and bass, **Giant Walking Robots** deliver a sound that is both familiar and forward-thinking. Based in Denver, the four-piece band blends melodic grooves with a heavy rhythm section, creating space for improvisation and movement. Band members **George Demopoulos**, **Dave Halchak**, **Matt Schooley**, and **Wilson** share a deep passion for live music. By bridging genres like rock, reggae, jam, and electronica, they bring a dynamic energy to every performance — pushing the dancefloor into the future while keeping listeners grounded in rhythm.



## Spencer "p.s. edekot" Aubrey

**Spencer "p.s. edekot" Aubrey** is a poet, DJ, singersongwriter, and community connector based in Winston-Salem, North Carolina. With a BA from Arizona State University and an MA in Poetry from Wilkes University, Spencer curates events, performs as a resident DJ at Bar Piña, and serves as Community Manager at The CMPND. He has been featured in documentary and print projects across North Carolina and beyond. As emcee, **Spencer brings intention and creativity to the stage — helping shape experiences where music, language, and community meet.** He credits his faith for all the good his work has sparked.



### Sheenà L. Mitchells WORKSHOP PRESENTER

**Sheenà L. Mitchell** is a Colorado-born, Sacramentoraised dancer, choreographer, and event coordinator with over 28 years of experience. Her work spans states and stages — from local performances to sharing the spotlight with artists like Canton Jones and DJ UNK. Known for her high-energy, faith-driven movement, Sheenà was recently a Top 5 finalist in Ciara's 2025 Dance Icon Competition. She leads workshops for all ages and backgrounds, using dance to empower and inspire.

Her motto: chase the change, not the fame — and let movement create moments that matter.



## Mobile Studio

Mobile Studio offers students the opportunity to write, record, and produce original music in a professional, supportive setting. Founded in 2020 by **Oren Bregman**, a former teen recording artist and youth mentor, the program brings mobile recording equipment directly to schools and community centers. Oren, alongside music educator **Jeff Grady**, guides students through music creation using state-of-the-art tools. Together, they have reached thousands of students across Colorado, sparking creativity and building technical skills. **Their mission is to make music accessible — and to help every young voice be heard.** 



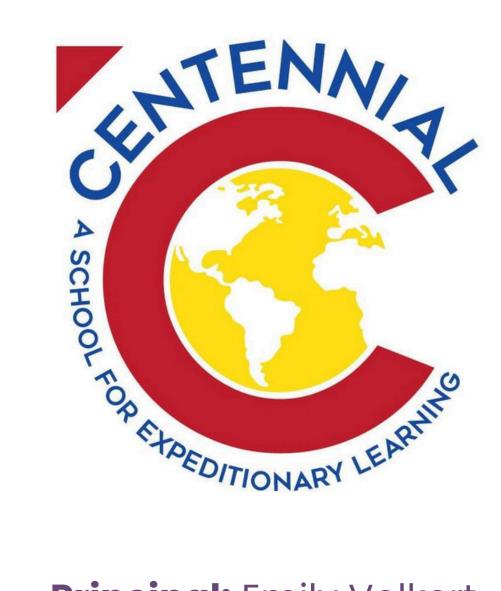
### Principal: Jen Castillo Assistant Principal: Rick DiDonato Music Teacher: Madison Masilionis



#### **Student Performers:**

Simon Infante, Esmerelda Rodriguez Lopez, Valeria Perez Ramos, E'Moni Williams, Leo Ramirez Mendoza, Arianna Marquez, Noah Alfaro, Shing Kee Ha, Fatima Viana Rodríguez, Jaileen Hernandez Torres, Ashley Morales Parra, Jaretsy Maravilla, Alex Salas, Luciano Colmenero, Bryan Aguilar, Amber Ramos

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### Principal: Emily Volkert Music Teacher: Clifton Williams



#### **Student Performers:**

Maelle Gangle, Griffin Marciniak, Bianca Bowen, Althea Grillos, Amira Salahuddin, Sunny Keithley, Siena Fuller, Ruth Sorauf, Leilah Santistevan, Oona Williams, Addison Smart, Madelyn Bird, Asa Rivers, Emerie Godwin

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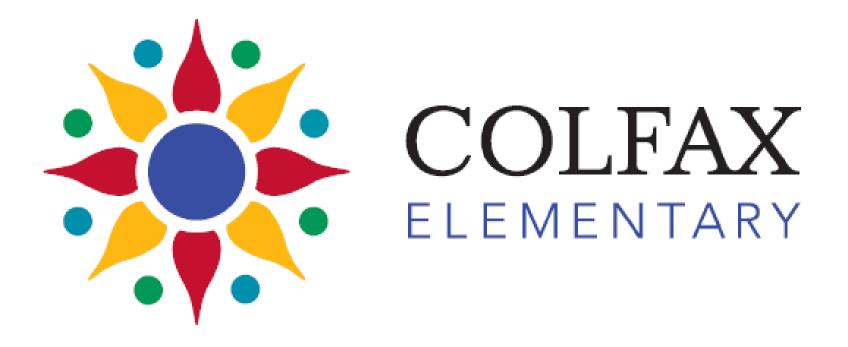
Principal: Vany Miramontes Marquez
Assistant Principal: Esmeralda Orrin
Music Teacher: Cody Witsken



