

# Ethos School of the Arts Newsletter

Hello Ethos Families,

First off, we want to thank all the students and families who joined us for our Valentine's concert last Saturday. We were delighted to see a full house for the inaugural concert of the series and truly appreciate your support.

Now, we're looking ahead to our February events—Ethos Student Recitals, Studio Classes, and another concert in the Ethos Chamber Players Concert Series.

Last week we did not send a newsletter reminder about the Studio Classes held on February 7. We sincerely apologize. Consequently, for any students who did not attend last week, we will offer a makeup class for Primary/Elementary students on Saturday, February 21. Since these classes are already very full, we kindly ask that you only attend if you missed the class on February 7.

## **Upcoming at Ethos**

### **Studio Classes**

Saturday, February 21

All Strings

9:00–10:50 AM

- 9:00–9:50 — Performance Class (Stage)
- 10:00–10:50 — Musicianship Class (Stage)

Primary/Elementary Piano

10:00–11:50 AM

- 10:00–10:50 — Musicianship Class (Stage)
- 11:00–11:50 — Performance Class (Stage)

Intermediate/Advanced Piano

11:00–12:50 PM

- 11:00–11:50 — Musicianship Class (Classroom A)
- 12:00–12:50 — Performance Class (Stage)

### **Studio Recitals**

We are excited for the upcoming Ethos Spring Studio Recitals. The dates and times for your studios are listed below. Your teachers will select repertoire and, in some cases, assign day/time placements.

Please remember that these recitals are presented in a Schubertiade style. They are casual gatherings where participants share short stories, anecdotes, or readings connected to the music. Do your best to prepare something to say. Your teacher and Mr. Ouzounian will be happy to guide you.

Recital Dates & Times:

- Friday, February 27 at 7:30 PM — Khoren Ouzounian Studio
- Saturday, February 28 at 10:00 AM — Douglas Loomis Studio
- Saturday, February 28 at 11:00 AM — Konrad Rudowicz & Heather Garcia Studios
- Saturday, February 28 at 1:00 PM — Teresa Matchett & Halle Yap Studios
- Saturday, February 28 at 2:00 PM — Khoren Ouzounian, Anna Alikhanov & Gabriel Polakoff Studios
- Saturday, February 28 at 3:00 PM — Khoren Ouzounian, Xinruo Wei & Yilong Wang Studios

### **Ethos Chamber Players Concert Series**

The next concert in the series takes place on Saturday, February 21 at 2:00 PM and features the Consonari Ensemble—violinist Anna Larson and pianist Kaden Larson.

Dr. Larson serves as Professor of Piano at Tyler Junior College, and Mrs. Larson serves as an adjunct instructor in applied violin and chamber music at the University of Texas at Tyler and Tyler Junior College. The ensemble will be coming to Ethos especially for this event.

Moving from French lyricism and intimate character pieces to contemporary works with fixed media, and culminating in expansive Romantic sonata writing, the program highlights a broad spectrum of styles, colors, and expressive possibilities within the violin–piano repertoire.

The event begins with a 2:00 PM recital, followed by a 3:00–5:00 PM masterclass. Invitations to participate in the masterclass have already been sent, and all participants have confirmed. If you would like to be considered for a future masterclass, please let your teacher know—and, of course, keep practicing consistently ■

As always, the event will conclude with a reception.

Date: Saturday, February 21, 2026

Time: 2:00 PM — Concert | 3:00–5:00 PM — Masterclass

Location: Ethos School of the Arts

Tickets: \$20

(Ethos families receive 50% off with promo code ETHOSFAMILY)

Sincerely,  
The Ethos Team