BAND ORCHESTRA VOCAL ELEMENTARY COLLEGE TEXAS M U S I C EDUCATORS ASSOCIATION CLINIC/CONVENTION Janwin Overstreet-Goode, TMEA President **McKamy Elementary**

Orff Ensemble Billy Ferguson, Director

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3rd Grade

James Tran Elaine Tran Livia Kasjanowicz Ryan Yaites

4th Grade

Gaby Alcala Miguel Astorga Samara Buckley Jaden Jares Gracie Redding Caden Simpson Citlalli Sanchez Brandon Yaites Reese Winn

5th Grade Jacqueline Aleman Kennadi Archibald Seth Benefield Bristol Bentley Andrew Dang Sofia Dimas Jacquelyn Garcia Breanna Jackson Nicki Kheradbin Mya Leffler Connor Morin

McKamy Orff Ensemble

The McKamy Orff Ensemble is an auditioned group of third, fourth, and fifth grade students from McKamy Elementary in the Carrollton – Farmers Branch ISD. Students meet twice a week, after school, for a 45 minute rehearsal. This is McKamy's second invitation to perform at a TMEA convention. The groups performances are based on the philosophy of Carl Orff – music should be taught through singing, saying, dancing, and playing.

Billy Ferguson - Director

Billy Ferguson, a graduate of Stephen F. Austin State University, is in his 13th year as music specialist at McKamy Elementary and 27th year as a Texas public school educator. During his 27 year career he has been honored as Teacher of the Year three times. He is a local, state and national presenter, having presented at TMEA, TCDA, and AOSA. He has completed 4 levels of Orff Schulwerk Teacher Training and studied at the Orff Institute in Salzburg, Austria. Mr. Ferguson is currently the President of the North Texas Chapter of the American Orff-Schulwerk Association.



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1. #63 from Rhythmische Übung schott Music	4:46
2. Kanon #93 from Spielbuch für Xylophon II schott Music Gunild Keetman	3:05
3. Minor Distractions Beatin' Path Publications Paul Bakeman	2:29
4. Street Song from Music for Children Vol III schott Music	
Carl Orff & Gunild Keetman/adpt. Margaret Murray	3:57
5. In the Mood Nyoni Publishing Co Maria Minnaar	2:52
6. Elbow Grease Beatin' Path Publications Paul Bakeman	3:32
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