



Ground Breaking for the New Concert Hall for Ponca City Public Schools

The Ponca City Public School district officially broke ground today for their new concert hall being built at 5th and Overbrook Avenue. The project was part of the \$37,225,000 bond election passed overwhelmingly by voters on October 13, 2015.

The new Concert Hall will be acoustically tailored for live music performances and designed for high quality recordings necessary for students to qualify for state and national vocal and instrumental music competitions. It will allow the district to have combined instrumental and chorale performances and the chorale will be able to perform on campus instead of traveling to show off their award-winning talents.

Pictured L-R front row: Bret Smith (Ex. Director of Operations for PCPS), Robin Riley (PCPS Board member), Judy Throop (PCPS Board Member), Dr. David Kinkaid (PCPS Board President), Nancy Zimmerschied (PCPS New Board member who will replace Marvin Clark), Don Nuzum (PCPS Board Vice President), Marvin Clark (PCPS Board Member), Jacque Salmons (Lewis Associates Architects)

Back row: Richard Winterrowd (Lewis Associates Architects Partner), Troy Lewis (Lewis Associates Architects AIA Principal), Ross Kyler (Sooner Construction), Paul Kyler (Sooner Construction), Austin Drumm (Lewis Associates Architects Intern Architect), Ryan McIntosh (Sooner Construction), Dr. David Pennington (Ponca City Public School Superintendent)

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