

# Portland Adventist String Orchestra

In its inaugural year, 2006, Portland Adventist String Orchestra (PASO) gave four performances at school and church events. In conjunction with the Oregon Pro Arte Chamber Orchestra, they hosted a one week string summer camp concluding with two performances at Cherry Wood Senior Retirement Center.

In its second year, PASO grew from the original 12 members to 24. Another adult mentor has been added bringing the student to mentor ratio to 5:1. Two additional church services and one community outreach event were added to the 2007-2008 concert schedule.

## Mission Statement

To provide an opportunity for young Christian musicians to reveal God's love using His gift of music.

## PASO Highlights

- A youth orchestra program founded on and supportive of Seventh-day Adventist Christian beliefs
- Musical opportunity for serious, committed young musicians in a Christian environment
- Provides occasions for revealing God's love to the local community with special emphasis at schools and churches
- Hosts summer string camp in conjunction with the Oregon Pro Arte Chamber Orchestra
- Small 5:1 student to mentor ratio



Photography by Roger Rosenquist and Shirley Donnelly

# Supporting PASO

You may provide support in the following ways:



♪ **Financial Support** – PASO is a 100% donor supported program. Without donors, this program will not exist.

♪ **Talent search** – Alert young musicians who could be part of this program.



At present, Ms. Petty is also the music director and conductor for the Oregon Pro Arte Chamber Orchestra and Portland's Jewish Community Orchestra. As a violinist, she performs with the Newport Symphony



The Portland Adventist String Orchestra is privileged to welcome esteemed conductor, Ms. Cindy H. Petty.

Orchestra and the Bloch Festival Orchestra. In addition, she maintains a private violin/viola studio and coaches conservatory chamber ensembles.

Ms. Petty has been invited to be guest concertmaster, conductor, and music director nationally in more than 15 states and internationally for the Sapporo Philharmonic Orchestra in Japan. Ms. Petty's experience as a music educator has spanned nearly two decades. Through professional outreach, young-audience concerts, teaching and clinics, she has brought string education into numerous local school systems.

♪ **Adult Mentors** – Interested adults should contact:

Portland Adventist Academy – Strings Program  
503-255-8372



♪ **Spread the Word** – Tell family and friends about



PASO. The public is welcome at every performance. An updated performance schedule can be found at:

[www.paasda.org](http://www.paasda.org)

Please put me on your mailing list

Please contact me about volunteer opportunities

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_

Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_



*Become a supporter of the  
Portland Adventist  
String Orchestra!*

Giving Levels:

- Conductor's Circle (\$5,000+)
- Guarantor (\$2,500-\$4,999)
- Benefactor (\$1,000-\$2,499)
- Sponsor (\$500-\$999)
- Donor (\$100-\$499)
- Associate (\$1-\$99)

*I wish to make a tax-deductible contribution of  
\$ \_\_\_\_\_*

*Enclosed is my check made payable to:  
Portland Adventist Academy – Strings Program*

*Please charge my Visa/Mastercard*

*Choose One:*

*One Payment of \$ \_\_\_\_\_*  
*12 Monthly Payments of \$ \_\_\_\_\_*  
*beginning \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_*

*Card # \_\_\_\_\_*

*Exp Date \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ Billing Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_*

*CVV Code: (last 3 digits on back of card) \_\_\_\_\_*

*Please PRINT name as it appears on card*

*Signature of card holder: \_\_\_\_\_*

*X: \_\_\_\_\_*

*Please send contributions and  
address questions to:*

*Portland Adventist Academy – Strings Program  
1500 SE 96th Avenue  
Portland, OR 97216  
503-255-8372*



**PORTLAND ADVENTIST ACADEMY**  
*A Christian High School*

*Portland Adventist Academy  
Strings Program  
1500 SE 96th Avenue  
Portland, OR 97216*



*Portland*

*Adventist  
String*

*Orchestra*