

Symphony Newsletter

Sunday, October 18, 2009

Lilly Hall, Butler University

Rehearsal Times/Locations:

1:00 - 4:30 pm - room 112: Symphony

1:00 - 3:00 pm - room 177: Philharmonic

Concert Orchestra performance at the Indianapolis Artsgarden, 7:00 pm - come out and support your fellow NWYO participants!

Reminder that viola, cello, and bass sections will begin recording seating auditions as early at 12:30 pm.

For High School Age Members: ISO Side-by-Side Audition Applications Due Friday!

Rehearsal Order:

Saint-Saens: 1:00 - 2:00 pm

Capriccio: 2:00 - 2:45 pm

break

Rhapsody in Blue: 3:00 - 4:00 pm

short break

Saint-Saens: 4:00 - 4:30 pm

Viola, cello, and bass seating auditions this week! Be prepared to go to warm-up when asked to do so. Harps and flutes will also audition this week.

Harps: you will be auditioning on the harp cadenza in the Capriccio.

We welcome Herman Whitfield to rehearsal this week and next. It is extremely important that members are present and attend the full rehearsal - particularly as we're getting closer to the concert.

Reminder about rehearsal times in the coming weeks:

October 25: rehearsal extended until 5:00 pm

November 1: rehearsal extended until 5:00 pm specifically to work on music for the joint performance with the Indianapolis Symphonic Choir

November 8: rehearsal extended until 5:00 pm specifically to work on music for the joint performance with the Indianapolis Symphonic Choir

Music Stands: Violin 2 section continues with stand clean up! Plan to stay an extra few minutes to put stands away.

A reminder from Larry Shapiro for those that are applying to Butler - simply call or e-mail if you would like to set up a free sample lesson with him!

Updated! Student Sponsorships

Sponsorships have been rolling in all week - thank you to those who submitted them recently! Keep them coming - we can still squeeze in some additional sponsors in the next week even though we're now past the deadline.

We will also be happy to list new sponsors later in the season, so keep working on those. Invite current and potential sponsors to the November 15 performance so they can see what we're all so excited about.

So far Symphony has raised **78% of the total amount** with only about **25% of members participating**. Let's get that participation number up - 100% by the end of the season! Every donation helps and every donation counts, whether it's \$5 or \$500 - we value each and every one.

November 15 concert tickets available at www.indianapolissymphony.org - remember that orchestra participants do not need tickets. They will have seats up front reserved for them.

Young Artist Competition: November 15 Application Deadline

For more information, cut and paste into your browser: <http://www.nwyso.org/YAC.html>

Updated! Community Events/Activities:

Cello Day at Butler University

Hosted by William Grubb, Professor of Cello, Butler University

Open to all university and high school age cellists of all levels as well as their parents, teachers, and friends.

Saturday, October 24, 2009

Eidson-Duckwall Recital Hall, Robertson Hall

10:00 am - 4:00 pm

Free of charge!

Bring your cello.

See Ruth Wolff for the full schedule

Registration Deadline: October 16

Master Class with Stephanie Sant 'Ambrosio, violin

October 27

Master Class at 3:30 pm

Recital at 7:30 pm

Butler University, Eidson-Duckwall Recital Hall

Free Admission

Marion Philharmonic Orchestra Concerto/Aria Competition

Application due: November 7

High school students (grades 9-12) are eligible for the High School Division

Open to performers in strings, woodwinds, brass, piano, organ, voice, and percussion

More information: contact Ruth Wolff for copies of the brochure

Carmel Symphony Orchestra - Young Artist Competition

Entry Deadline: November 9, 2009

\$1000 cash award

Perform with the CSO on February 14, 2010 (note: the concert time does not conflict with New World's concert time).

Call 317-844-9717 for information.

Sphinx Competition for young Black and Latino string players

Prizes include up to \$5000 cash, solo appearances with the Sphinx Symphony Orchestra, and national radio debut on From the Top.

Entry Deadline: November 11, 2009

Information is available at www.sphinxmusic.org

Indianapolis Symphony Orchestra:

There is a discount program for students called MaestroCard. For only \$30, students of all ages can attend four concerts from the Lilly Classical Series, Printing Partners Pops Series or Coffee Classical Series. The student presents the MaestroCard at the Box Office up to one hour before the concert to redeem (subject to availability). Check out www.indianapolissymphony.org/MaestroCard for more information.

Those interested in auditioning for All State Orchestra should follow this link for more information: <http://www.imeamusic.org/activities/allstate/orch/index.php>

3rd Annual University of Tennessee Viola Celebration
October 24-25, 2009

Middle school age through professionals and teachers.

Special guest is Heidi Castleman, 5 master class opportunities, a seminar on the Bach Suites, a North American premier for the All-Viola Orchestra, an introductory class in Eurhythmics, and the Suzuki workshop

All events are free!

More info at www.music.utk.edu/violacelebration or violacelebration@utk.edu

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~ October 18 at the Artsgarden, 7:00 pm, Free Admission ~

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