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TODAY'S QUOTE

"Music can change the world because it can change people."

- Bono, U2

Welcome to the 2010/2011 Season!

CYSO's 64th Season of Music Education, Concerts & Events

Chicago Youth Symphony Orchestras (CYSO) has provided music education through orchestral programs and performance opportunities of the highest caliber to Chicago area youth for nearly 65 years. But you can expect more than exceptional performances this year; join us for masterclasses and special events.

This season, CYSO will serve 450 musicians ages 7-18 through six orchestras, chamber music, music theory and composition. It will also reach 2,500 Chicago Public Elementary School students through its Music Pathways program, which features presentations and concerts by CYSO musicians, and training for CPS teachers on how to incorporate music into their classroom curriculum.

CYSO is investing in the future of music and the next generation of leaders in all career fields. Join us!

Join us at the Concert for Chicago this Sunday

Free Concert for Riccardo Muti's Inaugural Season at the Chicago Symphony Orchestra



Join us at **Millennium Park's Jay Pritzker Pavilion** as CYSO musicians perform on stage with the Chicago Children's Choir this **Sunday, September 19, at 4:30pm**. We are honored to perform in this concert before Riccardo Muti launches his inaugural season as music director of the Chicago Symphony Orchestra with a free **Concert for Chicago**. The Chicago Symphony Orchestra concert will begin at 5:30pm on the stage following the CYSO & Chicago Children's Choir performance.

CYSO Masterclass Series: Getting into College 101

Get Straight Answers, Straight from the Source - Wednesday, Sept. 22



Back by popular demand, this year's Masterclass Series begins with "Getting into College 101". We invite you to join this panel discussion on **Wednesday, September 22, 2010 from 6:00 - 8:00 pm** to find out everything you need to know about the college admissions and music audition process.

A panel of college admissions officers, financial aid staff and faculty from DePaul University, Northwestern University, Roosevelt University and Indiana University will lead the discussion.

They'll help you learn the terminology and review the basics on college admissions and the music audition process. Their input will help you determine your admissions time line and what you should be doing now to prepare for college. [Click here](#) for more details.

CHILL: An International Wine & Culinary Event

Benefiting Chicago Youth Symphony Orchestras - Thursday, Nov. 11



CYSO is honored to be one of the four non-profits that will benefit from CHILL: An International Wine & Culinary Event. Presented by LuxeHome, in conjunction with Wine Spectator & The Tribune Media Group, the event will take place on **Thursday, November 11, 2010** at The Merchandise Mart.

CYSO's **VIP Tasting Reception, featuring Blackbird Restaurant**, will be from **5:00 - 6:00 pm** in Paris Ceramics, Suite 146. Tickets for the VIP Reception (including the Wine & Culinary Event) are \$175.

The **Wine & Culinary Event** will take place from **6:00 - 8:30 pm** in LuxeHome Boutiques. Tickets for the Wine & Culinary Event are \$85.

More information on how to purchase your tickets coming soon on www.cyso.org!

Upcoming Concerts & Events

[Getting into College 101 - CYSO Masterclass](#)

Wednesday, September 22 - 6:00 pm

[Encore Chamber Orchestra Concert](#)

Saturday, October 23 - 7:30 pm

[Symphony Orchestra Concert](#)

Sunday, November 7 - 3:00 pm

CHILL: An International Wine & Culinary Event

Thursday, November 11 - 6:00 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!

Donate Now

Support Chicago's young musicians by making a tax-deductible donation to CYSO today!

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Student News

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