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Dear Educator:

The Topeka Symphony is pleased to announce our 13th annual SCHOOL DAY CONCERTS on Thursday, January 13, 2011. The Topeka Symphony Orchestra will again present two performances designed for 5th through 8th grade students. The hour-long concerts will be at 10:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. at the Topeka Performing Arts Center.

Music Director and Conductor, John W. Strickler, Ph.D. and the Topeka Symphony will present “KS 150” – a program celebrating the Kansas Sesquicentennial featuring Kansas artists and composers. Selections include pieces from the Kansas Song Project by Cally Krallman and Diane Gillenwater, and the world premiere of Kirke Mechem’s newest composition “From the Heartland”. The program will also feature the winner of the annual Youth Talent Auditions.

Through the generous support of Kaw Valley Bank, Cox Communications and Westar Energy, we are again able to present these concerts at no charge to the schools or students. Parking will be provided for buses. The Park and Shop Garage at 6th and Quincy, a city parking garage, is available for individual cars.

To reserve your school’s place at one of the performances, complete the enclosed form and fax to 785-232-6204, email to tso@topekasymphony.org or mail to Topeka Symphony Orchestra, School Day Concerts, PO Box 2206, Topeka, KS 66601. Reservations will be accepted on the designated form only. Telephone reservations will not be accepted.

Performances tend to fill up within a few weeks so do not delay in returning your form. Reservations are taken on a first-come first-serve basis. Written confirmation of your registration will be mailed in December to the primary contact person identified on your registration form. Teacher resource information will be available at www.topekasymphony.org soon after.

If you have any questions, please contact me at 785-232-2032 or tso@topekasymphony.org

Hope to see you there!

Molly Wisman
Office Administrator

NOTE:

Contact me soon after sending your registration to make sure we received it.