



Hawaii Youth Symphony

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**HAWAII YOUTH SYMPHONY WINTER CONCERT SERIES FEATURES MORE THAN 400 STUDENTS FROM MORE THAN 100 SCHOOLS THROUGHOUT STATE**

The Hawaii Youth Symphony will produce two concerts in December as part of its Winter Concert Series. The series will feature all of the students enrolled in HYS's seven orchestras. This year, HYS has students from Oahu, Kauai, Maui and the Big Island participating in its programs. The concerts include students who are absolute beginners to Hawaii's most advanced young musicians.

Both concerts will be held at the Pearl City Cultural Center. Tickets are \$10 general admission and \$5 for students and seniors over 55 years. No reserved seats. Tickets are available through the HYS office at 941-9706 or at the box office beginning 3:00 pm on both days. [www.HiYouthSymphony.org](http://www.HiYouthSymphony.org).

**Hawaii Youth Symphony Winter Concert Series**

Sunday, December 2, 2007

4:00 pm, Pearl City Cultural Center

featuring:

**Concert Orchestra and the HYS String Program**

Sunday, December 9, 2007

4:00 pm, Pearl City Cultural Center

featuring

**Youth Symphony I**, under the direction of Henry Miyamura

**Youth Symphony II**, under the direction of Michael Nakasone

The Hawaii Youth Symphony, one of the largest, oldest and finest youth symphonies in the country, is Hawaii's only statewide youth orchestra program. Since 1964, HYS has trained children, ages 8-18, to develop and showcase their musical skills. HYS operates three full symphonic orchestras and four string orchestras during the academic year, an international music institute and string program for keiki during the summer, serving more than 600 students from absolute beginners to the most accomplished young musicians. Education and concert performance are key elements of the program.

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