

Message from the Music Director



Welcome to the extraordinary world of the Hamilton Philharmonic Youth Orchestra.

For nearly half a century, the HPYO has been on the forefront of the youth symphony scene, providing

talented, young musicians with the opportunity to perform symphonic literature of the great masters, and continue a long tradition of music-making at the highest level.

I have the proud honour of leading this group as its new Music Director, following the footsteps of remarkable maestros who have sustained the legacy of excellence in Hamilton. As the HPYO approaches its 50th anniversary, it is my hope that you will join us this season and share in the delights of watching these fine young performers express joy through their love of music.

Colin R. Clarke
Music Director

Ticket Order

Concerts:

\$15 adult / \$10 senior or student / \$5 children

Fundraising Gala:

\$60 per person / \$500 per table of ten

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Hamilton Philharmonic Youth Orchestra



2011/12 Season

Welcome to our 48th Season of Youth Music Making

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Season at a Glance

Masterful Sounds

with special guests
Hamilton Children's Choir
Saturday, November 26 at 7:30pm
Christ Church Cathedral
252 James St. N.

An Evening of Serenades

Fundraising Dinner & Silent Auction
Friday, February 24 at 6pm
Michelangelo's
1555 Upper Ottawa St.

Meet the Maestro

Casual Matinee & Tea
Saturday, March 31 at 2pm
Centenary United Church
24 Main St. W.

From the New World

Season Finale Concert
Saturday, May 12 at 7:30pm
Westdale Secondary School
700 Main St. E.

Purchasing Tickets

To reserve call 905-869-HPYO,
email tickets@hpyo.com,
or purchase online at www.hpyo.com

Concert tickets also available for purchase at the door or by mailing attached order form.

\$15 adult / \$10 senior or student
\$5 children under 12

Fundraising Gala
\$60 per person / \$500 for a table of ten

Masterful Sounds

with special guests
The Hamilton Children's Choir

Saturday, November 26 at 7:30pm
Christ Church Cathedral
252 James St. N.



Featuring special guests, the award winning Hamilton Children's Choir, this concert features Beethoven's Symphony No. 2, Rachmaninoff's Vocalise, as well as other works for orchestra and choir.

Sadly, this concert also marks Maestro Paul McCulloch's final performance after five full seasons at the helm of the HPYO.

Join us as we say farewell to our friend and Maestro, and celebrate the start of our 48th concert season in Hamilton.

Meet the Maestro

Casual Matinee & Tea

Saturday, March 31 at 2pm
Centenary United Church
24 Main St. W.

What better way to spend a March afternoon than with Hamilton's most dedicated young musicians?

Enjoy this casual concert, followed by a reception and opportunity to meet our new music director, Maestro Colin Clarke.

For Maestro Clarke's HPYO conducting debut, the orchestra will perform Bizet's Carmen Suite and an excerpt from Holst's The Planets.



From the New World

Season Finale Concert

Saturday, May 12 at 7:30pm
Westdale Secondary School
700 Main St. W.

Fresh from performing with the AOJQ youth orchestra festival in Terrebonne, QC, the HPYO returns to bring you Dvořák's most famous work, Symphony No. 9.

An Evening of Serenades

Fundraising Dinner & Silent Auction

Friday, February 24 at 6pm
Michelangelo's
1555 Upper Ottawa St.

Join us as we celebrate our 48th season in high style! Enjoy this special evening of good food, great chamber music, and exciting auction items!

Cost: \$60 per person, \$500 for a table of ten.

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Audition for the HPYO!

Are you aged 22 or under?
Do you play an orchestral instrument?
Join us in the orchestra!

To find out more or book an audition this season, call 905-869-HPYO or email auditions@hpyo.com

Donate to the HPYO

The Hamilton Philharmonic Youth Orchestra strives to make symphonic music-making accessible to young people in the greater Hamilton region with the help of supporters like you.

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