



**MYSO**

MILWAUKEE  
Youth Symphony  
Orchestra

**2021-2022  
SEASON**





## About MYSO

Since 1956, Milwaukee Youth Symphony Orchestra (MYSO) has been *nurturing, challenging, and inspiring* young minds, profoundly changing lives and our community for the better. MYSO has grown from one orchestra and 30 students to become one of the largest after-school youth orchestras in the country, and one of the most respected. In 2020-21, we enrolled 800 of the area's young musicians who come from more than 200 schools, 90 zip codes, and as many as 14 counties throughout southeastern Wisconsin and northern Illinois. Each year we provide outreach programs to an additional 6,000 youth and reach an audience of 25,000 through more than 100 public performances.

The importance of MYSO as a catalyst for youth development and community change has not gone unnoticed. In our 2015-16 season, MYSO received the National Arts and Humanities Youth Program Award, the country's highest honor for after-school youth arts and humanities programs, presented by the President's Committee on the Arts and the Humanities.

Today we offer more than 40 ensemble and enrichment training options, ranging from symphony and string orchestras, and jazz and steel pan bands to music theory, composition, and international tours, providing quality musical experiences for a wide range of skill levels.

*MYSO is a proud founding member of the United Performing Arts Fund and is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization.*



## Venues

### **HARRIS THEATER and DAWES STUDIO**

Sharon Lynne Wilson Center for the Arts  
3270 Mitchell Park Dr., Brookfield

### **MILWAUKEE YOUTH ARTS CENTER (MYAC)**

325 W. Walnut St., Milwaukee

### **SCHWAN CONCERT HALL**

Wisconsin Lutheran College  
8815 W. Wisconsin Ave., Milwaukee

### **SHATTUCK MUSIC CENTER AUDITORIUM**

Carroll University  
218 N. East Ave., Waukesha

### **UIHLEIN HALL**

Marcus Performing Arts Center  
929 N. Water St., Milwaukee

*Photos: Ron Oshima, unless noted*

# Performance Schedule

**WEDNESDAY | OCT. 13, 2021 | 7:00 pm**

## Season Premiere featuring the Chamber Orchestra

*Schwan Concert Hall, Wisconsin Lutheran College*

The acclaimed Chamber Orchestra will perform.

**FREE SUNDAY | OCT. 24, 2021 | 11:00 am – 6:00 pm**

## Play Your Part

*Sharon Lynne Wilson Center for the Arts*

Following several weeks of student fundraising, the members of MYSO, who make up three symphony orchestras, seven string orchestras, a wind ensemble, two flute choirs, numerous jazz combos, and two steel bands, will perform. This is the organization's only annual event that features nearly every ensemble.



**SATURDAY | NOV. 6, 2021 | 6:00 pm**

## Founders Concert: Voices of Russia


*Harris Theater, Sharon Lynne Wilson Center for the Arts*

This annual performance showcases our flagship orchestra, the Senior Symphony, and features pianist John Schindler as guest soloist.

**FRIDAY | JAN. 28, 2022 | 7:00 pm**

## Rhythmic Revolution

*Milwaukee Youth Arts Center*

Performance features MYSO's Rumba Latin jazz combo plus the Calypso and Soca steel bands. 

**FREE WEDNESDAY | FEB 2, 2022 | 6:00 pm**

## Progressions Winter Wonders

*Milwaukee Youth Arts Center*

Featuring the students of the Progressions program.

**WEDNESDAY | FEB. 9, 2022 | 7:00 pm**

## Flute Fanfare

*Schwan Concert Hall, Wisconsin Lutheran College*

This concert will feature MYSO's two flute choirs, Flute Chorale and Chamber Flute Ensemble.

**SATURDAY | FEB. 12, 2022 | 7:00 pm**

## Sounds of a Century, 1899–1997

*Harris Theater, Sharon Lynne Wilson Center for the Arts*

This concert showcases our flagship orchestra, the Senior Symphony.

**SATURDAY | FEB. 19, 2022 | 6:00 pm**

## Symphonic Spectacular

*Shattuck Music Center Auditorium*

Featuring the Prelude Orchestra, combined String Orchestras North & Central, and Philharmonia.

**SUNDAY | FEB. 20, 2022 | 3:00 pm**

## Classic Cadences

*Shattuck Music Center Auditorium*

The combined String Orchestras South & West, Sinfonia, and Chamber Orchestra are featured.


**WEDNESDAY | FEB. 23, 2022 | Time TBA**

**THURSDAY | FEB. 24, 2022 | Time TBA**

**SATURDAY | FEB. 26, 2022 | Time TBA**

## Jazz Heritage Festival

*Milwaukee Youth Arts Center*

Jazz combo performances from the Jazz Studies program as well as clinics led by professional jazz musicians. 

**SUNDAY | FEB. 27, 2022 | 3:00 pm**

## Symphonic Power

*Uihlein Hall, Marcus Performing Arts Center*

Featuring the Percussion Ensemble, Wind Ensemble, and Metropolitan Symphony Orchestra.

