

The Peninsula Youth Orchestra Needs You!

In order for the PYO to continue to bring great music and the orchestral experience to the young people of Hampton Roads, we depend on the generous contributions of individuals like you, our audience.

The PYO is celebrating a 50-year tradition of artistic and educational excellence, offering a musical experience unlike any other in the area. Our members come from Gloucester, Hampton, Newport News, Poquoson, Williamsburg, Yorktown and Smithfield. In addition to the Youth Orchestra (a full symphonic orchestra for primarily high-school-age musicians), the PYO sponsors the PYO Sinfonia for younger or less-experienced string players.

The PYO has a long tradition of fiscal responsibility – we have done much with little for many years. But:

- The cost of printed music continues to rise dramatically
- Our brass, woodwind and string sections need specialist coaches
- Artistic staff must be compensated at a fair and competitive wage
- Scholarship needs continue to increase – as always, no qualified student is turned away for financial reasons

If we are to continue to serve our community, we need your financial assistance. If you would like your donation to go toward a specialty coach, please indicate your preference. Please fill out the coupon below and support the PYO today! **It must be received by November 2, 2009 to be printed in the winter program. The spring program deadline is March 29, 2010.**

Thank you!

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Check here if you do not wish to be listed in the concert program.

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Yes, I would like to sponsor a specialty section coach in my name for \$300

Strings Woodwinds Brass Percussion No preference

Donation for Dianne H. Chapman Award for graduating seniors \$_____

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