

Marilee Sharpe: a Silver Star

Marilee Sharpe plays flute in Silver Concert Band. She is fairly new to Westwinds, but has a long history of making music. She played clarinet and tenor sax in school, and a highlight was playing alto clarinet with the Alberta Honour Band one year in high school. She took up the flute at the end of high school since it “easily works along with a piano for Christmas time.”

Marilee joined Westwinds on the suggestion of her friend Linda Scott who had started clarinet in Green Concert Band; the two of them joined Purple Concert Band together. Marilee has also played in the summer concert bands, and this is her first year in Silver Concert Band.

Marilee’s favourite thing about Westwinds is the people, followed by the “brain work-out” and finally, the performing. She feels that Westwinds is “the best place to go to be involved in music, at all levels.”