

Mission Statement

Provide an opportunity to learn values of teamwork, responsibility, and self-discipline while reaching maximum musical potential and performance skills, by participating in a fun memorable experience with other musicians.

Sept. 4...New student registration and placement, 5:30 p.m. at Peterson International Music School (PIMS), 2nd floor of the Granary Bldg, 100 E. Montgomery, Mount Vernon. Please bring completed registration form, instrument, and tuition. There is no formal audition, but the director would like to meet you and determine which group would be best for you.

Sept. 11...rehearsal schedule begins.

Thursday evenings during the school year

Junior Symphony...5:30 to 7 p.m.

Youth Symphony...6:30 to 8:30 p.m.



Concert Schedule

Oct. 30, 2008 Fall Concert

7:30pm McIntyre Hall, Mount Vernon

March 15, 2009 Winter Concert

2 pm McIntyre Hall, Mount Vernon

May 21, 2009 Spring Concert

7:30pm McIntyre Hall

*concert dates and times subject to change



We are pleased to have Sharyn Peterson as our Artistic Director and Conductor again this year. Sharyn conducts both the junior and youth symphonies, and is not only a world class musician but a gifted master teacher who has taught string techniques at every level. She brings an enthusiasm, humor, dedication, and expertise to directing that makes this experience so inspiring and enjoyable for our youth.



Fidalgo Youth Symphony 2008-2009

Fidalgo Youth Symphony is a nonprofit organization founded in 1995 serving Skagit, Island, Whatcom, and Snohomish counties. The symphony provides a unique opportunity for talented young musicians to study and perform orchestral music at McIntyre Hall and other professional venues. To accommodate members developing skills, there is junior symphony, with the more advanced repertoire for the youth symphony. Musicians as young as 9 and up to age 21 are eligible for membership. New students are welcome any time of year.

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Director/Conductor

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P.O. Box 2013, Anacortes, Wa 98221

Date: _____

Student Information

Please print:

Name: _____

Parents/Guardian: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Cell phone: _____

Alternate Contact: _____

Email: _____

Age: __ Grade: ____ School: _____

Music Teacher: _____

Instrument(s): _____

Length of Study: _____

*May we have permission to use your child's photo for posters, website,
and other publicity? _____

*Are you interested in serving on the board of directors? __

*Occasionally help with snacks or poster distribution? __

*Would you like to be included on a roster for a possible carpool from your area? __

~ Rehearsal Attendance Policy~

Every musician plays an important role in achieving artistic success. Orchestra members depend upon each other, not only at the concert, but at every rehearsal. Habitual tardiness or excessive absences will make your participation subject to the discretion of the Director. Proper respect for the Music Director, rehearsal hall and property, as well as other musicians must be observed at all times. We understand the attendance and financial requirements for membership in the Fidalgo Youth Symphony.

Please sign:

Student: _____

Parent: _____

Tuition

2008-2009 Season

_Full season- \$325 (\$295 if payment is received by Sept. 15) We prefer and encourage full payment in Sept., as it simplifies record keeping and is a savings of 9%.

_Families with more than one student-\$295 each additional sibling

Payment Preference(please check)

-- one payment , mail check

__ two payments, mail checks (\$162.50 by Sept.15, with remaining \$162.50 by Jan.15)

Mail Checks to:

Fidalgo Youth Symphony

P.O. Box 2013, Anacortes, Wa 98221

__monthly payment~By subscribing through Paypal, please see our website

www.fysmusic.org ~ \$40 due by the 15th of each month.

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