

Lakes Region Opera Company and
WKXL1450

present

Capital Region Opera Idol

*November 4, 2007, 3:00 pm * Annicchiarico Theatre, Concord, NH*

<i>Gilliana Austin, Soprano</i>	<i>"Berta's Aria", Il Barbiere di Siviglia, G. Rossini</i>
<i>Zhanna Alkhazova, Soprano</i>	<i>"Mi chiamano Mimi", La Boheme, G. Puccini</i>
<i>Winthrop Buswell, Baritone</i>	<i>"Hear Me Ye Winds & Waves", Scipio, G. Handel</i>
<i>Brooke Larimer, Mezzo Soprano</i>	<i>"Pres des remparts de Seville", Carmen, G. Bizet</i>
<i>Nicole Ameduri, Soprano</i>	<i>"Dearest Mama", Ballad of Baby Doe, D. Moore</i>
<i>Benjamin Bunsold, Tenor</i>	<i>"La donna e mobile", Rigoletto, G. Verdi</i>
<i>Rachel Hauge, Mezzo Soprano</i>	<i>"Seguidilla", Carmen, G. Bizet</i>
<i>Erin Pedersen, Soprano</i>	<i>"Glitter and be Gay", Candide, L. Bernstein</i>
<i>Daniel Hinson, Tenor</i>	<i>"O, Columbina", I Pagliacci, R. Leoncavallo</i>
<i>Brian Ballard, Bass Baritone</i>	<i>"Non piu andrai", Le Nozze di Figaro, W. A. Mozart</i>
<i>Lisa Williamson, Soprano</i>	<i>"Je veux vivre", Romeo e Juliette, C. Gounod</i>
<i>Allison Messier, Mezzo Soprano</i>	<i>"Chacun a son gout", Die Fledermaus, J. Strauss, Jr.</i>
<i>Gregory Hanson, Tenor</i>	<i>"Che gelida manina", La Boheme, G. Puccini</i>
<i>Mary Thorne, Soprano</i>	<i>"Ou va la jeune indoue", Lakme, L. Delibes</i>
<i>Emily Lorini, Mezzo Soprano</i>	<i>"Non piu mesta", La Cenerentola, G. Rossini</i>



Our Special Thanks...

To David Collins, our talented and wonderful competition accompanist

To our judges, Barbara Pitsch, Opera New Hampshire; David Ripley, University of New Hampshire; Dr. Carroll Lehmann, Keene State College; Dr. Michael Johnson, Baylor University.

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Mr. Jack Duncan for spending MUCH of his time recording our competition - all three rounds!

And YOU, our audience, for coming out to support our opera competition!

Cash Prizes to be Awarded:

<i>First Prize Winner</i>	<i>\$750.00</i>	<i>WKXL1450</i>
<i>Second Prize Winner</i>	<i>\$500.00</i>	<i>Joseph C. Cormier Award</i>
<i>Third Prize Winner</i>	<i>\$250.00</i>	<i>Charles Ludington Award</i>
<i>Fourth Prize Winner</i>	<i>\$125.00</i>	<i>Audience Choice Award</i>

Special Awards:

*Two Demo Recording Packages worth \$400.00 each from
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*“Hansel & Gretel”, touring In School Program, April 2008
“I Pagliacci”, Leoncavallo & “Suor Angelica”, Puccini, Summer 2008
Two Recital Series Concerts in 2008*

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