



REHEARSAL NOTES
24 October 2009 – SYMPHONY

Play with confidence & passion!!!

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

10:45 – 1:30

REHEARSAL

- 24 Oct. – Rehearsal
- 31 Oct. – Rehearsal
- 7 Nov. – Rehearsal
- 14 Nov. – Rehearsal
- 20 Nov. – SPECIAL FRIDAY NIGHT REHEARSAL 7:00-9:30
- 21 Nov. – Rehearsal**followed by the Master class with Rachel Barton Pine (~1:45-2:45 pm)
- 22 Nov. – Fall Concert @ 4 pm @ Raue- Call Time 1:45 pm
- 28 Nov. – NO REHEARSAL-THANKSGIVING BREAK
- 30 Nov.-SPECIAL MONDAY NIGHT REHEARSAL 7-9:30 pm

Tickets for the Fall Concert at the Raue on 22 November, are now on sale.
Raue Box Office #: 815-356-9212
We're hoping to sell the house out, so buy your tickets early. Whether ordering on-line, by phone or in person, please take this code with you: ***** , in order to get to get the discounted adult ticket price!!

MID SEASON AUDITIONS

WILL BE HELD ON SATURDAY, 5 DECEMBER FROM 5:00-6:30 PM. Our special guests for the Pops concert in February will be THE Chicago Brass Band-check them out at: www.chicagobrassband.org



WINTER WEATHER CANCELLATION INFORMATION:

What to do if it's snowing on rehearsal day:
Call the office at 815-356-6296 after 7 am on the morning in question. ONLY IF rehearsals are cancelled, will the voicemail message say so. Obviously, we ask you to use your best judgment in traveling in inclement weather.

For those interested in participating in the Master Class with Rachel Barton Pine, your forms with your teacher's signatures are due **TODAY!!**
No extensions!

SNACK SCHEDULE-PLEASE NO PEANUT PRODUCTS – (~55 KIDS)

24 October 2009	31 October 2009	7 November 2009
SNACK: Forni/Forni DRINKS: Boykov	SNACK: Stough/Stough DRINKS: Yan	SNACKS: Swartz/Hanrahan DRINKS:Englert



OUR CHEESECAKE FUNDRAISER HAS BEGUN! \$2.25 OF EVERY CHEESECAKE SOLD GOES INTO YOUR ACTIVITY ACCOUNT. You also are helping to raise money for MCYO. So, sell, sell, sell!!! Funds from your activity acct. can be used towards any trip or tour and rolls over from year to year!!

THINK SYMPHONY SUMMER TOUR 2011!***

(Greece OR Viva la France!!!)

*** nothing definite yet.....

MCYO'S 2010 Concerto Competition:

Entry forms for MCYO's 2010 Concerto Competition are next to the attendance folder. The forms are due back by 5 December and MUST be approved by Mr. Vinick. The sooner you get your approval, the sooner you may start working on your piece!! The competition will be held at 2:00 pm on 16 January 2010 in the Sage. Let's have a good showing from each section!!!

PARENTS:

Ad folders are on the table next to the attendance folder. Ads with the artwork are due back by Sat., 31 Oct. (extended deadline). Please take an ad folder and give it to any businesses to which you have a connection. You may also place a personal ad to your musician in the Program Guides. AND we have Rachel Barton Pine performing on our November concert...that's HUGE!! We hope to sell all 800 seats.....

This is an easy way to spread the word about MCYO and we believe our advertisers benefit by placing an ad in our Program Guides.
Thank you!!