

October 4, 2017

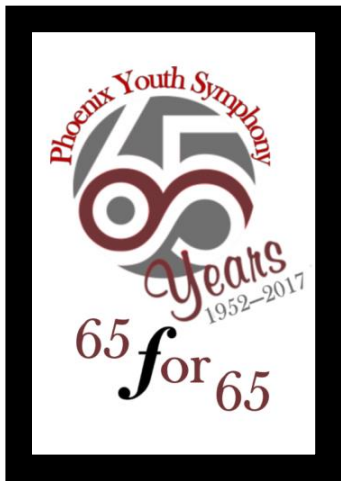
### CONCERT ATTIRE

Symphonette, String Orchestra, and Symphonic Winds: Concert clothes that were ordered through the PYS website will be handed out this week and next. If you haven't paid for your order please be prepared to do so this week.

### PHOTOS

Group and individual photos will be taken on October 25<sup>th</sup>. Before, during, and after rehearsal. Be sure to get your photo order envelope this week. Everyone must wear their full concert clothes to be in the group photo. For those wishing to purchase Individual photos, the shoot will begin at 5:30 PM. Come early so you don't have to stay late to do it after rehearsal!

### DON'T FORGET 65 FOR 65



<http://phoenixyouthsymphony.org/65-for-65-fundraiser/>

### SCHOOL ORCH. & BAND

PYS members are expected to be members, in good standing, of their school's instrumental program. Exceptions must be submitted with the written approval of the instrumental director and/or the principal or school counselor. All written exceptions will be reviewed for approval.



**TITO MUÑOZ**

**The Conductor of the Phoenix Symphony will be working with the Phoenix Youth Symphony this week, Wednesday, October 4<sup>th</sup>!**

To read TITO MUÑOZ'S bio follow this link:

<http://titomunoz.com/biography/>

### PARKING at CENTRAL

**A CHANGE!!** You may now park inside the gate which is located immediately to your right when you are pulling into Central High School from Central Avenue. **Park ONLY in one of the lots.** There is also plenty of parking on the north side of the building from where you walk through the center of campus to get to the auditorium. If you are dropping off, please do not stop while heading east. Pull all the way through, and turn around. Security at Central has asked us **NOT TO PARK ALONG THE SIDE OF THE BUILDING AT ALL UNTIL YOU ARE ACTUALLY PICKING UP YOUR STUDENT.** They plan to enforce this rule!

### PYS WEBSITE

Check the website frequently for schedules and updates. Absence forms are also available online:

[www.phoenixyouthsymphony.org](http://www.phoenixyouthsymphony.org)

### CORPORATE MATCHING PROGRAMS /UNITED WAY

Many companies participate in a corporate matching program. You select the non-profit organization and your company will match your donations. Companies also encourage employees to participate in the United Way campaign. You can designate that your contribution be sent to PYS.

Phoenix Symphony Guild  
d/b/a Phoenix Youth Symphony  
Tax ID: 86-6051136  
PO Box 15150

Phoenix, AZ 85060

Contact Dick Gardner, PYS Treasurer, for questions: [rgardneraz@gmail.com](mailto:rgardneraz@gmail.com).

### MONTHLY TUITION

### PAYMENTS

If you opted for the payment plan, your monthly payments are due by the last day of each month. The amounts are listed below:

String Orchestra - \$40  
Symphonic Winds - \$40  
Symphonette - \$45  
Youth Symphony - \$50

### YOUNG MUSICIANS

### COMPETITION

**Dates:** January 6-7, 2018

**Location:** Mesa Community College

**Deadline:** November 1, 2017

**Late deadline:** November 8, with \$25 late fee

The winning students in each senior category will compete for scholarships to renowned music camps nationwide. The Grand Prize Winner and Clotilde Otranto Prize Winner (highest PYS Orchestral Training member score) will perform their concertos accompanied by The Phoenix Symphony at the annual Side-by-Side Concert on Sunday, April 22, 2018 at Symphony Hall. Contact Sandy Rutledge with any questions at [sandy.pys@cox.net](mailto:sandy.pys@cox.net).

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Listed below, for your convenience, are the Phoenix Symphony's Classics concerts which PYS students are invited to attend at no cost. Students must be wearing a PYS official polo shirt to obtain one ticket for themselves, and one ticket for a chaperone.

