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# **BYSO Newsletter**





February 13

# Upcoming Events

#### **February**

Monday, Feb. 17 BSD Winter Break No rehearsal

Monday, Feb. 24 Rehearsal

# March

Monday, March 2 Rehearsal

Winter Concerts March 8 & 9

Monday, March 16 Rehearsal

Monday, March 23 Rehearsal

Monday, March 30 Rehearsal

# No Rehearsal this Monday, Feb. 17

There is no rehearsal this Monday in honor of President's Day. Next rehearsal is Monday, Feb. 24. Note that Philharmonia rehearsal will be at Interlake High School on Feb 24.

# **Concert Clothing Reminder**

As the Winter concerts draw near, make sure to refresh yourself with BYSO's proper <u>concert attire</u>.

### **BYSO's Winter Concert Series is Presented by:**



For tickets to BYSO's Winter concerts on March 8 & 9, visit BYSO's <u>concert calendar</u>. To request a complimentary ticket for your music teacher, fill out our complimentary ticket <u>form</u>.

### **Volunteers Needed for Winter Concerts**

We are looking for willing ticket sales assistants, green room monitors, photographers, and point people for our Winter concerts, March 8 & 9. Volunteers get first choice in seating. High school students can volunteer for school hours. Sign up on our <u>Volunteer</u> <u>Calendar</u>.

### Free Chamber Concert at Bellevue Crossroads

Youth Symphony and Sinfonia's chamber ensembles will be

performing a free community concert at Bellevue Crossroad's Center Stage on Sunday, March 1 from 3:30 to 4:30 pm. Make sure to stop by and say hello!

#### **BYSO Office is Having Email Issues**

The BYSO office has been having difficulty getting emails through to our some of our families. One reason for this is that mail systems like Gmail try to protect their users from senders that are not in their "whitelist." If you have been waiting for an email response from us, call us at 425.467.5604.

For now, we recommend marking any BYSO-related emails as "safe" or "not junk." We also recommend adding BYSO email addresses to your contacts including info@byso.org, admin@byso.org, and auditions@byso.org. Our newsletters are always posted on the website. Let us know if you have any questions or need further assistance.

#### Sammamish Symphony Concerto Competition

Sammamish Symphony's 2020 Youth Concerto Competition is now accepting applicants. This competition, held on March 21, recognizes outstanding young musicians and awards winners with cash prizes and a chance to perform with Sammamish Symphony. <u>Learn more</u>.

### Happy Valentine's Day from BYSO!

In the spirit of Valentine's Day, we would like to extend our gratitude and appreciation for our wonderful students, parents, music teachers, and community beyond. Your support of youth in music is inspiring! Happy Valentine's Day!

# Have a lilting weekend!

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