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### **BOISE PHIL YOUTH ORCHESTRA TO PERFORM FOR BOISE AIRPORT TRAVELERS DURING HOLIDAY SEASON**

December 14, 2018—The Boise Philharmonic will perform at the Boise Airport on Saturday, December 22, to delight and soothe holiday travelers. The Boise Phil Youth Orchestra (BPYO) will be led by Music Director Jennifer Drake and will play a wide range of holiday favorites.

The performance will run from 3:30-4:15 pm in the atrium of the Boise Airport, near the security entrance. Travelers are invited to linger, listen, and share the performance as desired.

The Boise Phil Youth Orchestra has participated in several service events this season. A BPYO String Quartet performed at a service dinner at St. Vincent de Paul in early November, and another String Quartet played at a recent Movement + Music event for people living with Parkinson's Disease. Youth Orchestra ensembles have also performed in the lobby of each of the Boise Philharmonic's concerts this season.

As Idaho's largest and oldest performing arts organization, the Boise Philharmonic performs for more than 50,000 people annually. Made up of 78 musicians hailing from some of the top music schools in the world, the Boise Phil is proud to offer world-class music throughout the Treasure Valley.

The Boise Phil Youth Orchestra is Idaho's premier performing youth symphonic group. The group is open to woodwind, brass, percussion, and string musicians in 9th-12th grade, by audition. The BPYO provides professional ensemble training and opportunities through rehearsals and coachings from principal players of the Boise Phil. The orchestra performs three concerts per year, with programs selected to broaden young musicians' fluency with the enduring masterworks of the standard orchestral repertoire.

For more information about the performance, please contact Jennifer Drake, Music Director of the Boise Phil Youth Orchestra, at [bpvo@boisephil.org](mailto:bpvo@boisephil.org).

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