



We will be celebrating the retirement of Fred Lange, who has led an outstanding career as the director of bands at Davis High School for nearly three decades.

THE FESTIVITY OF BANDS

UC Davis Concert Band | Pete Nowlen, director
Campus Band | Tom Slabaugh, director
Davis High School Band | Fredrick Lange, director
Sacramento State Symphonic Wind Ensemble | Dr. Robert Halseth, conductor

Hindemith: Wind Symphony in B-Flat Major
Smith: Symphony No. 3 ("Don Quixote")
Giroux: *Legacy*

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 29, 2012 ~ 7:00 PM
Jackson Hall, Mondavi Center

\$8 STUDENTS & CHILDREN, \$12 ADULTS | GENERAL ADMISSION

UC DAVIS DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC

On Wednesday, Feb 29 at 7 pm the Mondavi Center will ring with great wind music. The annual [Festivity of Bands](#) brings together groups from Davis High, CSUS and UCD. Repertoire highlights for this year include the Hindemith Symphony in Bb, Robert W. Smith Symphony No. 3 "Don Quixote" and McBeth's *Of Sailors and Whales*.

This year we will also pay tribute to [Fred Lange](#) on his final year at the helm of the Davis High School Band Program as he takes his well-earned retirement. Fred will lead the combined bands in one of Julie Giroux's newest pieces -- *Legacy*. It is an entirely fitting salute to someone leaving as profound a legacy as Fred did in the program he built, the students he taught, and the triumphs he shared.