

# WILMINGTON SYMPHONY *JUNIOR STRINGS*

2009-2010 Concert Season

New Member Auditions

Thursday evening, January 7, 2010

**Completed applications must be returned before the preceding Tuesday.**

Strings students—6<sup>th</sup> grade through 8<sup>th</sup> grade (and 4<sup>th</sup> or 5<sup>th</sup> grade with consultation) —are eligible to apply for the *Wilmington Symphony Junior Strings*. **This application must be submitted.** This form may be duplicated as needed. A brief audition is also required to help determine the general proficiency levels of those applying. Once your application has been received, you will be notified of an audition time prior to the audition. Auditions will be approximately five to ten minutes, and will consist of a short piece of the student's choice, G and D two octave major scales, and sight-reading. Required music for the current season is available at [www.wilmingtonsymphony.org](http://www.wilmingtonsymphony.org).

**Return completed application to:** Wilmington Symphony Youth Orchestra  
4608 Cedar Ave., Suite 105  
Wilmington, NC 28403  
-or- FAX to 791-8970 (phone: (910) 791-9262)

(Please print or type)

**Name** \_\_\_\_\_  
First last

**Address** \_\_\_\_\_  
Street city state zip code

**How would you prefer to be contacted?** E-mail?(y/n) \_\_\_\_\_ your e-mail address \_\_\_\_\_

Cell phone?(y/n) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell phone number \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone?(y/n) \_\_\_\_\_ Home phone number \_\_\_\_\_

Date of birth \_\_\_\_\_ **Current Grade Level** \_\_\_\_\_ School currently enrolled \_\_\_\_\_

**Instrument** \_\_\_\_\_ School music teacher \_\_\_\_\_

Years of private study \_\_\_\_\_ Current private teacher \_\_\_\_\_ Since \_\_\_\_\_

Parents' Names \_\_\_\_\_

## NOTES TO PARENT(S):

Students who audition must be available for the rehearsals and the performances. All musicians will be notified following the outcome of the auditions. *Tuition payment for each semester will be due prior to the first rehearsal.* It is expected also that parents will be willing to volunteer for one hour during each semester to assist with audition and concert set-up, lobby activities, and rehearsal refreshment setup.

The Junior Strings is intended to complement and enhance the important educational experience of the individual's school music programs. *Participation in both the Junior Strings and school ensembles is this program's cornerstone*, and helps ensure maximum music ensemble benefit and practical performance experience for students.

On occasion, photos or videotape images may be taken of the Junior Strings in rehearsal and in concert for possible use by the news media or the WSO for routine publicity purposes only. *Please indicate your permission of such by signing below.*

**Permission of Parent/Guardian:** \_\_\_\_\_ **date:** \_\_\_\_\_