

Hello FYS Families!

March 3, 2010

One week to the **Winter Concerts!** Keep practicing those tricky parts. For both concerts FYS will team up with Mount Baker Youth Symphony for the magnificent sound of a larger joint symphony. This gives everyone twice the reward for all the hard work you put in over eleven weeks of rehearsals. *Please note that FYS Sinfonette students will perform only at the March 12 concert in Mount Vernon.*

The concert on **March 12 at McIntyre Hall** will start at 7:00 pm. Please arrive fully dressed in concert attire for Dress Rehearsal at 5:30 pm. For driving directions, check out this link:

http://www.mcintyrehall.org/news3.asp_Q_pagenumber_E_1855

For this March 12 concert, two immediate family members per student may purchase a ticket at the discounted price of \$10. Mention your student's name at the Box Office to receive your discount.

The concert on **March 13 at Mount Baker Theater** will begin at 3:00 pm.

NOTE: THIS IS A CHANGE OF TIME from what we originally posted.

Please arrive fully dressed in concert attire for Dress Rehearsal at 1:30 pm. For driving directions, please use this link:

<http://www.mapquest.com/maps?address=104%2BNorth%2BCommercial%2BStreet&city=Bellevue&state=WA&country=US>

Thank you to Pam Hobson for creating the beautiful posters and (upcoming) programs! Please pick up some **publicity posters** at rehearsal tomorrow night to take back to your communities, and put them up in a prominent location right away. Also, please talk up the concert to your friends and neighbors. Let's get the word out so people will come to fill our audience, enhancing the students' performance experience and bringing in much-needed revenue to the symphony. If you already placed posters, please go to them now and mark the change of time for the March 13 concert. I apologize for the inconvenience.

We have a few **FYS shirts** left for sale. Please contact Kristina at alohababyblue@comcast.net for details.

Thursday, March 11 is your last opportunity to order a **DVD** of either the Fall or Holiday Concert. All final DVDs will be delivered at the McIntyre

concert March 12 or the following week at rehearsal. Please email president@fysmusic.org or see me at rehearsal to order your copy.

Mark your calendar for an **end-of-year roller-skating party** in Mt. Vernon starting at 5:30 pm on Thursday, June 3! Details will come to you in April or May.

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