

Dear Educator,

September, 2016

Greetings from the Boise Philharmonic!

We are writing to invite you and your students to our annual Children's Concerts on March 2, 7, and 8, 2017. Each year, nearly 12,000 children attend these exciting orchestral performances. For many students, this event is a first opportunity to hear live symphonic music. We would be pleased to host your school this year.

COST: **FREE!** Thanks to corporate and foundation sponsorships.

DATES **Thursday, March 2** at 9:40 AM, 11:00 AM, and 1:00 PM at the Brandt Aud. on NNU campus
Tuesday, March 7 at 9:40 and 11:00 AM at the Morrison Center, BSU campus
Wednesday, March 8 at 9:40 and 11:00 AM at the Morrison Center, BSU campus
The concerts are about 50 minutes in length.

AGE: The program is geared for third through fifth grades.

AVAILABILITY: Reservations on a **first-come, first-served basis**.

RESERVATIONS: **If you are a school in the Boise, West Ada, or Nampa School Districts, please contact your district music coordinator about your attendance to these concerts.**

If not, please e-mail, fax, call, or use snail-mail the following information:

- a) the name of your school
- b) the name and phone number of a contact person
- c) school address
- d) number of seats you'd like to reserve (children **plus** adults)
- e) grades attending
- f) the number of buses you will be bringing
- g) the date and time of the performance you're interested in attending.
- h) any disabilities such as wheelchairs or hearing impaired we should know of

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As previously stated, there is no fee to attend our concert. We do, however, take your reservations very seriously. If you must cancel or switch concerts for any reason, please do so before December 5, 2016. Any changes made after that date will incur a \$100 fee from the Boise Philharmonic to cover our costs.

Sincerely,

Matthew D. Crane
Education Director, Explore Music!