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Ticket alert: Boynton Beach Gold Coast Band's season finale to raise money for summer music scholarships



The Boynton Beach Gold Coast Band returns to play a musical melting pot of styles ranging from American folk music to Broadway classics, jazz and Motown. They will play Sunday, April 14 at 3 p.m. at First Baptist Church, located at 301 N. Seacrest Blvd, Boynton Beach, FL 33445. (Boynton Beach Gold Coast Band / Courtesy)



One of Boynton Beach's premier symphony orchestras will return next month to play a musical melting pot of styles ranging from American folk music to Broadway classics, jazz and Motown, and all to raise money for local students' scholarships.

The Boynton Beach Gold Coast Band returns to the stage at 3 p.m. Sunday, April 14 for its final concert of the season, "Music Americana Style," at Boynton Beach First Baptist

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Church, 301 N. Seacrest Blvd, Boynton Beach, FL 33435, according to a news release.

"In keeping with the band's goals of performance, education and outreach, they will be presenting band camp and college scholarships to their deserving student members," the statement said.

"Last season, band president Pat Truscello presented band camp scholarships to Ashley Backus, a junior at Atlantic Community High School; Zoe Prucien, a senior at Atlantic Community High School; Elijah Vazquez, a sophomore at Boca Raton Community High School; and Reagan Katz, an eighth-grade student at Franklin Academy to help defray their tuition costs to attend various summer music camps."

This year's awards will be made possible through donations received from audience and band members throughout this concert season, according to the news release.

April's concert will highlight the various musical styles of American music.

"Just as our population is a melting pot of many cultures, our music reflects a diversity of styles including American folk music, Civil War melodies, the music of Broadway theater, jazz and traditional marches," the news release read.

The concert will music from Clare Grundman, Irving Berlin, Motown artists, John Philip Sousa and more. Tickets are \$8 and will be available at the event or online.

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