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Dear colleagues,

The YSPF is very pleased to welcome Mineo Hayashi, a virtuoso cellist who has performed with orchestras all over the world for many years. He is also the director of the Cello Department at the Suzuki Institute in Matsumoto, Japan. Mr. Hayashi will be visiting Ottawa later this summer and has agreed to meet with young and talented cellists to present a Master Class in Ottawa on the 5th and 6th of September. Please find attached the biography of Professor Hayashi.

The Young String Performers' Foundation has received an anonymous donation which makes it possible to offer this wonderful opportunity to meet and work with a very special artist, without cost to the students.

Let us know by e-mail, if you would like any of your students to participate. Piano accompaniment will be provided.

sgospodnetic@dominis.ca or lesliebill@aol.ca or info@yspf.ca

Please send us the following information for each student: Name, age, contact info and repertoire to be played. Each student will receive approximately 45 minutes of study.

Teachers, parents and auditors are also welcome to attend.

Let us know if you have further questions.

Yours truly,

Joan Milkson

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