

April 2010 News



Dear Hochstein Friends and Family,

*Over 250 of us were transported to [Havana](#) on March 27, courtesy of the SS Hochstein and a fabulous committee chaired by **Peggy Perticone** and **Pamela Rhoda**, along with **Honorary Chair Senator***



Senator Alesi announces a special gift to Hochstein of \$25,000 at Havana Nights

Events & News of Note

Live from Hochstein
Vocal Recital
50 Flutes for 60 years
Angels of Music Benefit
Student and Faculty News

James Alesi. Many thanks to all who attended and who supported the event with contributions and sponsorships. The food, music, and other entertainments were spectacular! And, best of all, in addition to Senator Alesi's announced gift, we were successful in raising over \$15,000 to support Hochstein programs.

It's spring - and time to enroll for summer and fall 2010 lessons, classes, camps, and workshops. Please let us know if you would like more information about our offerings - and check our website, hochstein.org as well. Summer is a great time to try something new!

Happy Spring!



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New CD by Hochstein
Faculty Ensemble
Antara Winds

"Dr. Gary Palmer"
celebrates his new
title.



Live from Hochstein

Performance Hall
Wednesdays 12:10 pm

**Kilbourn Saxophone
Quartet**

April 14

Music of Scarlatti, Torke, Dubois, Boone, and
Rush

Spring Break April 21 - No Concert!

Priya Mayadas, piano
April 28

Music of Scarlatti and Liszt

Call to reserve your \$5 bagged lunch,
we'll have it ready! 585-454-4403



50 Flutes for 60 Years

**Sally Ann Hart
& Friends**

Saturday, May 1
3:00 pm

A 60th Anniversary celebration acknowledging Sally Ann's teachers, friends and students, past and present, will feature ensemble music with flutes, piano, flute choirs, and other instruments. Music by Poulenc, Brahms, Haydn, Bach, Tellemann, along with traditional folk songs and fun arrangements. Reception following.

Free for students and RFA members. Others, \$5 donation
(Proceeds will be donated to RFA and Hochstein)

Sponsored by
**Rochester Flute Association
and Hochstein School of Music & Dance**



Voices of Spring

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Friday, April 9
6:30 pm

Hochstein Chorale
Youth Singers
Hochstein Singers
Hochstein Singing Young Men
and students from the Voice Dept.

Hilda D. Taylor Recital Hall

[More events on our website.](#)
[Check out the calendar today.](#)



Angels of Music Benefit Concert

Friday, April 30
7:00 pm

Changing lives in our community through the gift of music. Music therapists performing:
Megan Coltoniak, Noa Elimelech, Joe Kostecki, Megan Resig, Wade Richards, Ben Sheridan, Kimberly Thompson, Rissa Young.



Support our fundraiser.
Become one of our ["Angels of Music"](#)

REMINDER! SPRING BREAK APRIL 19-24, 2010

Hochstein Student News

Merit Scholarship Competition Winners

Grades 11 -12

Performing on "Live from Hochstein": Christian Palmer, voice student of Derrick Smith
Kiran Rajamani, violin student of Ruth Marie Ballance

Katherine Cook, violin student of Katie Worley
Christina Lantuh, flute student of Kathryn Scarbrough
Irina Majumdar, voice student of Sandra Boysen
Candice McCardle, violin student of Ruth Marie Ballance

Honorable Mention:

Allison Deady, voice student of Sandra Boysen
Marissa Lee, cello student of Kathleen Kemp

Grades 9 - 10

Dylan Kennedy, piano student of Gary Palmer
Rachel Mills, cello student of Kathleen Kemp
Joshua Stokes, flute student of Kathryn Scarbrough
Laura Arreaza, flute student of Diane Smith
Emily Sui, violin student of Ruth Marie Ballance

Honorable Mention:

Megan Brady, voice student of Sandra Boysen
Jeremy Stratton-Smith, cello student of Joan Kinsella

Grades 7 - 8

Sooan Kim, viola student of Ruth Marie Ballance
Yifan Kong, flute student of Diane Smith
Annie Jacobs-Perkins, cello student of Kathleen Kemp
Oksana Miller, guitar student of Tim Shannon
Martine Thomas, violin student of Ruth Marie Ballance

Grades 5 - 6

Allen Liu, violin student of Katie Worley
David Morse, cello student of Joan Kinsella
Rachel Smith, violin student of Ruth Marie Ballance
Anna Weldy, violin student of Ruth Marie Ballance



Adrianna Zaretsky, Dance Merit
Scholarship Winner

The Knights of Pythias have provided Merit
Scholarships funding to Hochstein since 1976.

Catherine Wu, piano student of Gary Palmer

Honorable Mention:

Elizabeth Taylor, violin student of Ruth Marie Ballance

Xilin Zhou, clarinet student of Peggy Quackenbush

[More Student News](#)



[Alumni Alert!](#)

Former HYSO and Composition student **Phil Klein** will be at Nazareth College on Sunday, April 11 at a free concert of his work at 3:00 pm by the Nazareth College Chamber Orchestra. **Nancy Strelau** conducts.

Former composition student and HYSO member **Sarah Turbett** has been hired by the Transiberian Orchestra. Check out the blonde violinist at the one minute mark in this [video](#).

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