**SUNDAY | MARCH 20, 2022 | Times TBA**

## Chamber Ensemble Program Recitals

*Milwaukee Youth Arts Center*

Presenting various performances from MYSO's Chamber Ensemble Program.

**KEY**

**FREE**

Event is Free




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**SATURDAY | MAY 7, 2022 | 1:00-5:00 pm**

### Rhythm and Blues

*Milwaukee Youth Arts Center*

Performance features all Jazz combos, including the elite Bronzeville Jazz Ensemble, plus the Calypso and Soca steel bands. 

**SATURDAY | MAY 7, 2022 | 7:00 pm**

### Flute Festival

*Schwan Concert Hall*

The two flute choirs make their final appearances of the season.

**SUNDAY | MAY 15, 2022 | 4:00 pm**

### Sunday Serenade

*Shattuck Music Center Auditorium*

Features Prelude Orchestra, String Orchestras South/West, String Orchestras North/Central, and Chamber Orchestra.

**SATURDAY | MAY 21, 2022 | 3:00 pm**

### Symphonic Celebration

*Shattuck Music Center Auditorium*

Features the Metropolitan Symphony, Sinfonia Philharmonic, and Wind Ensemble.

**SUNDAY | MAY 22, 2022 | 7:30 pm**

### Fanfare and Finale

*Shattuck Music Center Auditorium*

Senior Symphony, Philharmonia, and Percussion Ensemble are showcased in their final performances of the season.

**FREE THURSDAY | MAY 26, 2022 | 6:00 pm**

### Progressions May Melodies

*Milwaukee Youth Arts Center*

The Progressions program presents its final performance of the season.

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## Order Form

### HOW TO ORDER YOUR CONCERT TICKETS

1. Complete your contact info below.
2. Indicate how many advance tickets of each type you would like for each concert (*on the back*):  
Advanced purchase prices:  
Adult: **\$10** (*\$12 at the door*)  
Student/Senior: **\$8** (*\$10 at the door*)  
Premium Reserve: **\$20** (*only available in advance*)
3. Calculate amount due (*on the back*).
4. Choose your form of payment (*on the back*).
5. Detach order form and mail to (*or drop off at*):  
**Milwaukee Youth Symphony Orchestra  
at the Milwaukee Youth Arts Center  
325 W. Walnut St.  
Milwaukee, WI 53212**
6. Pick up tickets at the MYSO office; unclaimed tickets will be sent to WILL CALL at the box office on the day of the concert, held under the purchaser's name.

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*Tickets for performances at certain venues may be available for purchase online. Watch for emailed information.*

*Call 414-267-2950 with questions.*

**Indicate quantity on the lines next to each concert you would like to attend.**

**A: Adult General Admission**

**S: Student\*/Senior\*\* General Admission**

**P: Premium Reserve Seating†**

*Children 4 and under are FREE.*

*\*Students: any child age 5+ through college (with valid student ID)*

*\*\*Senior citizen: age 60+*

*†typically first row balcony and/or other seats at optimum viewing level*

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— —	SEASON PREMIERE   10-13 <i>Chamber Orchestra</i>
— — —	FOUNDERS CONCERT   11-6 <i>Senior Symphony</i>
— —	FLUTE FANFARE   2-9 <i>Flute Chorale, Chamber Flute Ensemble</i>
— — —	SOUNDS OF A CENTURY   2-12 <i>Senior Symphony</i>
— — —	SYMPHONIC SPECTACULAR   2-19 <i>Prelude Orchestra, Central, North, Philharmonia</i>
— — —	CLASSIC CADENCES   2-20 <i>West, South, Sinfonia, Chamber Orchestra</i>
— — —	SYMPHONIC POWER   2-27 <i>Metropolitan, Wind Ensemble, Percussion Ensemble</i>
— —	CHAMBER RECITALS   3-20 <i>Chamber Ensemble Program</i>
— —	FLUTE FESTIVAL   5-7 <i>Flute Chorale, Chamber Flute Ensemble</i>
— — —	SUNDAY SERENADE   5-15 <i>Prelude Orchestra, all String Orchestras, Chamber Orchestra</i>
— — —	SYMPHONIC CELEBRATION   5-21 <i>Metropolitan Symphony, Wind Ensemble, Sinfonia Philharmonic</i>
— — —	FANFARE AND FINALE   5-22 <i>Senior Symphony, Philharmonia, Percussion Ensemble</i>

**CALCULATE AMOUNT DUE**

<b>ADULT</b>	QTY.	x \$10	>	\$	_____
<b>STUDENT/SENIOR</b>	QTY.	x \$8	>	\$	_____
<b>PREMIUM RESERVE</b>	QTY.	x \$20	>	\$	_____
		SUBTOTAL	\$		_____
		MY DONATION TO MYSO	\$		_____
		<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	\$		_____

- A check is enclosed, payable to MYSO.
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  - Visa
  - Discover
  - American Express

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