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Now, you can satisfy your appetite for both and support Denver's premier youth orchestra at the same time. The Denver Young Artists Orchestra's String Flings is a series of nine intimate concerts, along with great food, at a variety of lovely homes throughout Denver. String Flings evenings range in style from cello to Celtic music, from Maestro Flatt to Mozart. You'll mingle with musicians, meet fellow orchestra-lovers, sup on savories, and ensure that DYAO continues to provide the highest caliber educational and performance opportunities for the talented young musicians of our community.

All proceeds will benefit the Denver Young Artists Orchestra.



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Nine evenings of magnificent music and fabulous food
to benefit the Denver Young Artists Orchestra

Indian Summer Soirée

Sunday, October 2 5 p.m.

Savor the sounds of a 1790 Vincenzo Ventapane cello, magnificently played by DYAO alumna Julie Albers. This virtuosic "rising star" will present a program of sonatas by Beethoven, Boccherini, and Schumann accompanied by pianist Ann Epperson. Then, indulge in the flavors of a sumptuous harvest repast at the spacious Cherry Hills home of Suzanne Ryan.

A glass of wine, a mellow cello and thou.
\$80 per person. Limited to 30 guests.

Harvest Hoedown

Sunday, October 16 5 p.m.

Watch the harvest moon rise as you tap your toes to the bluegrass fiddlin' of our DYAO violinists and smack your lips as you dig into the barbecue bash prepared by Eileen and Dennis Griffin at the Village Club in Greenwood Village.

We guarantee you'll be wanting s'more (dessert and music)!
\$40 per person. Limited to 40 guests.

Maestro Flatt is Sharp!

Friday, October 21 7 p.m.

DYAO Music Director Adam Flatt sits in with a quartet of musicians and shares his always-illuminating insights about the music. A treat for the ear and the palate as you enjoy a bountiful fall harvest of food and drink at the Cherry Hills Village home of Stephen and Nancy Boyd.

You won't want to miss the Maestro.
\$80 per person. Limited to 40 guests.

Strings and Salsa

Saturday, November 5 7 p.m.

Say olé to Latino music as played by DYAO musicians and munch on Mexican-inspired food in the Observatory Park home of hosts Sarah and Christopher Bock. DYAO Executive Director Erin McLain co-hosts this fabulous fiesta.

Catch that south-of-the-border rhythm.
\$50 per person. Limited to 30 guests.

Jazz and Jambalaya

Sunday, November 13 5 p.m.

Swing to the sounds of the Big Easy as pianist Mark Flory offers up an evening's worth of Dixieland Jazz, joined by banjo strummer Jim Tracy. Then, tempt your taste buds with a bayou-inspired buffet at the Lakewood homestead of Susan and Kent Prose.

Let your feet feel the beat.
\$70 per person. Limited to 20 guests.

Mozart und Mitteleuropa

Friday, January 27 7 p.m.

Celebrate the Boy Wonder's 250th birthday as prize-winning DYAO pianist Sharon Wu tickles the ivories with a variety of Mozart's compositions. Afterwards, have some schnapps and dig into a Viennese buffet at the Congress Park residence of Lois and Bruce Feinstein.

Wolfgang is vunderbar.
\$60 per person. Limited to 14 guests.

*String Flings Chair: Carol Waltz
Committee: Suzanne Ryan, Lois Feinstein*

Rising Stars

Sunday, January 29 5 p.m.

Curtain up! Light the lights! Maestro Adam Flatt introduces up-and-coming DYAO musicians at this post-concert recital, following the Sunday afternoon "Rising Stars" DYAO concert with the Colorado Symphony in Boettcher Concert Hall. Marvel at their talent and then enjoy a delicious meal prepared and hosted by Bert and Max Buckman at the Cherry Hills residence of Suzanne Ryan.

Bask in the star-light.
\$70 per person. Limited to 14 guests.

Romancing the Tone

Sunday, February 12 6 p.m.

Love is in the air as a DYAO harp and flute duo offer romantic melodies. Then, indulge in libations and an aphrodisiacal buffet while gazing at the twinkling lights of the city from the high-rise Cheesman Park condo of Helen Shreves.

Sure to be a lover-ly evening.
\$75 per person. Limited to 30 guests.

A Celtic Celebration

Saturday, March 4 6 p.m.

Begorrah! Harken to the sounds of the Old Sod as Riverdance alumnus Martin Percival's Irish Dancers jig to Celtic tunes played by DYAO musicians. Then, raise a toast to St. Paddy and dig into hearty Irish meal, all in a pastoral setting at the Arvada home of Jana and John Barnes.

Not only Irish eyes will be smilin'.
\$50 per person. Limited to 25 guests.