

Welcome to our 2023-2024 season!

We would like to thank all the talented young performers who participated in our 2022-23 concerts and to express our appreciation to all the parents and teachers for their constant support and encouragement.

Congratulations to our 2022-2023 Bursary recipients: Elizabeth Baxa, Hannah Cheung, Leah Cheung, Aurélie Dubé, Élise Dubé, Benedetta Gauthier-Mamaril, Ron Harrel, Veronika Jovic, Phillipe Lafleur, Oscar Lucero-Beschi, Kien Nguyen-Vu, Claire Qiu, Iris Shen, Sonja Swettenham, Layla-Björt Taherzadeh, Bennett Van Barr, Isabelle Verret, Cindy Xia, Carolyn Xiao, Jinxuan Xiao, Benjamin Yang, Yichen Zhai, April Zhang, Sizhan Zheng, Owen Zhong.

Last season we also were so pleased to announce that James Ehnes, world renowned, Grammy Award-winning Canadian violinist, had accepted to be the YSPF Honourary Chair.

This past summer some of our young performers were able to attend one of his Ottawa concerts to greet and welcome him.



SPECIAL INTEREST

Names of Alumni that are presently active in solo, orchestras, chamber music, teaching, arts administrators and/university graduates in music.

Ethan Balakrishnan
Rohan Balakrishnan
Kyle Burghout
Carmen Bruno
Yolanda Bruno
Paul Casey
Jonathan Crombie
Quatuor Despax
Cheng² Duo
Shasta Ellenbogen
Aidan Fleet
Natania Fok
Juliana Hentoz
Matej Hentoz
Alisa Klebanov
Justin Azerrad-Kendall
Maria Krstic
Justin Lamy
Delia Lee
Jean-Hee Lee

Kerson Leong
Anya Muminovich
Anita Pari
Maria-Sophia Pera
Colton Reed
Ember Leah Reed
Meghan Ruel
Olga Rykov
Justin Saulier
Jaewon Seo
Sonya Sweeney
Alexandre Turmel
Uyen Tran
Bennett Van Barr
Charlotte Van Barr
Sophie Van der Sloom
Sarah Williams
Trevor Wilson
Austin Wu
Amanda Yee

and many more.....!

The upcoming concert dates are:

- November 25, 2023** • All on Saturdays
- January 27, 2024** • All beginning at 7:30 PM
- March 16, 2024** • All at the First Unitarian Congregation
- June 8, 2024** of Ottawa, 30 Cleary Avenue

As usual, you may purchase tickets at the door by cash or cheque and from EventBrite via our website.

Please mark our concert dates in your calendar so that you may continue, now more than ever, to support and nurture the young talents of the National Capital Region

"YSPF creates, provides, promotes and subsidizes opportunities that will develop the abilities of promising young string performers of the National Capital Region up to the age of 18."

Please consider making a donation via our website in support of these young musicians! Thank you!

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