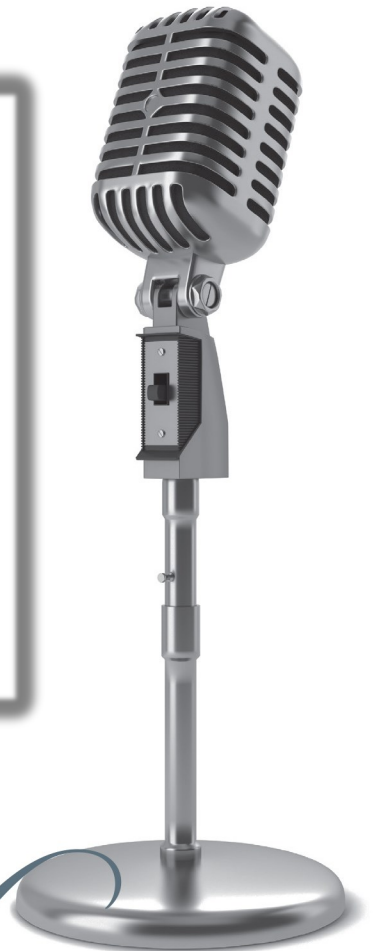


2022 Fall Concert Series

2022 David Hochstein Recital Competition Winners

Michael Ortiz, clarinet
Elizabeth Norris, cello
Maxwell Sun, piano

November 23, 2022
12:10PM



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PROGRAM

Cello Suite No. 2 in D minor, BWV 1008
I. Prelude

Johannes Sebastian Bach
(1685-1750)

Silent Woods, Op. 68, No. 5

Antonín Dvořák
(1841-1904)

At the Fountain, Op. 20, No. 2

Karl Davidoff
(1838-1889)

Elizabeth Norris, cello
William Shi, piano

Clarinet Concerto No. 2 in E-flat major, Op. 74
II. Romanza. Allegretto con moto

Carl Maria von Weber
(1786-1826)

Premiere Rhapsody

Claude Debussy
(1862-1918)

Michael Ortiz, clarinet
Chun Fung (Gary) Kong, piano

Piano Sonata No. 30 in E Major, Op. 109
I. Vivace

Ludwig van Beethoven
(1770-1827)

Rondo Capriccioso, Op. 14

Felix Mendelssohn
(1809-1847)

Piano Sonata No. 1, Op. 22
I. Allegro marcato

Alberto Ginastera
(1916-1983)

Maxwell Sun, piano

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PERFORMERS



Michael Ortiz, a senior at Williamson Senior High, has been playing the clarinet since fourth grade and currently studies with Andy Brown. He is a member of the Rochester Philharmonic Youth Orchestra as well as a member of the Eastman Honors Wind Quintet. Michael has also served as principal clarinet for the Nazareth Honor Band, the Wayne County Senior High All-County Band, and the NYSSMA Zone 2 Area-All State Orchestra. This past summer, Michael was accepted into Luzerne Music Center on a scholarship, performing in a clarinet quintet. He was also accepted into NYSSMA Conference All-State for the second year and has won Runner-Up in the Rochester Philharmonic League's instrumental category.

At Williamson Senior High, Michael is in both Jazz and Concert Band and serves as an interim conductor. Two years ago, Michael was appointed as the District Accompanist and has been the Rehearsal Accompanist for the past three years. He is also the winner of several music scholarships at both his home school and at Eastman Community Music School, where he is currently completing his diploma studies in clarinet performance.



A senior at Brighton High School, **Elizabeth Norris** first started cello at age six with Keiko Ying. She now studies with David Ying at the Eastman Community Music School (ECMS), where she will receive a pre-collegiate diploma in cello performance. Elizabeth joined the Rochester Philharmonic Youth Orchestra (RPYO) as an eighth grader. She has served as principal cellist since her sophomore year and won the RPYO concerto competition in 2021. She has also been principal cellist in the MCSMA High School All-County and Area All-State Orchestras, and has been selected to perform in the Conference All-State Symphony Orchestra. During the years, she has had the honor to perform in

masterclasses with Steve Doane, David Ying, Guy Johnston, Jeffrey Ziegler, Juliana Athayde, Matthew Zalkind, the Muir Quartet, the Harlem Quartet, and the Arneis Quartet.

Elizabeth is an active participant in chamber music. She was a member of the Telos Quartet at ECMS, which was awarded best ensemble at the 2022 Syracuse Friends of Chamber Music Youth Chamber Music Competition. She currently plays in the Sapphire Trio at The Hochstein School. In her summers, she has attended the Bowdoin International Music Festival, Boston University Tanglewood Institute, and Kinhaven Summer Music Program. Elizabeth shares her love for music with amazing students at the ROCmusic Collaborative, where she volunteers to teach cello, music theory, and coach chamber groups. Outside of music, you can find her on ski trails or on the tennis courts, competing for her school's varsity teams.



Maxwell Sun is now a freshman at Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT), where he studies mathematics and computer science and plays for the MIT Symphony Orchestra. A 2022 graduate of The Harley School, Maxwell studied piano locally with Karen Hagberg and Elier Suárez. Maxwell is a past winner of the Junior and Senior Divisions of the Nazareth Piano Competition, the Junior All-Star Piano Competition (Level IV), the Howard Hanson Award, and both the Hochstein Youth Symphony Orchestra (HYSO) and Rochester Philharmonic Youth Orchestra (RPYO) Concerto Competitions. He won second prize in the senior division of the 2022 Vince Lenti Piano Competition and was a runner-up for past

David Hochstein Recital Competitions and for the Mildred and Julius Ness Award for Piano (RPO Young Artist Auditions).

In addition to piano, Maxwell studied percussion with Jim Tiller and participated in various ensembles such as HYSO, RPYO, Hochstein Percussion Ensemble, Hochstein Youth Wind Symphony, FLX Honor Band, and various All-County and Area All-State bands and orchestras. In 2021, he was an alternate for the NYSSMA Conference All-State Concert Band. Maxwell is also an accomplished cross-country and tennis athlete and participated in the USA Mathematics Olympiad for several years.

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