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DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC



presents

Marshall University Symphony Orchestra Family Concert

Dr. Elizabeth Reed Smith, conductor

with

Olivia Hay, violin soloist and Dr. Jeffrey Pappas, narrator

> Tuesday, March 1, 2011 Smith Recital Hall 7:30 p.m.

This program is presented by the College of Fine Arts through the Department of Music, with the support of student activity funds. For more information about this or other music events, please call (304)696-3117 or view our website at www.marshall.edu/cofa/music.

Program

Circus Overture

Ernest Toch (1887-1964)

Concerto in No. 4 in G Major

Franz Joseph Haydn (1732-1809)

I. Allegro moderato

Olivia Hay, violin Winner, 2011 Young People's Concert Competition sponsored by the Woman's Club of Huntington

Funeral March of a Marionette

Charles Gounod (1818-93)

Goldilocks and the Three Bears for Narrator and Orchestra

Daniel Dorff (b. 1956)

Dr. Jeffrey Pappas, narrator

Intermission

| Happy Birthday March | Gwyneth Walker (b.1947) |
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| Doodles for Orchestra | Frank Proto (b. 1941) |
| Medley from "The Empire Strikes Back" | John Williams (b. 1932) |

About the Soloist

Olivia Hay, a home-schooled student from Huntington, WV, has played violin for eight years and is a violin student of Patricia Green. At three years of age, Olivia began begging for music lessons. At six, she began learning piano, and a nine, the violin. Recently she began studying the viola, but still longs to learn every other instrument in the orchestra, much to her parents' distress.

In recent years, Olivia has participated in several music programs. She loves playing with the West Virginia Youth Symphony, Tri-State Youth Orchestra, All-State Orchestra, and Marshall University Orchestra. Every year, she attends a summer music program at the Cincinnati Conservatory of Music. Recently she attend Governor's School for the Arts, won the Vaughan Fellowship with the West Virginia Symphony, and attended an Honors String Festival in North Carolina. She also performs in every local WVMTA program. Of all these activities her absolute favorite is orchestra.

In this, her junior year, Olive has begun to consider colleges. She plans to double major in Violin Performance and Music Education. Beyond college she hopes to play in professional orchestras and ensembles, teach private lessons, and instruct music in elementary school. Her lifelong dream is to share music with everyone, and instill in children a passion for music.

In her academic studies, Olivia prefers History and English to Math and Science, harboring great angst for Chemistry. Beyond school, she enjoys competitive swimming and singing in her church choir. She savors reading classics, watching black-and-white movies, and shopping with friends. Above all, however, Olivia loves music of all kinds and plans to spend her life learning as much as she can.

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Violin I Lindsay DiFatta, concertmaster Molly Page Angela Scoulas Abby Melissa Holmes Rebecca Lepanto Samuel Bauserman George Beter

Violin II Janet Bromley, principal Allison Kessinger Michael Wilcoxon Kelcey Perkins Olivia Hay

Viola Tim Feverston, principal Aaron Caviani Vera Miller Jame C. McCumbee

Cello

Ezgi Karakuş, principal Dean Pauley James Kiger Ronnie Thompson Lena Williams Jaime Dzierzak

Bass Rebecca M. Harrison, principal Ethan Howard Jeffery Smith Dustin Moraczewski

Flute Shey Dillon, principal Emily Crabtree

Piccolo Sean T. Reed

Orchestra Personnel

Oboe Cassandra Chapman, principal Emily Cline

Clarinet

Alyssa Hughes, principal Ryan Striker

Bass Clarinet Hannah Bird

Bassoon Chris McNees, principal Chris Kimes

Horn

Nicholas Bragg, principal Melinda Kelle Kristen Liegey Billy Holderby

Trumpet Benjamin Stern, principal Brandon Layman Isaac Winland

Trombone Andrew O'Neal, principal Karen Barnett

Bass Trombone Andrew Fleck

Tuba Peter Gallus

Timpani Anna Maria Firth

Percussion Levi Billiter Chris Grizzell Daniel Miller

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