

Arkansas Symphony Orchestra Society Guild

Dear Educator,

September 2019

The Arkansas Symphony Orchestra Society Guild and the Arkansas Symphony Orchestra will present the annual Children's Concert at Robinson Performance Hall in downtown Little Rock on **Friday, February 7, 2020, at 10:00 A.M.** The theme of this year's concert is Safari – a musical journey down rivers, over mountains and through jungles. We will delight you with music from "Raiders of the Lost Ark", "In the Hall of the Mountain King", "The Flight of the Bumblebee" and many more selections.

The concert is for 3rd thru 8th grade students and costs only \$5.00 per individual. Concerts are sold out every year, so put this program on your field trip schedule and send in the enclosed reservation form with payment right away. Please note that reservations are on a first come, fully paid basis. See the enclosed reservation form for details. Schools must make their own bus arrangements, as the ASO Guild is not responsible for transportation.

As soon as we receive your reservation form and payment for the concerts, you will be sent a confirmation letter, along with a packet of concert enrichment/curriculum materials. This will include a Link to a **YouTube Video** of all music, a Teacher Guide, and Student Journal which you can reproduce for your students. If you do not receive a confirmation within two weeks from the time you make your reservation, please make sure your school has sent the registration with payment, and then contact us. Please contact Beth Nyhus if you have any questions.

We look forward to an educationally delightful concert and hope to see your school there!

Sincerely,

Beth and Paul Nyhus, Children's Concert Co-Chairs
Arkansas Symphony Orchestra Guild bdnyh@aol.com; 501-904-5077

Enclosures: 1) Important reminders
2) Reservation form

FRIDAY, February 7, 2020 CHILDREN'S CONCERT
SPONSORED BY:
ARKANSAS SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA
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IMPORTANT REMINDERS / RESERVATION FORM

1. Reservations are made on a first come and fully paid basis and can only be confirmed after payment has been received. If you want to participate, it is important to send in your paid reservations as soon as possible. Please make your reservations as accurate as possible. Do not under book or over book seats. **Deadline for reservations is December 20, 2019.**
2. Confirmation information, link to a ***You Tube Video*** with all of the music, a Teacher Guide and Student Journal, as well as drop-off and parking instructions, will be mailed to you when paid reservations are received. **Teacher Guides and Student Supplements can be found on the ASO website under Education/Children's Concert.**
3. All persons who will be attending need paid reservations (this includes teachers and other adults as well as children, parents and carpool drivers, etc.) The cost is \$5.00 per person. If you find you need to revise the number of reservations you have made, please contact Beth Nyhus at bdnyh@aol.com or at 501-904-5077 as soon as you know your numbers have changed. On the reservation form we are asking for the name of a teacher from each grade. You may bring as many other teachers and adults as you need (and again, each must have a paid reservation).
4. **IN-SERVICE TRAINING WILL BE OFFERED TO ALL TEACHERS ON TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17TH BEGINNING AT 4:30 P.M. PLEASE E-MAIL jklett@arkansassymphony.org for reservation or questions.**
5. Schools must make their own bus arrangements. Please make them early. The ASO Guild is not responsible for transportation. We do, however, need to know the number of buses you will bring. Please refer to the drop-off and parking instructions included in the packet you will receive after registration.
6. If payment is a problem for some students, we suggest that you request support from your partner in public schools or from the district office.
7. The teacher and student materials are multi-disciplinary. Please share them with your Music, Art, Social Studies, Math and Science teachers.
8. Inclement weather policy: If the Little Rock School District is closed or delayed due to inclement weather, the concert will be cancelled. There will be no make-up date. Refunds will be issued.

*******Fill out the attached form and mail along with your payment to:**

**Arkansas Symphony Orchestra Guild
(ASOG)
c/o Mrs. Beth Nyhus
7910 Leawood Blvd
Little Rock, Arkansas
72205**

**ARKANSAS SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA 2019 CHILDREN'S CONCERT RESERVATION
FORM - FRIDAY, February 7, 2020 CONCERT**

DEADLINE: December 20, 2019

SCHOOL: _____

Grade 3, # of reservations: _____ Teacher name _____
(Note: include students and adults in the # of reservations)

Grade 4, # of reservations: _____ Teacher name _____
(Note: include students and adults in the # of reservations)

Grade 5, # of reservations: _____ Teacher name _____
(Note: include students and adults in the # of reservations)

Grade 6, # of reservations: _____ Teacher name _____
(Note: include students and adults in the # of reservations)

Grade 7, # of reservations: _____ Teacher name _____
(Note: include students and adults in the # of reservations)

Grade 8, # of reservations: _____ Teacher name _____
(Note: include students and adults in the # of reservations)

Total attending from school: _____

School contact person: _____ Phone: _____

Email address: _____

Address for mailing confirmation:

Do you need wheelchair accommodations? ___ Yes ___ No If yes, how many? _____

How many buses will you bring? _____

PAYMENT METHODS:

1. Check is enclosed for: \$ _____
Please include on your check the following: Arkansas Symphony Orchestra, School and Teacher Name

2. Please bill my credit card: VISA _____ MasterCard _____ American Express _____ Discover _____
Account# _____
Expiration Date _____ Security Code _____
Amount \$ _____

