

## AN 'HONOR' ORCHESTRA, RIGHT HERE IN MASON!

We invite you to sign up your child for this innovative group, now in its seventh year! They will have fun, make new musical friends and learn at the same time!

The mission of the Northern Cincinnati Youth Orchestras is to foster and promote the musical interests and abilities of each individual student while striving for excellence.

We develop our string players musically, as well as enhance such skills as cognitive learning, tolerance, independent thinking, and cultural awareness.

### REHEARSAL TIMES

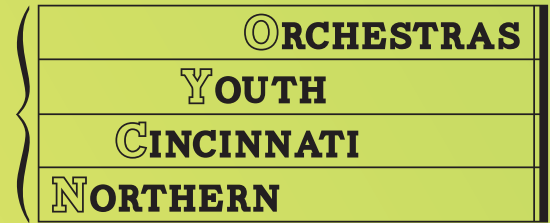
Tuesday evenings at Mason United Methodist Church, 6315 Mason-Montgomery Rd., Mason OH 45040

5:30-6:30: Cadet Orchestra  
6:30-7:30: Concertino Orchestra  
7:30-8:45: Senior Orchestra

Tuition: \$150 Sept. to Jan.  
(\$75 2nd child/2nd instrument,  
\$50 3rd child)  
\$180 (Jan. to June)  
(\$90 2nd child/2nd instrument, \$70 3rd child)

Fall tuition due September 22  
Spring tuition due January 12 and March 2

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*Going Places with Music*

## FALL 2015

"Music gives a soul to the universe,  
wings to the mind, flight to the  
imagination, and life to everything."

Plato



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**Marva Rasmussen**  
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# NORTHERN CINCINNATI YOUTH ORCHESTRAS

## CONTINUING THE EXCELLENCE

The Northern Cincinnati Youth Orchestras now offer three levels of orchestral experience for northern Cincinnati area string students. Violin, viola, cello and bass students through grade 12 are eligible for acceptance in either the Concertino, Cadet, or Senior Orchestra.

Our philosophy is to enhance the musical experience not only for the members of the orchestra but in the community at large. We are happy to provide an orchestra experience for homeschoolers and students in schools with no string programs, as well as support those schools with orchestra programs by providing an enrichment experience for interested students.

The repertoire is varied, embracing both "classical" and "alternative" styles while maintaining a level of excellence.

**Cadet and Senior Orchestra members seeking to learn a second string instrument? Consider auditioning for Concertino Orchestra on your second instrument!**

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## FALL 2015 SCHEDULE

### Auditions

August 18, 25; September 1

(select a time on [SignUpGenius.com](http://SignUpGenius.com). New students contact directors for invitation)

### Rehearsals: Tuesdays

September 22, 29

October 6, 13, 20, 27

November 3, 10, 17, 24

December 1

### Performances:

Dec. 6: Warren County Community Concert

7:00 p.m. (Senior and Cadet only)

Mason United Methodist Church

Dec. 8: NCYO concert 7:00 p.m.

Dec. 15: Community performance, location TBA

## AUDITION REQUIREMENTS

### Concertino Orchestra:

- Scales: one octave C, G, D, A, F; students that know 2-octave scales may play them.
- One prepared solo, Suzuki Book 1, 2, 3, or equivalent representative of skills (about 2 minutes in length)
- Sight reading
- First Violin: two octave G and A scales, one octave C, F, and D scales; prepared solo from Suzuki Book 2, 3 or equivalent

### Cadet Orchestra:

- Demonstrate vibrato skills in playing
- Scales: two octave C, D, F, G, and A
- One prepared solo, Suzuki Book 3 or equivalent, 2 minutes in length
- Sight reading
- First Violin: three octave G and A scales; prepared solo from Suzuki Book 4, 5, or equivalent, excerpt (contact directors)

### Senior Orchestra:

- Scales: three octave C, G, D, A, E, F, Bb
- One prepared solo for violin: Suzuki Book 5
- For viola, cello and bass: Suzuki mid-book 4
- Sight reading
- First Violin: prepared solo from Suzuki Book 6 or equivalent, excerpt (contact directors)

## REGISTRATION FORM

Please fill out and bring to the audition.

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Instrument: \_\_\_\_\_

Private Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_

Music Reader? YES NO

Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

School District Attending: \_\_\_\_\_

Please list the last three solo pieces completed:

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

T-Shirt Size: YS YM YL AS AM AL AXL

Additional Information/Comments:

Mother's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, state, zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact Phone: \_\_\_\_\_