#### **Student Performers:**

Nya Ovalle, Abigail Ramirez, Kamila Hernandez, Jack Freeman, Juan Antonio Montano, Efany Alva, Liah Lujan-Ramirez, Yetzael Alvarado, Camila Y Ramirez, Lucía López Soler, Rebecca Montes, Emiliano Villela-Melendez, Sofia Ontiveros-Arredondo, Nicole A Osorio, Jeysi Alva

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Principal: Michelle Koyama Assistant Principal: Carina Ventura Music Teacher: Molly Drewry



#### **Student Performers:**

Jonesy Mulliniks, Lauren Falconetti, Evaneyah Navarro, Brianna Enriquez-Martinez, Autumn Do, Javier Trejo-Madrid, Yesenia Cruz, Eric Rubio, Jesse Vargas, Rory Clucas, Lincoln Rosas, Marc DeMarrias

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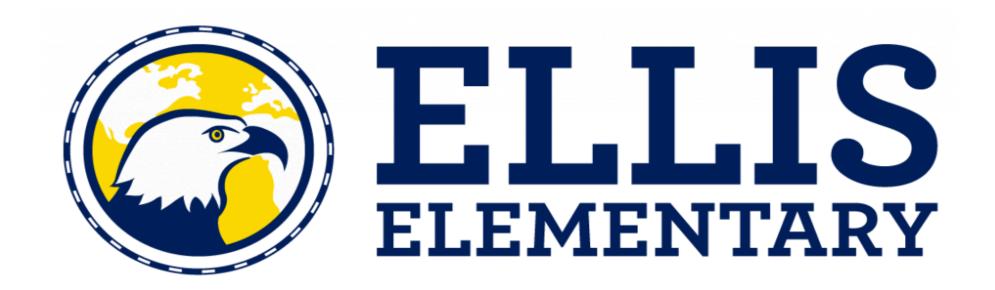
Principal: Abe Janson Assistant Principal: Jillian Watson Music Teacher: Michael Martin



#### **Student Performers:**

Fiona Bird, Uriyah Warren, Giada Harcek, Adalyn Haverty, Miles Werge, Gage Weidle, Serenity Cordara, Harmony Perez, Leilani Barraza-Tresco, Kerry Griffen, Marley Tormohlen





Principal: Jamie Roybal Assistant Principal: Amber Bourgeois Music Teacher: William Heinz



#### **Student Performers:**

Nour Ibrahim, Sebastian Samuel, Que'Liayh Lambert-Jackson, Jose Arras, Lucien Loredo, Esak Ismail, Apple Cooper, Kirah Michalski, Adallyn Estrada, Brandon Valentín, Danielle Curley





### Principal:

#### Candice DeGrafinried

#### **Principal on Special Assignment:**

Chadwick Anderson

#### **Music Teacher:**

**Blaise Carpenter** 



#### **Student Performers:**

### Marky'iah Blake, Patrick Thomas-Campbell, Zoey Blea, Lilliana Basquez, Kailani Harris, Solomon Kindred-Freeman

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**Principal:** Gabriela Quiroga-Beck **Assistant Principal:** Tramaine Duncan **Music Teacher:** John Clark

#### **Student Performers:**

Dara Arriaga, Clara Mejia-Arellano, Evalett Breidinger, Mateo Mejia, Gisselle Ayala, Dennis Flores Ramirez, Dominic Rodriguez, Odalys Flores

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### WHITTIER ECE-8 EAGLE PRIDE

Principal: Lynette Hall-Jones Assistant Principal: Jenn Stewart Music Teacher: Matheus Pagliacci Band Teachers: Myah Frank and Evan King

#### **Student Performers:**

Azariah Bryant, Yohannah Aldaco, Gianmarco Reyes-Garcia, Amerius Barber, Geremiah Isby

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## STUDENT RECOGNITION

WE MAKE MUSIC BECAUSE WE WANT TO. BECAUSE OUR HEARTS DESIRE MUSIC. MUSIC IS LIFE. RHYTHMS, BEATS, VOICES. MUSIC GOES DEEP. MUSIC IS MADE WITH PASSION AND CONFIDENCE. MUSIC IS ALL AROUND US. MUSIC IS YOU.

### 🟆 Gianmarco Reyes-Garcia

#### MUSIC ESSAY CONTEST

We asked ETM-CO students to share why they make music. Out of a selection of heartfelt essays, our panel of judges selected one that stood out for its honesty, passion and depth.

Congratulations to Gianmarco Reyes-Garcia, a fifthgrade student from Whittier ECE-8, under the direction of music teacher Matheus Pagliacci.

## STUDENT RECOGNITION





#### FESTIVAL LOGO DESIGN CONTEST

We're thrilled to present the winning concept submitted by Camila Ramirez, a third-grade student from Charles **M. Schenck Community School**, under the guidance of music teacher Cody Witsken.

Camila's illustration captivated the judges with its powerful depiction of unity – students reaching upward, inspired by the transformative power of music and knowledge.

## ETM-COMISSION



Education Through Music-Colorado (ETM-CO) partners with under-resourced public schools to provide music as a core subject for all children. Music education is a powerful catalyst to improve self-confidence, motivation, and academic achievement.

Today, our programs reach more than 3,300 students from ECE through 8th grade, 79% of whom identify as BIPOC (Black, Indigenous, People of Color).





# EVENT CREDITS





## | Robert & Judi Newman Center | for the Performing Arts

**Production:** 

Austin Katzer, Kyle Zender, Zach Jovanovich, Garret Glass, Jason Pickering

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**ETM-CO Team:** 

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