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## CYSO News - October 2011

### Celebrating 65 Years of Music Excellence!

The 2011-12 Season marks CYSO's 65th Anniversary. Join us for one of the many concerts & events during what promises to be one of the most exciting seasons in our history!

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### Free Concert by the Encore Chamber Orchestra

**Saturday, October 22 at 5:00 pm - Harold Washington Library, Cindy Pritzker Auditorium**

Join us at Harold Washington Library in downtown Chicago next Saturday, October 22 at 5:00 pm for a free concert by CYSO's Encore Chamber Orchestra.



#### PROGRAM:

**Sarasate** - *Zigeunerweisen* (Gypsy Airs), op. 20

Tabitha Oh, *violin*

**Prokofiev** - *Sinfonia Concertante*, op. 125

I. Andante

II. Allegro

Austin Huntington, *cello*

**Beethoven** - *Symphony No.2 in D major*, op. 36

This concert is **free and open to the public**, but reservations are required before Friday, October 21.

**To make reservations:** contact 312-939-2207 x31 or [agoedde@cyso.org](mailto:agoedde@cyso.org)

## Join us for CHILL: An International Wine & Culinary Event

Thursday, November 10 at The Merchandise Mart Chicago



CYSO is honored to be a beneficiary of the fifth annual CHILL: An International Wine and Culinary Event on Thursday, November 10 at The Merchandise Mart Chicago.

### 5:00-6:00 pm - [CYSO VIP Tasting Reception](#)

*Tickets \$175 (include Wine & Culinary Event from 6-8:30 pm)*

We are excited to announce that the featured VIP tasting reception restaurant is L2O. L2O, a recipient of three Michelin stars, is a modern seafood restaurant in Lincoln Park that offers some of the most exquisite fish and shellfish from around the world. Visit [www.L2Orestaurant.com](http://www.L2Orestaurant.com) for more information.

### 6:00-8:30 pm - [Wine & Culinary Event](#)

*Tickets \$85*

Taste 150 superb wines from winemakers worldwide paired with cuisine from 40 distinguished Chicago chefs amidst the ambiance of the world's largest collection of luxury boutiques for home building and renovation, LuxeHome®. For a list of participating restaurants and wineries, visit [www.luxehome.com/chill](http://www.luxehome.com/chill) or call 312.527.4691.

[Click here to purchase your tickets now!](#)

*Be sure to choose Chicago Youth Symphony Orchestras from the drop down for your charity of choice.*

## Symphony Orchestra to perform Don Juan at Orchestra Hall

Sunday, November 20 at 7:30 pm - Symphony Center, Orchestra Hall



CYSO's Symphony Orchestra is gearing up to once again take on a program of orchestral masterpieces at their next Orchestra Hall concert on **Sunday, November 20, at 7:30 pm.**

Music Director Allen Tinkham will lead the Symphony Orchestra in a program featuring Samuel Barber's *Second Essay*, Richard Strauss' monumental *Don Juan*, Sergei Prokofiev's *Sinfonia Concertante* and Alexander Scriabin's seldomly played *The Poem of Ecstasy*.

[Click here for more details and to purchase your tickets now!](#)

## Save the Date for *The Noteworthy Night 2012*

Saturday, February 4, 2012 at 6:00 pm - Four Seasons Hotel



### ***Some Enchanted Evening***

*Celebrating 65 years of brilliance with an evening of fantastic music from the early years of CYSO.*

Featuring cocktails, dinner, silent and live auctions... and a performance of the best loved music of Rodgers & Hammerstein by our world-renowned Symphony Orchestra.

Saturday, February 4, 2012 at 6:00 PM

Four Seasons Hotel

120 East Delaware Place, Chicago

## CYSO Alumni - Save the Date! Monday, April 9, 2012

### CYSO Alumni & Encore Chamber Orchestra Concert at Orchestra Hall



If you have ever been a Chicago Youth Symphony Orchestras student, you are invited to join CYSO's Encore Chamber Orchestra on stage for a concert at Symphony Center's Orchestra Hall. Save the date for this special **65th Anniversary concert on Monday, April 9, 2012 at 7:30 pm**. Rehearsals will take place on Sunday evening, April 8.

The concert program includes Frescobaldi - *Toccata (the first piece ever performed by CYSO!)*, Bach/Schoenberg - *Prelude & Fugue, BWV 552 (St. Anne)* and R. Strauss - *Eine Alpensinfonie (Alpine Symphony)*.

This performance is open to all CYSO alumni from the organization's 65 year history! **If you are interested in performing with the orchestra, please contact Joshua Simonds at [jsimonds@cyso.org](mailto:jsimonds@cyso.org) or 312-939-2207 x23.**

We want to pack the Orchestra Hall stage with as many alumni from the 65 year history of CYSO as possible. So, SPREAD the WORD! And, look for more detailed information to come soon!

### Upcoming Concerts & Events

[Encore Chamber Orchestra Concert at Harold Washington Library](#)

Saturday, October 22 - 5:00 pm

[CHILL: An International Wine & Culinary Event](#)

Thursday, November 10 - 5:00-8:30 pm

[Symphony Orchestra Concert at Barrington High School](#)

Sunday, November 13 - 3:00 pm

[Symphony Orchestra Concert at Orchestra Hall](#)

Sunday, November 20 - 7:30 pm

### Join the CYSO Online Community



Connect with CYSO on your favorite social media outlets for fun CYSO tidbits and interesting facts about the music world at large!

Also check out the latest [webisode](#) video or entry on The CYSO Blog for a behind the scenes look at CYSO!

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### Student News

We love to hear about recent awards and recognition for our students. Send your news to [info@cyso.org](mailto:info@cyso.org) and we'll be sure to post it in the [Student News](#) section of [www.cyso.org](http://www.cyso.org).

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