

WINTER CONCERT

Tuesday, December 7, 2010 at 6:30 PM Performing Arts Center SUNY Purchase

THE WESTCHESTER ELEMENTARY STRINGS

ORCHESTRA Conducted by Bernard Klinger

America the Beautiful

Samuel Ward Arr. by Jeffrey Turner

Air and Bourree

J.S. Bach Arr. by Vernon Leidig Air: transcribed from "Goldberg Variations" Bourree: transcribed from "Suite in F"

Variations on the Famous Paganini 24th Caprice Arr. by Harry Alshin

Gymnopedie No. 1

Erik Satie Arr. by Jack Bullock

On the Trail from "Grand Canyon Suite"

Allegro in G from Concerto for Two Guitars

Ferde Grofe Arr. by Andrew Dabczynski

Antonio Vivaldi Arr. by Steven Frackenpohl

UPCOMING EVENTS

Greater Westchester Youth Orchestras Lionti-Lewis Senior Concerto/ Sonata Competition Concert Monday, January 10, 2011 at 7pm Academic Arts Theater Westchester Community College

Greater Westchester Youth Orchestras Spring Gala Concert Sunday, May 1, 2011 at 2pm **Avery Fisher Hall** Lincoln Center, New York

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THE WESTCHESTER JUNIOR STRINGS

ORCHESTRA

Conducted by Jacqueline Stern

Concerto Polonois				
Dolce				
Allegro				
Largo				

Georg Philipp Telemann (1681-1767)

Andante Cantabile from String Quartet, op. 11 Peter Ilitch Tschaikowsky (1840-1893)

Charterhouse Suite Prelude Slow Dance Pezzo Ostinato

Allegro

Ralph Vaughan Williams (1872-1958)

THE WESTCHESTER YOUTH SYMPHONY

Conducted by Vincent Lionti

March Militaire FrancaiseCamille Saint-SaensFinale from Symphony No.2Jean SibeliusNabucco OvertureGiuseppe Verdi

Finale from Symphony No.5

Dmitri Shostakovich

The Westchester Elementary Strings Orchestra

<u>Violin I</u>	<u>Violin II</u>	<u>Viola</u>	
Isaiah Schrader *	Josh Holder ^	Paul Koonaporn ^	
Edmond Chu **	Ben Lee ^^	Donnae Farquharsen	
Nicholas Aoki	Claire Blaufox	Jule Jacobs	
Ella Blicker	Rebecca Cadenhead	Nisha Mathur	
Elizabeth Bloom	Akimoto Cornelius	Annie Strongwater	
Laura Clapp	Juliana Freiberg		
Samantha Chong	Karen Hmaguchi	<u>Cello</u>	
Alan Gu	Alice Heyeh	Evan Murphy ^	
Jessica Kwong	James Monahan	Therese Bonoan	
Sophie Lee	Edward Nathan	Frances Fedora	
Veronica Lee	Vivianne Ong	Brandon Kim	
Clara Montgomery	Keshav Rastogi	John Kim	
Eisuke Moritani	Lucia Rhode	Taz Kim	
Abigail Nishiwaki	Eliza Sandler	Lucie LeBlanc	
Willa Odefey	Allie Voltaggio	Alexander Lee	
Emily Plotkin	Lilly Voltaggio	Grant McElheny	
Phoebe Sander	Kristen Wong	Frank Peters	
	Karin Yamakawa	Frederic Verrier-Pacquette	
	Jaeyon Yeo		
		Bass	

Violin III

Helena Lee

Nene Miyashita

Diane Zhang

Bass

Michael Morin

ABOUT THE CONDUCTORS

Vincent J. Lionti holds a Bachelors degree of Music and Masters degree of Music from The Juilliard School where he was principal violist and teaching assistant to William Lincer. He has been a member of the Metropolitan Opera Orchestra since 1987. From 1983-1987 he was a member of the Detroit Symphony and he performed with the New York Philharmonic from 1981-1983. Mr. Lionti has performed as the principal violist with the Santa Fe Opera and guest principal violist of the Indianapolis Symphony Orchestra. He has also been a member of the Casals Festival Orchestra, the Lyric Chamber Ensemble and the Renaissance City Chamber Ensemble. Mr. Lionti has had a long history with GWYOA, first as a student at age 12, through high school, and now as a conductor. He led the Westchester Junior Strings, and became the conductor of the Westchester Youth Symphony in 1997.

C. Victor Lionti was Musical Director and Conductor of the Westchester Youth Symphony for 27 years until 1997. His teaching career has included: Hartford High School, White Plains High School and Kent State University. He was on the faculty of Westchester Community College for 25 years where he served as Music Curriculum Chairman, and remains as Professor Emeritus and Adjunct Professor of Music. A graduate of the Eastman School of Music and the Catholic University of America, Mr. Lionti has performed with the Rochester Philharmonic, the Hartford Symphony, the US Marine Band in Washington DC and as Principal Violist with the Greenwich Symphony. Mr. Lionti was Music Director of the Aaron Copland Music and Arts Program in Westchester County. He presently serves as coordinator and Associate Conductor for the GWYOA Youth Symphony.

