



The MYSO Messenger

The Metropolitan Youth Symphony Orchestra
Volume XIII No. 2 Joliet, Illinois, October, 2004

Ticket Money Due October 27th

Remember each family is required to purchase 10 season passes to the Joliet Junior College concerts. Each pass is \$10; single admission tickets to JJC concerts are \$5, so there is a savings realized by purchasing a season ticket. We need the full participation of each MYSO family to help keep the orchestra financially sound, and to show our major donors that we can partially support the group through ticket sales.

Parent Meeting

Thanks to all the MYSO parents who came to the parent meeting. We had a good turn out. Our next meeting will be held at the end of the season either late April or early May.

Jewelry Demonstration

Thanks to all who stayed for the jewelry demonstration by MYSO parent Sharmon Greene. We want to remind you that she will be holding the show open until after Wednesday, October 6th. If you would like to still place an order, please stop by and see Mrs. Nogal at the beginning of rehearsal. Mrs. Greene also wanted to inform you that she does take all credit cards. Books will be available on Wednesday for you to look at the products. Thanks for your support of MYSO!

Snack Shop

The snack shop is in need of bottled water, cans of soda, and individually wrapped goodies. Drop off at the snack shop before rehearsal – the musicians appreciate it!

Contact

If you need to contact Mrs. Nogal please e-mail her at Lemont45@comcast.net. Please make note of new e-mail address. Checks can be mailed to her at 45 W. Eureka Dr., Lemont, IL. 60439

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50/50 Raffle

We are in need of a parent to take over the raffle that is held at each JJC concert. All that's involved is selling the raffle tickets before the concert and during intermission. We post the winning numbers and someone goes home with half the pot and MYSO keeps the other half. Please contact me if you would be willing to run this raffle.

Website

Please get into the habit of checking the MYSO website for updates on rehearsals, etc. Especially check it on Wednesday late afternoon in case of emergency cancellation.

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Concerto Competition

The Concerto Competition will be held on Monday, October 11th. Any musician that is still interested in competing please see the handbook for further details.

MUSIC

All musicians are responsible for their assigned music parts. If a copy needs to be made for lost or forgotten music there will be \$5.00 charge. For a lost or not returned folder there is a charge of \$30.00.

Performance Dates

2004-2005 Season

Please check these dates at home for any school/family conflicts and report them to the music director immediately.

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Concert Dates

Wednesday, November 3, 2004

Lewis University

Call time 6pm concert 7:30pm

Sunday, November 14, 2004

Joliet Junior College

Concert at 4pm call time approximately 2pm

Wednesday, March 9, 2005

Lewis University

Call time 6pm concert 7:30pm

Sunday, March 20, 2005

Joliet Junior College

Concert 4pm call time tba (approx. 2pm)

Sunday, May 16, 2005

Lewis University Commencement

Sunday morning – finished by noon

Saturday, May 21, 2005

Joliet Junior College

Concert 4pm call time tba approx. 2pm

Thursday, June 2, 2005

Bicentennial Park, Joliet

Call time 6:30 – performance 7:30pm

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