



Rich Pinski

As a 35 year veteran of the music industry, Rich has traveled extensively entertaining audiences of all ages.

At age 9 Rich began to play the accordion and eventually learned how to play a variety of instruments. As he grew, so did his repertoire. Although he plays most of the band instruments and guitars, you will most often hear Rich playing the accordion and keyboard in a variety of styles.

Rich earned a Bachelors degree in Music at the University of Wisconsin-La Crosse with an emphasis on composing and arranging. While at UW, Rich performed with several vocal and instrumental ensembles as well as fronting a professional combo.

After 2 years on the road, as a full-time professional musician, Rich returned to the Midwest sharing his time between teaching and performing. Discovering a fondness for teaching, Rich returned to college and earned a Bachelors of Science in Education at Dr. Martin Luther College in New Ulm, MN. He now has over twenty-five years experience teaching high school band, choral and grade school band.

Rich currently resides in Schofield, WI where he maintains a busy schedule as teacher, director, performer, songwriter/arranger and consultant.

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