

About the Freedom High School Guitar Program:

The Freedom High School Guitar Program is one of the largest Performing Arts electives offered with over 170 students enrolled in four Guitar I classes, one Guitar II class and one Guitar III class that serves as our top Guitar Ensemble. The program encompasses a year long accredited classes that meets one period every day during the school day. Students who successfully complete a guitar class receive one credit. Taking guitar fulfills the Performing Arts elective required for graduation.

In the fall of 2007 the Freedom High School administration made an investment for the guitar program by purchasing 30 Yamaha classical guitars, 30 guitar cases, 2 acoustic bass guitars and guitar hangers to store them in the room. Over the summer of 2009, textbook funds were available to help purchase guitar solo and ensemble music to include over 500 titles and 7 class sets of chorales, technical exercises and sight reading books to significantly build up the guitar music library.

Recently, the Freedom High School Guitar Ensemble has enjoyed guest clinicians in to work with the ensemble including Dr. Stephen Robinson from Stetson University, Dr. Troy Gifford from Valencia Community College and Dr. Eladio Scharrón from the University of Central Florida.

We hope you can attend future performances of the Freedom High School Guitar Ensemble for the 2009-2010 school year:

*Winter Performing Arts Department Prism Concert:

Freedom High School Performing Arts Center

Sat. Dec. 12, 2009 - Performances at 4pm and 7pm

*Walt Disney World Resorts Performances:

*Boardwalk Resort – Village Green and Porch

Thur. Dec. 17, 2009 – Performances at 7pm and 8pm

*Coronado Springs Resort – Lobby

Sat. Dec. 19, 2009 – Performances at 6pm and 7pm

*FMEA State Guitar Music Festival: Blake High School, Tampa, FL

Sat. Feb. 20, 2010

*2nd Annual South Creek Guitar Festival: Freedom High School (Host Site)

Sat. May 8, 2010 – All day – Performance Time TBA

*Spring Guitar Concert: Freedom High School Performing Arts Center

Wed. May 12, 2010 – 7 pm.

**Freedom High School Performing Arts Department
Presents**

A Fall Guitar Concert



Freedom High School Guitar Ensemble

And featuring the

Hunter's Creek Middle School Guitar Ensemble

November 3, 2009

7:00 p.m.

Freedom High School Performing Arts Center

Dr. Harold Border – Principal, Freedom High School

Dr. Anne Carcara, Principal, Hunter's Creek Middle School

Program:

Hunter’s Creek Middle School Guitar Ensemble

Oscar Vinson, Director

Performance to be selected from the following:

Trio In C.....	Shawn Bell
On Skis.....	Eythor Thorlaksson
Looking at the Clouds.....	Eythor Thorlaksson
Alpine Meadow with Rain.....	Gerard Montreuil
Balletto II.....	Giovanni Gastoldi
Chocolate Ice Cream.....	Eythor Thorlaksson
Allemande II.....	Tielman Susato
Allemande I.....	Tielman Susato

Freedom High School Guitar Ensemble

Christopher Perez, Director

Härlig är jorden.....	Jan-Olof Eriksson
El viejo reloj (The Old Clock).....	Juan Antonio Muro
‘57 Chevy.....	Leo Welch
Habanera.....	Georges Bizet/Jerry Snyder
from the opera “Carmen”, Act I	
Lullay My Liking (15 th C. carol).....	Gustav Holst/Andrew Forrest
Eisenbahnknotenpunkt (Railroad Junction).....	Juan Antonio Muro
Guitar Trio.....	Johann Mattheson/Eythor Thorlaksson
IV. Gigue - transcribed from the 4 movement “Sonata for Three Flutes”	

Hunter’s Creek Middle School Guitar Ensemble:

Ashley Arlow	Kendrick Petty
Cameron Donnelly	Maria Rodriguez
Christopher Dyshuk	Michelle Salas
Leinani Hession	Mason Shuler
Spencer Lacey	Aaron True
Shane Lafontaine	Dylan West
Lawrence Lai	Stephen Williams
Ryan Muratore	Alexander Yap

Freedom High School Guitar Ensemble:

Gabriel Amaya	John Kopishke
Sean Bailey	Bradley Krisch
Miguel Barrios	Thomas Jandersit
Marcello Bonotto	Carlos Mainetto
Michael Brunner	Melissa Morgan
Najae Caballero	Andrew Moser
Alejandro Cabrera	Leo Peralta
Steven Carrero-Sierra	Christian Sousa
Christopher Dominguez	John Strabelli
Jorge Duarte	Kayla Tripoli
Karina Fernandez	Nicholas Wieland