

November 29, 2017

CONGRATULATIONS ON A GREAT CONCERT!

Congratulations to all of the PYS ensembles. Outstanding playing at the Fall All-ensembles Concert at the Orpheum. Congratulations to Maestros: Mr. Kasper, Dr. Temme, Mrs. Press and Mr. Vogel. Thank you to Mr. Grzyb for all of his work with the percussion students. Finally, a huge 'Thank You' to the ensemble committee members. Thank you for all of your help backstage and having students ready to go throughout the concert. We appreciate all of your help and hard work.

UPCOMING SCHEDULE

November 29 SO, SW, SYM, CW, YS 6:30 Rehearsal @ CHS

December 6 SO, SYM, CW, YS 6:30 Rehearsal @ CHS

December 6 SW 6:30 Sectionals/ Seating @ ASA

December 8 Holiday Prelude @ Camelback Inn (no students)

December 13 SO, SW, SYM, CW, 6:30 Rehearsal @ CHS

December 13 YS 6:30 Sectionals @ ASA

HELP PYS FOR 'GIVING TUESDAY'

We have more to go to meet our goal!!

The deadline for the '65 for 65' student contest has been extended to **December 6, 2017**. You could win \$500 of valuable gift cards in time for the holidays. You can use them or give them as gifts for the holidays.

WE NEED YOUR HELP!

PYS has a vision to provide professional quality opportunities and experiences for the students of our Orchestral Training Program. The '65 For 65' campaign is a first step to ensure these opportunities for the next generations of PYS students.

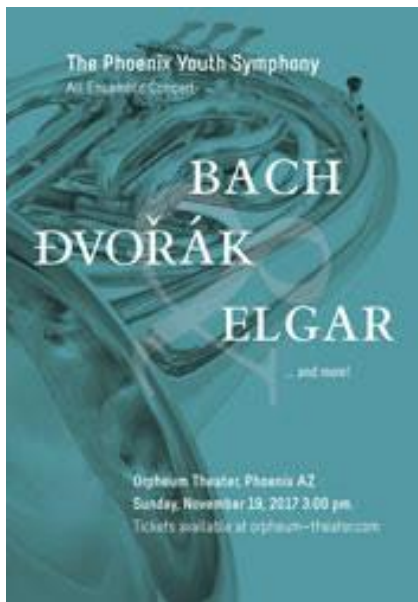
<http://phoenixyouthsymphony.org/65-for-65-fundraiser/>

We are 20% there. We can get there with your help. This campaign will help ensure PYS provides professional level experiences, opportunities and venues for our Orchestral Training program in the future as we look to continue to reach out to talented young musicians throughout AZ.

We are not asking for your money. **We are asking for 20 minutes of your time.** You can help by reaching out to friends, family, business associates or anyone that would support you for PYS. Any donation amount is gratefully accepted (\$5, \$10, \$15, \$20, \$50, \$65, \$100, more). It does not need to be \$65. That is a nice number to tie into the campaign.

Students who raise \$250 or more will be in the drawing for a \$500 prize. The student who raises the most in the program will automatically win a \$500 prize. Two chances to win.

FOR A CHANCE TO WIN \$500 IN PRIZES DON'T FORGET 65 FOR 65





Phoenix Youth Symphony

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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.

Holiday Pops

FRI 12/1/17 7:30PM
Sat 12/2/17 2:00PM
Sat 12/2/17 7:30PM
SUN 12/3/17 1:00PM
SUN 12/3/17 5:00PM

Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets

Watch the film in Symphony Hall with the John Williams soundtrack performed live.

Free admission does not apply.

FRI 1/5/18 7:30PM
Sat 1/6/18 1:00PM
Sat 1/6/18 7:30PM
SUN 1/7/18 2:00PM

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.
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

CORPORATE MATCHING PROGRAMS and THE 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.

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 Contact [Dick Gardner](#), PYS Treasurer, for questions:

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PYS MEMBRERS WEAR YOUR PYS SHIRT & ENJOY FREE ADMITTANCE TO A PHOENIX SYMPHONY CONCERT

If you do not have one, follow the link to order yours today.
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