* Concertmaster

** Asst. Concertmaster

^ Principal

^^ Asst. Principal

ABOUT THE CONDUCTORS

Bernard Klinger is a graduate of Hartt College of Music where he received Bachelors Degrees in Music Education and Viola Performance. He has a Masters degree in Music Education from Columbia University Teachers College. Mr. Klinger taught strings and orchestra at Holland Hill School in Fairfield, Connecticut for 5 years. Before that, he taught strings and orchestra in the Chappaqua and White Plains School Districts for 33 years. He was principal violist in the Ridgefield, Ct. Symphony, and currently plays viola in the Greenwich Symphony. A past president of the Westchester County School Music Association (WCSMA) , he has also served as Elementary Festival Coordinator, orchestra chairman, Elementary Orchestra Conductor and advisor to the board. Mr. Klinger joined GWYOA in 1996.

Jacqueline Stern has a Bachelors Degree in Music Education from Ithaca College and a Master's Degree in Cello Performance from the Manhattan School of Music. She currently conducts the orchestras at the Green Meadow Waldorf School. She is a performing cellist with the Hudson String Quartet and has performed with the New York City Opera, the Artek Ensemble and the Stamford Symphony. Ms. Stern joined the GWYOA as conductor of the Elementary Strings in 1983. She has been serving in her current role as Conductor of the GWYOA Junior Strings since 1997.

The Westchester Junior Strings Orchestra

Violin I Adam Amron Natalie Breuel Mary Chen * Maia Chua Juliette Greene Millie Ho Nina Joung Zoe Kerrich Tiffany Kwark Phillip Liu Chet-Lunn Bryant Lo Carey Miao Prakhyat Pola Maggie Pozenel Ellie Seid Megha Swamy Shuntaro Takahashi Alice Thum Candace Tong-Li Kate van Loveren Julie Watiker Marisa Wong Helena Zhang Yi Zhao

* Concertmaster ^ Principal

Violin II Julia Chen Adam Coppeta Anna Guterman Rachel Haber Allen He Joyce Heyeh Micah Jeng Nicole Hana Kim ^ Lisbet Person Max Pine Nikhil Rajan Claudia Reino Jasper Rogal Julia Sandler Hunter Schmidt Dorothy Shek **Risa Shindo** Patrick Slattery Chinmayi Venkatram Gabe Wiersma Yan Yan Xie

<u>Viola</u>

Aaron Blaufox Emma Duggan Carly Hall Kellin Jansen Philip Lee Shunyo Sam Morgan Swati Narayan Emily Nishiwaki Ili Oduard ^ Daniel Safsel Jill Shah Ayaka Yorihiro

<u>Cello</u>

Surin Ahn ^ Sofia Checa Jasmine Chen Kennan Ewing Charlotte Herber Benjamin Holmes Edouardo Honig Lindsay Kim Alexander Kleinman Robby Kwong Aron Licht Kris Petreski Maalya Ramachandra Lucas Saur Will Sheng

Bass

Luke Hargraves Andrea Reino Jonah Ury ^

The Westchester Youth Symphony Orchestra

<u>Violin I</u>	<u>Violin II</u>	Will
Grace Choi	Victoria Chi	Emi
Roslyn Chu	Victoria Dieck	Adr
Claire Conway	Alana Engelbrecht	Eva
Brinton Crawford	Fiona Ewing	Shru
Sarah Grace DeYoung	Jennifer Feigin	Jaya
Melena Ho	Victoria Garcia	Rad
Frank Hwang	Michael Genecin	Sara
Julia Kagan	Ronald Kao	Jess
Jenny Kim	Andrew Young Hwan Kim	Zac
Noel Kim	Juliette Noelle Lubin	Julia
Samuel D. Kim	Justin Mei	
Sarah King	Yanni Metaxas	Cell
Devon Klemmer	Alexei Naumann	Nik
Gae Min Lee *	Megan Schaub	Ray
Rachel Lee	Hallie Voulgaris	And
Alex Liu	Alicia Wu	Cha
Karen Maehara	Alison Yih	Gab
Sofia Maluf	Gabriel Yum	Tyle
Benjamin Marshall	Olivia Zalesin	Mat
Sikander Miah		Alva
Grace Moore	<u>Viola</u>	Isab
Natalie Paulmeno	Katie Allen	Mat
Sam Powell	Ashley Baisch	Han
Hannah Stephanz	Jemmin Chang	Nat
Hank Swerdloff	Shira Leigh Durica	Eric
Helen Y. Thum	Nicola Freeman	Mar
Rachel Tsao	Carolyn Holmes	Reb

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Robin Luongo Sara McElheny Alex Pisano Hari Rau-Murthy Raphael Saphra Soria Shultz Preeth Srinivasaraghavan Nadav Wall Rebecca Wiersma Frances Yih

Bass

Elias Chess Robert Durante Sarah Gourevitch Daniel Lungara Elizabeth Quintero Jamieson Ring Laura Watiker Daniel Weinfeld

Flute

Kohar Bedonian Emma E. Goodman Olivia Harris Jenniffer Kibrick Kata Kozma Maya Rau-Murthy Lara Weintraub

Oboe Casey Kearney Gaejeong Lee Andrew M. Port Sophie Ruff Amelia Stutman

Clarinet

Emma Berry Jennifer Chung Kaleigh Herron Daniel Miserendino Jared Louis Pasetsky Grace Schulz Nina Wagner Aurora Xu

Bassoon

Katherine E. Grusky Jimmy Jiang Christina Paparo Lily Sands

French Horn

Bryan Jacobowitz Robert Levine Adam Sperber

Trumpet

Brianna Herron Sean McQuaid Noah Ruff Shane Waxler

Trombone

Joseph Karp Ryan Polakoff Roslyn E. Wertheimer

Tuba

Charles Bloom Conor Hammonds

Percussion

Thomas Allen Gould Jake Moore Jonathan Ortiz Jonathan Packer

* Concertmaster