

#### Recognition!

The LOMPOC POPS ORCHESTRA continues to receive recognition from the local community every year. It has won the "Best Musical Event" category sponsored by the local newspaper almost every year for the past 10 years. It was also highlighted as most outstanding musical group by the Chamber of Commerce.



#### Thank You for Voting

Lompoc Pops Orchestra
Favorite Musical Event
for the 10th Year!

### "The Beginning & Beyond" Final Concert of the Season:

"Summer Sunset" 7:30, Monday, June 19, 2017

All concerts at First United Methodist Church

Call 735-6463 or visit
www.LompocPopsOrchestra.org
for more information

#### How Can I Help?

Have you considered remembering the POPS ORCHESTRA in your Will or Trust? In so doing your name and spirit would live on, making an amazing and meaningful difference!

Yes, what you've heard is true: Our low ticket prices don't cover the cost. Although board members work for free, musicians are compensated and then there's the venue, publicity, concert programs, and music royalties in order to make each and every concert a memorable event.

Thus, patron sponsorship is a critical aspect in keeping THE POPS alive. Everything from a simple donation of \$50 to a Corporate sponsorship of \$10,000 – all are welcomed! It's those donations that keep the doors open.

#### Donations of all shapes and sizes may be sent to: THE LOMPOC POPS ORCHESTRA

**PO Box 1372** 

Lompoc, CA 93438

If you wish to know more about how your estate can assist, please feel free to call either Dr. Brian Asher Alhadeff at 805-541-5369 or THE POPS Board President, Tony Fox at 805-733-1848.

#### We'd Love to Have You on Our Email List!

Be in the know before everyone else! Become a part of THE POPS ORCHESTRA family and for no charge we'll send you information on upcoming concerts, soloists, mini group performances and other exciting events.

#### Please email the below information to ConnieAtThePops@aol.com to get on our list

Jame:		
Address:		
City/State/Zip:		
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Or mail to: The Lompoc Pops Orchestra PO Box 1372, Lompoc, CA 93436



#### Behind the baton

stands the incredible and creative genius known as Dr. Brian Asher Alhadeff. Brian brings to the POPS delightful and impeccable conducting skills with a warm sense of humor.



#### **Mission Statement**

Striving to keep alive our rich American musical heritage, the LOMPOC POPS ORCHESTRA presents programs that feature Broadway hits, great musical, well-known Jazz pieces, Big Band favorites, popular television and movie themes, western classics, a little bit of Gospel, timeless Christmas compositions and wonderful patriotic selections.

One is also likely to hear an occasional Opera aria or short and recognizable classical selection! And of course, there's always a surprise or two up the conductor's sleeves...

#### MPOC POPS ORCHESTRA

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## Performances take place four times a year at Lompoc's beautiful First United Methodist Church.

#### What's Up Doc?

Dr. Alhadeff has put together an amazing program for the final concert of the 2016-2017 season which is scheduled for Monday evening at 7:30 pm on June 19, 2017. The venue is Lompoc's



beautiful First
United Methodist
Church located
at 925 North "F"
Street in downtown
Lompoc.

Part of the program will highlight western hits and patrons will be treated to a cameo appearance of the ever-popular "Territorial Law" quartet performing "Ghost Riders in the Sky" among other audience favorites.

Ticket prices are \$20 for general

admission and \$5 for full-time students of all ages with Student ID card shown at the door. Children 12 and under are admitted free. Tickets may be purchased by calling 805-735-6463.

Additional information can be found on THE POPS web page: www.lompocpopsorchestra.org



## What's to Hear?

Every concert is a unique experience as patrons hear their favorites played by a full orchestra.

That may include such pieces as Somewhere In Time, In the Mood, Schindler's List, Nessum Dorma (Tuandot), Beer Barrel Polka, The Washington Post March, Carmen Overture, as well as excerpts from West Side Story, Oklahoma, Annie, Sound of Music and many others.



Accomplished soloists often grace the stage with their broad range of talent.



# My, How We've Grown!

The POPS ORCHESTRA is all grown up and turns 21 in the fall of 2017. From its inception of about 30 local musicians, the orchestra has now expanded to almost 50 of the finest on the Central Coast. Its conductor is a true professional who has been producing and conducting large theatrical productions for years, and brings to the POPS a creative spirit and demanding level of quality.





Renee Sousa

Unique to

Pops...

the Lompoc

...The conductor is always

open to requests! If the music

is available for orchestra and

falls within the guidelines

every effort to get it on an

of the POPS, he'll make

upcoming program.



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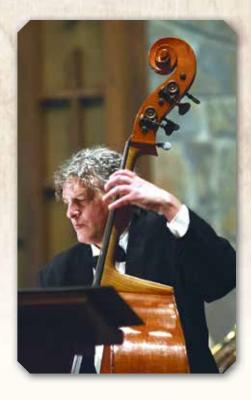
#### Music Outreach

Not content with just producing concerts, the POPS is committed to expanding its influence by making a meaningful difference in the lives of children.

For years the POPS has offered music scholarships to outstanding high school students and they have also been invited to play with the orchestra at the Spring concert.



And finally, it is the conductor's ambition to offer to local students the opportunity to attend a full-scale musical event at a local theatre. In so doing THE POPS would be providing many students their very first opportunity to experience live theatre coupled with a live orchestra. For this venture, the POPS is hoping to qualify for non-profit grants and donations.



Elementary students are always welcomed free of charge and special seating is reserved for them when they come in groups.

In addition, the POPS has formed a "Music Outreach" program whereby musicians will be occasionally offering their services in our local schools by putting on mini Master classes.



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