### Mozart and Sibelius

Tito Muñoz, *conductor*  
 Karen Sinclair, *violin*  
 Mark Deatherage, *viola*  
**Tina Tallon:** *Sear*  
**Mozart:** Sinfonia Concertante in E-flat Major  
**Sibelius:** Symphony No. 1  
**FRI 11/2/17 11:00AM**  
**SAT 11/3/17 7:30PM**  
**SUN 11/4/17 7:30PM**

### Beethoven Fourth Symphony

Tito Muñoz, **conductor**  
 Sergio Tiempo, **piano**  
**Beethoven:** Symphony No. 4  
**Ginastera:** Piano Concerto No. 1  
**Ravel:** *La Valse*  
**FRI 11/10/17 7:30PM**  
**SAT 11/11/17 7:30PM**  
**SUN 11/12/17 7:30PM**

### Brahms First Symphony

Tito Muñoz, *conductor*  
 Jennifer Johnson Cano, *mezzo Soprano*  
**Mahler:** Adagio from Symphony No. 10  
**Bernstein:** Symphony No. 1, "Jeremiah"  
**Brahms:** Symphony No. 1  
**FRI 1/12/18 11:30AM**  
**FRI 1/12/18 7:30PM**  
**SAT 1/13/17 7:30PM**

### Sibelius and Debussy

Karina Canellakis, *Conductor*  
 Stewart Goodyear, *piano*  
 Britten: Four Sea Interludes From Peter Grimes  
 Saint-Saens: Piano Concerto No. 5 "Egyptian"  
 Sibelius: The Oceaides  
 Debussy: La Mer  
**FRI 1/26/18 7:30PM**  
**Sat 1/27/18 7:30PM**  
**SUN 1/28/18 2:00PM**

### Beethoven and Mozart

Tito Muñoz, *conductor*  
 Denis Kozhukhin, *piano*  
**Mozart:** Symphony No. 35, "Haffner"  
**Arnold Schoenberg:** *Verklärte Nacht (Transfigured Night)*  
**Beethoven:** Piano Concerto No. 5, "Emperor"  
**FRI 2/9/18 7:30PM**  
**SAT 2/10/18 7:30PM**  
**SUN 2/11/18 2:00PM**

### Brahms and Schumann

Tito Muñoz, *conductor*  
 Friederike Starkloff, *violin*  
**Webern:** Passacaglia  
**Schumann:** Symphony No. 4  
**Brahms:** Violin Concerto  
**Fri 2/23/18 11:00AM**  
**Fri 2/23/18 7:30PM**  
**Sat 2/24/18 7:30PM**

### Tchaikovsky Fifth Symphony

Tito Muñoz, *conductor*  
 Steven Moeckel, *violin*  
**Kenneth Fuchs:** New Work (world premiere)  
**Korngold:** Violin Concerto  
**Tchaikovsky:** Symphony No. 5  
**Fri 3/16/18 11:00AM**  
**Fri 3/16/18 7:30PM**  
**Sat 3/17/18 7:30PM**

### Elgar Cello Concerto

Tito Muñoz, *conductor*  
 István Várdai, *cello*  
**Nina Young:** *Agnosco Veteris*  
**Elgar:** Cello Concerto  
**Mendelssohn:** Symphony No. 3, "Scottish"  
**FRI 4/13/18 11:00AM**  
**FRI 4/13/18 7:30PM**  
**SAT 4/14/18 7:30PM**

### Mozart Piano Concerto No. 22

Jeffrey Kahane, *conductor and piano*  
**Mozart:** Piano Concerto No. 22  
**Dvorák:** Nocturne in B major  
**Bartók:** Concerto for Orchestra

**FRI 4/27/18 7:30PM**  
**SAT 4/28/17 7:30PM**  
**SUN 4/29/17 2:00PM**

### Schubert and Brahms

Tito Muñoz, *conductor*  
 Maria Valdes, *soprano*  
 Rod Gilfry, *baritone*  
 The Phoenix Symphony Chorus  
**Schubert:** Symphony No.8, "Unfinished"  
**Brahms:** *Ein deutsches Requiem (A German Requiem)*  
**FRI 5/11/18 7:30PM**  
**SAT 5/12/18 7:30PM**

