

# CALL FOR MUSICAL MENTORS!

## **More than Music**

*A partnership between Girls, Inc. and the Omaha Symphony*

We are looking for mentors who play the following instruments: **violin, viola, saxophone, trumpet, and trombone.** (Due to the nature of this project, all mentors must be female.)

### **THE PROGRAM**

*More than Music* is a peer-mentoring program that pairs young musicians from Girls, Inc. with female high school musicians. Through one-on-one musical instruction and music-focused outings, the program serves as a catalyst for the positive role model/mentoring relationship between the two groups of students.

### **MENTOR OPPORTUNITIES**

High school musicians are selected to participate based on their passion for music, their role as young leaders in the community, and their interest in learning the art of pedagogy.

- Mentors will have the opportunity to experience private teaching under the direction of a professional pedagogue.
- Mentors will receive complimentary tickets to Omaha Symphony concerts.
- Mentors will receive a small stipend in recognition of their commitment at the end of each session.
- Mentors will be giving back to their community through meaningful and impactful volunteering while serving as positive role models.

### **THE COMMITMENT**

*More than Music* begins in January and concludes in early April. Project commitments include:

- Teaching/Mentoring up to two private students from Girls, Inc.
- Planning and executing one-on-one lessons with students. All lessons take place from 4:45 – 5:45PM on Wednesday afternoons at Girls, Inc.
- Attending formal performances given by the Girls Inc. students.
- Attending outings with Girls, Inc. students that include dinner and concerts.

### **APPLICATION PROCEDURE**

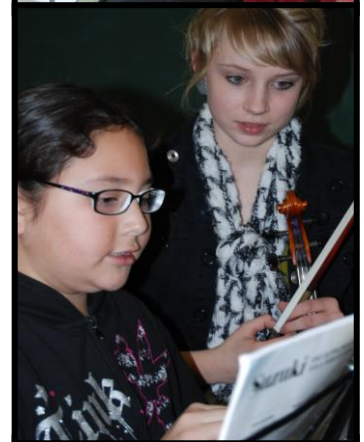
- 1) Submit the attached application.
- 2) Selected candidates will be scheduled for interviews. Potential mentors will be asked to bring a short (no longer than two-minute) solo and be prepared to discuss their interest in the *More than Music* program.

### **QUESTIONS**

Questions about *More than Music*?

Contact Vice President of Education/Community Partnerships

T. Adam Goos at 402.342.3836 x 107or [agoos@omahasymphony.org](mailto:agoos@omahasymphony.org).



# MORE THAN MUSIC SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Tuesday, January 4, 2012	5:00 – 6:30 PM	Training #1
Tuesday, January 10, 2012	5:00 – 6:30 PM	Training #2
Wednesday, January 11, 2012	5:30 – 7:00 PM	Parents Night
Wednesday, January 18, 2012	4:45 – 5:45 PM	Lesson #1
Saturday, January 21, 2012	6:00 – 9:00 PM	Student/Mentor Outing
The first mentor/student outing of the program, the students and mentors will eat dinner together before attending the Omaha Symphony Sights and Sounds concert, Mysterioso.		
Wednesday, January 25, 2012	4:45 – 5:45 PM	Lesson #2
Wednesday, February 1, 2012	4:45 – 5:45 PM	Lesson #3
Wednesday, February 8, 2012	4:45 – 5:45 PM	Lesson #4
Friday, February 10, 2012	6:00 – 9:00 PM	Student/Mentor Outing
The second mentor/student outing of the program, the students and mentors will eat dinner together before attending the Omaha Symphony Pops concert, Hot! Hot! Hot!.		
Wednesday, February 15, 2012	4:45 – 5:45 PM	Lesson #5
Wednesday, February 22, 2012	4:45 – 5:45 PM	Lesson #6
Wednesday, February 29, 2012	4:45 – 5:45 PM	Lesson #7
Friday, March 2, 2012	6:00 – 9:00 PM	Student/Mentor Outing
The third mentor/student outing of the program, the students and mentors will eat dinner together before attending the Omaha Symphony Masterworks concert, Soaring Strings. Students and Mentors will also have a meet and greet with guest artist Jennifer Koh (TBD).		
Wednesday, March 7, 2012	4:45 – 5:45 PM	Lesson #8
Wednesday, March 14, 2012	4:45 – 5:45 PM	Lesson #9
Wednesday, March 28, 2012	4:45 – 5:45 PM	Master Class
Anne Nagosky, professional pedagogue and Omaha Symphony Violinist, will present a master class for students and mentors at Girls, Inc.		
Wednesday, April 11, 2012	4:45 – 5:45 PM	Peer Recital
Students and mentors will present their recital selections for their peers at Girls, Inc.		
Saturday, April 14, 2012	6:00 – 10:00 PM	Family Recital/Concert
Students and mentors will present a recital for their friends and families at the Holland Performing Arts Center. After the recital students, mentors, and parents are invited to attend the Omaha Symphony Sights and Sound Concert: Wizard of Oz		

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NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

SCHOOL: \_\_\_\_\_

GRADE: \_\_\_\_\_ INSTRUMENT: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

CELL PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ HOME PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

I am available for a 15-minute *MORE THAN MUSIC* Mentor interview on:  
(please check all that apply)

Tuesday, December 20, 2011 between 4:00PM – 6:00PM

Wednesday, December 21, 2011 between 4:00PM – 6:00PM

TELL US BRIEFLY WHY ARE YOU INTERESTED IN PARTICIPATING IN  
*MORE THAN MUSIC*.

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Please send your application to:

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1605 Howard Street,  
Omaha, NE 68102

