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WELCOME FROM THE UROC CO-CHAIRS

Ashlynnne Xavier and Grace Widjaja

Co-Chairs, UROC

Greetings all!

Welcome (back!) to the UROC newsletter! It's a new year, with new co-chairs and new members, and we're so incredibly excited to continue building this committee from the incredible foundation set by Josh and MJ. We've got a bunch of exciting things in the works: new social events, more merch, and new collaborations with other groups on campus and in the greater Rochester community, just to name a few. We're always looking for more members, so if you'd like to help with planning, designing, or one of the many other things we'll be working on this semester, come join us **every Friday from 9:30-10:30am in Dewey B-315**. Here's to another great semester!

Cheers,
Ashlynnne and Grace

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND COSPONSORSHIPS

Events, advertisements, and other happenings from UROC and organizations that have reached out to us

UROC - Orchestras Jeopardy

Friday October 26, 6:30pm, Location TBD

Join us for UROC's first social event of the year! We'll be doing a UR Orchestras-themed game of Jeopardy, with gift card prizes for the top three, pizza, and Halloween candy!

Undergrad Music Council - Performance

Opportunity at River Edge Manor

Friday 2:15pm, exact date TBD

UMC is looking for musicians to perform for residents at River Edge Manor, a senior living center at the edge of campus by the Ford St Bridge. More info [here](#).

Off Broadway On Campus - Pit Orchestra Call

OBOC is looking for student musicians (especially brass and percussion) to join their pit orchestra! Email Ashlynnne (axavier5@u.rochester.edu) for more info.

WHAT'S GOING ON WITH THE ORCHESTRAS?

By Nakul Subramani

Both the Chamber and Symphony Orchestras participated in the Prism Concert at the beginning of Meliora Weekend. URSO opened by playing the third movement of Shostakovich's Second Piano Concerto, with the 2024 Concerto Competition winner April Wang. The Chamber Orchestra, conducted by Associate Conductor Josh Stead-Dorval, played the fifth movement of Haydn's 60th symphony "Il Distrato". Both concerts were very well-attended and were a great opener to Meliora Weekend 2024. Congratulations to everyone involved for putting together such a great show in such a short time span and we'll see you all again in December for the next concert!

OCT-NOV EVENTS CALENDAR

24TH RPO: **Fountains of Rome** | Kodak Hall
Thursday October 24th at 7:30pm

26TH Saturday October 26th at 8:00pm

25TH UROC: **Orchestras Jeopardy!** | Location TBD
Friday October 25th at 6:30pm

26TH ASDM: **Spooktacular Brass Choir** | Upper Strong
Saturday October 26th at 8:00pm

27TH ASDM: **Gospel Choir Concert** | Sloan
Sunday October 27th at 5:00pm

29TH RPO: **Fright Night**
Tuesday October 29th at 7:00pm, Fairport HS

30TH Th. Oct. 30th at 7:00pm, Greece Performing Arts Center

29TH ESM: **Percussion Ensemble**
Tuesday October 29th at 7:30pm

2ND Cordancia Chamber Orchestra: **Alchemy**
Saturday Nov. 2nd at 7:00pm, Greece Baptist Church

3RD Sunday Nov. 3rd at 2:30pm, Lutheran Incarnate Church

2ND RPO: **RPO @ Mt. Olivet Baptist Church**
Saturday November 2nd at 7:00pm

3RD ASDM: **Jazz Ensemble Concert** | Lower Strong
Sunday November 3rd at 7:00pm

4TH ESM: **Wind Orchestra** | Kodak Hall
Monday November 4th at 7:30pm

6TH ESM: **Wind Ensemble** | Kodak Hall
Wednesday November 6th at 7:30pm

9TH RPO: **Zarathustra!** | Kodak Hall
Thursday November 9th at 8:00pm

10TH & Saturday November 10th at 2:00pm

11TH ESM: **Symphony Orchestra** | Kodak Hall
Monday November 11th at 7:30pm

13TH ESM: **Philharmonia** | Kodak Hall
Wednesday November 13th at 7:30pm

15TH RPO: **The New Wave** | Kodak Hall
Friday November 15th at 8:00pm

16TH & Saturday November 16th at 8:00pm

17TH ASDM: **Jazz Combos Concert** | Lower Strong
Sunday November 17th at 7:00pm

20TH ASDM: **Chamber Ensemble Recitals** | TBD
Wednesday November 20th at 8:00pm

21ST & Thursday November 21 at 8:00pm

23RD RPO: **Peter and the Wolf** | Kodak Hall
Saturday November 23rd at 2:00pm, 8:00pm

23RD ASDM: **Wind Symphony Concert** | Upper Strong
Saturday November 23rd at 4:30pm

26TH ESM: **Chamber Percussion Ensemble** | Kilbourn Hall
Tuesday November 26th at 7:00pm

27TH RPO: **The Nutcracker** | Kodak Hall
Wednesday November 27th through

-21ST Sunday December 1st (see website)

SUBMIT AN EVENT

More information on further events can be found at the following pages:

[Rochester Philharmonic Orchestra Events Calendar](#)

[Eastman School of Music Events Calendar](#)

[Arthur Satz Department of Music Events Calendar](#)

[Cordancia Chamber Orchestra Website](#)

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