

SOLD-OUT ATTENDANCE AT 2026 MAPS AIR MUSEUM HANGAR DANCE

Featuring the NORTHCOAST BIG BAND



This year's MAPS AIR MUSEUM HANGAR DANCE was a huge success with over 250 dancers and Big Band enthusiasts in attendance. The July 11th performance provided a complete spectrum of memorable World War II era Big Band favorites from American Patrol, Moonlight Serenade, Pennsylvania 6500, Little Brown Jug and Barbara Rosene's beautiful vocal feature of As Time Goes By. The dance floor was filled from the very first String of Pearls for two full hours of all-time dancing favorites.

Featured Vocalists **Barbara Rosene** and **Jay Nye** provided the dancers a *show-time presentation* of recognizable tunes which many dancers sang along with as they were dancing. At times the dance floor was so filled, many dancing couples moved outdoors to the hangar's tarmac, experiencing the music and a beautiful sunset that evening.

The band never misses an opportunity to acknowledge the patriotic element to a performance while being surrounded by such wonderful vintage aircraft and related displays within the MAPS Air Museum. The medley of Armed Forces Marches saluted all five branches of the United States military by performing the theme song for each branch and asking the veterans in attendance to stand and receive our musical salute. A standing ovation for all immediately followed.



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The evening was brought to a close by the Jay Nye vocal feature of Lee Greenwood's God Bless The USA. This tune always brings the attending American Patriots to stand and experience a feeling of American pride and freedom in everyone. Encores of Barbara and Jay singing the Unforgettable duet and the of course the instrumental favorite of In The Mood closed the evening with a spectacular finish and a standing ovation expressing appreciation for the entire band and spectacular vocalists.

Plans are already in development for next year's Hangar Dance. Mark your calendars for Saturday, July 10th, 2027...with more details forthcoming.

THE PERFORMANCE SET LIST, JULY 11, 2026

ORDER	TITLE/ARRANGEMENT	FEATURE	TEMPO-STYLE	YEAR
1.	STRING OF PEARLS Arr. J. Farley (OPENER)		120-swing	1941
2.	STOMPIN AT THE SAVOY Arr. Bradford		140-swing	1936
3.	MOONLIGHT SERENADE Arr. J. Hest	Feature: Mike Sherwood/Clarinet	84-ballad	1939
4-V	ALMOST LIKE BEING IN LOVE, Arr. Niehaus	Feature: Barbara Rosene	138-swing	1947
5-V	GEORGIA ON MY MIND Arr. D. Wolpe	Feature: Barbara Rosene	92-ballad	1930
6.	BEGIN THE BEGUINE Arr. J. Hest	Mike Sherwood/Clarinet	120	1935
7.	CHATTANOOGA CHOO CHOO Arr. D. Wolpe		Med. Jump	1940
8-V	SWAY-Vocal Overlay Arr. Stitzel,	Feature Jay Nye	126	1954
9-V	THE SUMMER WIND Arr. D. Tanner	Feature: Jay Nye	90-ballad	1965
10.	PENNSYLVANIA 6500 Arr. J. Hest	Band-voice novelty		1940
11.	LITTLE BROWN JUG Arr. B. Finegan	Bari Sax feature John Smith	140	1940
12.-V	S' WONDERFUL Arr. D. Wolpe	Barbara Rosene	Mod. Swing	1927
13.-V	YOU MAKE ME FEEL SO YOUNG Arr. Quincy Jones	Jay Nye	120	1946
14.	AMERICAN PATROL Arr. Paul Lavender		150	1942
15.	ARMED FORCES MARCHES (MEDLEY Salute to 5 Military Branches/audience recognition)		120 March	

INTERMISSION

16.	LET'S DANCE (Benny Goodman theme song/	Mike Sherwood feature)	150 swing	1934
17.	I'M GETTING SENTIMENTAL OVER YOU Arr. Warrington	Trombone feature/Jim Klann		
18-V	BLUE MOON Arr. D. Wolpe	Feature Barbara Rosene	Med. Ballad	1934
19-V	I DON'T WANT TO WALK WITHOUT YOU Arr. J. Farley	Barbara Rosene/Ryan Harris Trumpet	90	1941
20	OLD DEVIL MOON Arr. D. Wolpe	Nora Moen Trumpet Feature	144	1946
21	I'LL NEVER SMILE AGAIN Arr. J. Osser	Feature Sax Section	84-88	1939
22-V	MACK THE KNIFE Arr. Burger	Feature Jay Nye	152-swing	1928
23-V	BEYOND THE SEA Arr. Hocking	Feature Jay Nye	110	1946
24	THE WAY YOU LOOK TONIGHT Arr. J. Warrington		120	1936
25-V	AS TIME GOES BY Arr. Feldbush Voice-Over	Feature Barbara Rosene	80	1931
26-V	A FOGGY DAY Arr. D. Wolpe	Feature Barbara Rosene	152	1937
27	ADIOS Arr. J. Farley/Glenn Miller			
28	STAR DUST Arr. A. Dedrick	Eric Holler Trumpet feature		1927
29	OPUS ONE Arr. D. Kubis			
30-V	GOD BLESS THE USA Arr. M. Lentz/Lee Greenwood	Jay Nye	80-Patriotic	1984

ENCORE 1, VOCAL DUET: UNFORGETTABLE Arr. Feldbush Barbara & Jay 90
ENCORE 2, IN THE MOOD Arr. Garland

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