



Hawaii Youth Symphony

January 2008

# Taking Note A Monthly Bulletin for HYS Families

## Notes for One & All

**HYS OFFICE CLOSED FROM DECEMBER 24 THROUGH JANUARY 1**—The office will reopen on Wednesday, January 2, 2008.

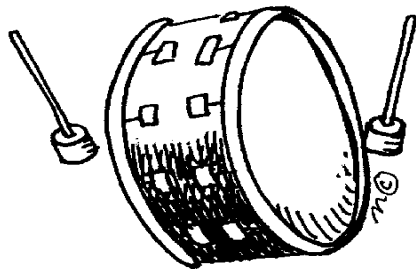
**PLEASE PICK UP YOUR STUDENTS PROMPTLY**—Parents, please pick up your child promptly after rehearsals. The concert parents and conductors have been delayed from commitments after rehearsals due to students being picked up late. We are concerned about the safety of your child and appreciate your kokua.

**HYS T-SHIRT UPDATE**  
T-Shirts for the 2007-08 season are going fast. Sorry to announce that we have only a limited supply of Child-Med, Adult L, and Adult XL left. We are **sold out** on all other sizes.

**Wishing you a safe and happy**

**Holiday season!**

**HYS Staff**



## Youth Symphony I

Conductor and Music Director, Henry Miyamura  
Concert Parents: Lance Uchida, luchida@aol.com; Verna Chinen, verna\_chinen@notes.k12.hi.us; Tom Shigeta, tshigeta@hawaii.rr.com.

**January 6, 2008 (Sunday)**  
**SCHEDULE CHANGE**  
**SECTIONALS**  
**UH 108**

8:30 - 10:00 am	Percussion
9:30 - 11:00 am	Brass
11:00 am - 12:30 pm	Woodwinds
12:45 - 2:15 pm	Violins
2:15 - 3:45 pm	Viola, Cello, Bass

**January 13, 20, 27 (Sundays)**  
**UH 108**

11:30 am—12:30 pm	Wind/Percussion sectional
12:30—2:15 pm	Full Orchestra rehearsal
2:15—3:15 pm	Strings sectional

### UPCOMING KAUAI TOUR

**February 18 & 19, 2008 (Monday & Tuesday)**  
HYS has notified schools of our tour. Students will still need to report their absence both to the school attendance office and to their teachers.

**February 18**  
Students please report to Aloha Airlines check-in **by 8:30 a.m.** Aloha Airlines Flight 203 will depart for Lihue at 10:10 am.

**February 19**  
Aloha Airlines Flight 66 will depart Lihue at 4:55 pm and arrive in Honolulu at 5:24 pm.

Tour information will be distributed in January.

## Youth Symphony II

Conductor Michael Nakasone  
Concert Parents:  
Joanne Hanagami, jymhanagami@gmail.com ;  
Karen Fujimoto, kfujimoto8@hawaii.rr.com

**January 6, 13, (Sunday)**  
10:30—11:30 am Wind/Percussion Sectional  
11:30 am—1:30 pm Full Orchestra Rehearsal  
1:30—2:30 pm Strings Sectionals by Instrument

**January 20 (Sunday)**  
**WORKSHOP AT UH MUSIC DEPARTMENT & UNIVERSITY LABORATORY SCHOOL**  
**All students report: 8:15 am**  
**All students dismissed: 1:30 pm.**

Brass only report to University Laboratory School. All other students report to the UH Music Department. A flyer with the schedule and room assignments will be distributed on January 6. All students are dismissed at 1:30 pm from University Laboratory School after lunch and full orchestra rehearsal.

**January 27 (Sunday)**  
10:30—11:30 am Wind/Percussion Sectional  
11:30 am—1:30 pm Full Orchestra Rehearsal  
1:30—2:30 pm Full Strings Sectional

# Concert Orchestra

Conductor Susan Ochi-Onishi; Assistant Conductor Hannah Watanabe; Concert Parents:  
Lisa Sakamoto, sakamotoL004@hawaii.rr.com  
Jim Araki, janet\_araki@notes.k12.hi.us

**Please take note of Jim Araki's new e-mail address above.**

**January 6, 13, 20 (Sundays)**

**Niu Valley Middle School**

12 noon—1:00 pm	Wind/Percussion Sectional
1:00—2:00 pm	Full Orchestra Rehearsal
2:00—3:00 pm	Strings Sectional

**January 27 (Sunday)**

**WORKSHOP AT UH MUSIC DEPARTMENT**

**All students report : 8:15 am**

**All students dismissed: 12:15 pm.**

Lunch will be provided. A flyer with the schedule and room assignments will be distributed on January 13.



# String Program

Coordinator Charlotte Fukumoto, admin@hiyouthsymphony.org;  
tel. 941-9706 to leave message at HYS office

Rehearsals are held at the Boys and Girls Club Spalding Clubhouse, 1704 Waiola Street, Honolulu (behind Washington Middle School).

## CONCERT STRING ORCHESTRA (CSO)

**Conductor Chad Uyehara**

**January 5, 12, 19, 26 (Saturdays)**

12:00 noon—12:45 pm	Sectionals
1:00—2:00 pm	Rehearsal

## STRING ORCHESTRA ENSEMBLE (SOE)

**Conductor Helen Nguyen**

**January 5, 12, 19, 26 (Saturdays)**

2:30—3:45 pm	Rehearsal
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## BEGINNING STRINGS ENSEMBLE (BSE)

**Conductor Charlotte Fukumoto**

**January 5, 12, 19, 26 (Saturdays)**

2:30—3:30 pm	Rehearsal
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## INTERMEDIATE STRING ENSEMBLE (ISE)

**Conductor Helen Nguyen**

**January 5, 12, 19, 26 (Saturdays)**

1:00—2:15 pm	Rehearsal
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**REMINDER TO ALL PARENTS: PLEASE TURN IN YOUR EVALUATION FORMS TO THE CONCERT PARENT OR YOUR CONDUCTOR**

Happy New Year!

