



NEW HAVEN SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

Dear Students,

Thank you for your interest in the 2015-2016 term of the New Haven Symphony Orchestra (NHSO) Junior Board! Within this program you will have the opportunity to listen to and learn about the NHSO on the stage and behind the scenes. Your service has the power to show people how important it is to support classical music. Your participation matters!

As a Junior Board member you will have numerous opportunities to embrace and support classical music through a variety of events, including:

- Meetings with Maestro Boughton
- Attendance at NHSO concerts and events
- Volunteering at a performing arts organization
- Developing leadership skills while supporting the NHSO mission
- And other events that you will design!

**Participation Requirements:**

We ask that you work for 20 hours over the course of the school year. Ushering at NHSO concerts, providing assistance at educational events, participating in fundraisers, and rehearsals are a few activities you can support.

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- Attend two Junior Board Meetings (Fall & Spring)
  - Volunteer at two Classics Series Concerts
  - Volunteer at one Pops Series Concert
  - Volunteer at one Family Series Concerts
  - Attend one NHSO Board of Directors Meeting
  - Participate in one small community service project designed by the Junior Board

Though not required, Junior Board members will also have the opportunity to volunteer at NHSO fundraising events and specials performances throughout the season.

**To be considered for the 2015-2016 season, please submit your Junior Board application by September 14.** Thank you for your interest in working with the NHSO this year.

Sincerely,

Gretchen Frazier  
Interim Education Coordinator



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2015-2016 Junior Board Application

All new applicants and returning members are asked to complete this application and return it to:

Deadline: 9/14/15

Gretchen Frazier
New Haven Symphony Orchestra
545 Long Wharf Drive, 6th Floor
New Haven, CT 06511
or
Education@NewHavenSymphony.org

I am/my son/my daughter is enthusiastic about participating in the NHSO Junior Board. We understand the nature and time commitment of the program and that its success depends on full participation by each member. We further understand that Junior Board members' activities and demeanor during service to the NHSO should be consistent with the mission of the program and in the best interest of the NHSO. Junior Board members will have numerous opportunities to embrace and support classical music through your NHSO!

Student Signature

Date

Parent Signature

Date

Student Name..... Sex: o Male o Female

Address .....

City, Zip ..... Birth Date .....

Age as of September 1, 2014..... Student Cell Phone.....

Home phone..... Student E-mail.....

School ..... City.....

Grade entering in Fall 2015.....

Parent Name ..... Email Address.....

Cell Phone.....

Other/Emergency Contact Information.....

Telephone..... (ext.).....

Please briefly answer the following questions on a separate sheet:

- 1. What are your goals as a member of the Junior Board?
2. Do you play any instruments? Please list and include number of years you have played.
3. What is the name of your private teacher?
4. What music ensembles you have participated in within your school or outside?
5. Do you have an interest in composing music?
6. What is your favorite piece of classical music that you have played or listened to?

Please mark your calendar for the first Junior Board Meeting:

September 14, 2015
6:00-7:30 PM
NHSO Office