

Grade 1

Music for Concert Band

BPS140F

6-Note Parade

Joseph Compello

INSTRUMENTATION

Flute	8
Oboe (opt. Flute 2)	2
Clarinet in B \flat	8
Bass Clarinet in B \flat	2
Bassoon	2
Alto Saxophone in E \flat	5
Tenor Saxophone in B \flat	2
Baritone Saxophone in E \flat	2
Trumpet in B \flat	8
Horn in F	3
Trombone, Euphonium, Bassoon	6
Euphonium T.C. in B \flat	2
Tuba	3
Mallet Percussion	1
Bells	
Timpani	1
Percussion 1	2
Snare Drum, Bass Drum	
Percussion 2	1
Crash Cymbals	



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Performance Notes

6-Note Parade is intended for bands currently in the first year of lessons. It should be performed in a traditional march style and played at a tempo deemed suitable by the director. All wind instruments and bells have a passage containing the six-note melody. Measure 45 will introduce young students to independent part playing as the upper winds play a countermelody above the main melody played by the lower wind instruments. A percussion section solo occurs at m. 41.

Thank you for choosing this composition.

About the Composer

Joseph Compello discovered his love of music when, as a child, he saw the Centennial Celebration Parade in his hometown, Carbondale, Pennsylvania. After his family moved to Baltimore, Maryland, he began studying euphonium with Robert Kennick of the Baltimore Symphony. By the time he was an 11th grader at Patterson Park High School, his band director, Clarence Wroblewski, recommended Compello for a scholarship to the Peabody Conservatory Preparatory School. While studying there, he came to the attention of the conductor of the Peabody Conservatory Wind Ensemble, Dr. Richard L. Higgins, who invited him to be a regular member of his ensemble. Upon graduating from high school, Compello auditioned for the undergraduate course of musical studies at the Peabody Conservatory. Among the adjudicating panel was Peter Mennin the Conservatory's director. During his six year tenure with the Peabody Wind Ensemble, Compello performed all of the major repertoire for wind bands up to that time. After earning his undergraduate degree, and subsequently his Master's Degree from Towson University, Compello entered the teaching profession. From the very beginning of his thirty-one-year career, he composed and arranged music to meet the specific skills of his students. In 1994, Andrew Balent, then editor of Carl Fischer's educational music division, began publishing many of Compello's classroom-tested compositions. His debut publication was a march for beginning band titled *Cadets on Parade*. In 1996 his best-seller *Rock to the Max, Mr. Sax* earned him a regular spot on the Carl Fischer writing staff. In 1999, Larry Clark continued to publish Compello's music while encouraging him to expand his writing style. Now retired from teaching with over 175 published works to his credit, Compello continues to draw on his extensive background in music education to compose new music exclusively for Carl Fischer's *Performance Series*. His music for young players is now a model for college curricular study by music education students. A master's thesis by Abel Borg entitled *The resourceful and engaging compositions for beginning band* by Joseph Compello is available at York University, Toronto, Ontario, Canada.

Compello's journey from school teacher to internationally published composer was recently chronicled in the *Baltimore Sun*. His ASCAP award winning music is now performed worldwide in venues ranging from school concerts to Carnegie Hall. 2019 marked Compello's twenty-fifth year as a contributor to Carl Fischer's catalogue of music for young bands.

March style (♩ = 120-144)

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Fl.

Ob.
(Fl. 2)

Cl.
in B \flat

B. Cl.
in B \flat

A. Sax.
in E \flat

T. Sax.
in B \flat

Bar. Sax.
in E \flat

9

Tpt.
in B \flat

Hn. in F

Tbn.,
Euph.,
Bsn.

Tuba

Mall.
Perc.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

25

Fl.

Ob.
(Fl. 2)Cl.
in B \flat B. Cl.
in B \flat A. Sax.
in E \flat T. Sax.
in B \flat Bar. Sax.
in E \flat

25

Tpt.
in B \flat

Hn. in F

Tbn.,
Euph.,
Bsn.

Tuba

Mall.
Perc.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

33

Fl.

Ob.
(Fl. 2)

Cl.
in B \flat

B. Cl.
in B \flat

A. Sax.
in E \flat

T. Sax.
in B \flat

Bar. Sax.
in E \flat

Tpt.
in B \flat

Hn. in F

Tbn.,
Euph.,
Bsn.

Tuba

Mall.
Perc.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

41

Fl.

Ob.
(Fl. 2)Cl.
in B \flat B. Cl.
in B \flat A. Sax.
in E \flat T. Sax.
in B \flat Bar. Sax.
in E \flat

41

Tpt.
in B \flat

Hn. in F

Tbn.,
Euph.,
Bsn.

Tuba

Mall.
Perc.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

45 49

Fl.

Ob.
(Fl. 2)

Cl.
in B \flat

B. Cl.
in B \flat

A. Sax.
in E \flat

T. Sax.
in B \flat

Bar. Sax.
in E \flat

45 49

Tpt.
in B \flat

Hn. in F

Tbn.,
Euph.,
Bsn.

Tuba

tutti

Mall.
Perc.

tutti

Timp.

tutti

Perc. 1

tutti

Perc. 2

43 44 45 46 47 48 49

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Fl.

Ob.
(Fl. 2)

Cl.
in B \flat

B. Cl.
in B \flat

A. Sax.
in E \flat

T. Sax.
in B \flat

Bar. Sax.
in E \flat

Tpt.
in B \flat

Hn. in F

Tbn.,
Euph.,
Bsn.

Tuba

Mall.
Perc.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

This musical score page contains measures 50 through 56. The instruments are arranged in the following order from top to bottom: Flute (Fl.), Oboe (Ob.)/Flute 2 (Fl. 2), Clarinet in B-flat (Cl. in B \flat), Bass Clarinet in B-flat (B. Cl. in B \flat), Alto Saxophone in E-flat (A. Sax. in E \flat), Tenor Saxophone in B-flat (T. Sax. in B \flat), Baritone Saxophone in E-flat (Bar. Sax. in E \flat), Trumpet in B-flat (Tpt. in B \flat), Horn in F (Hn. in F), Trombone, Euphonium, and Baritone (Tbn., Euph., Bsn.), Tuba, Mallet Percussion (Mall. Perc.), Timpani (Timp.), Percussion 1 (Perc. 1), and Percussion 2 (Perc. 2). The score is written for measures 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, and 56. A large red watermark reading 'For Promotional Use Only' is diagonally across the page.

57 61

Fl.

Ob.
(Fl. 2)

Cl.
in B \flat

B. Cl.
in B \flat

A. Sax.
in E \flat

T. Sax.
in B \flat

Bar. Sax.
in E \flat

57 61

Tpt.
in B \flat

Hn. in F

Tbn.,
Euph.,
Bsn.

Tuba

Mall.
Perc.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Fl.

Ob.
(Fl. 2)

Cl.
in B \flat

B. Cl.
in B \flat

A. Sax.
in E \flat

T. Sax.
in B \flat

Bar. Sax.
in E \flat

Tpt.
in B \flat

Hn. in F

Tbn.,
Euph.,
Bsn.

Tuba

Mall.
Perc.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

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