

GET TO KNOW THE MUSICIANS

The CSO has been generously supported by Chautauqua audiences for 89 years. Its performances are known for generating energy and excitement. The orchestra's history, longevity and vitality are legendary.

The CSO is a professional orchestra that draws its membership from around the nation and the world. It has grown from its original complement of 52 musicians to the current roster of 74 active members. Most of the members consider Chautauqua to be their summer home. When they are not playing here many have positions in other professional orchestras. Many are faculty members in music schools and others have their own chamber ensembles. Almost all of them tutor, coach and mentor aspiring young musicians.

This summer we welcome back to the podium the CSO's ninth music director, Rossen Milanov.



Won't you consider becoming a part of the CSO League? You'll have unique opportunities to meet and speak with CSO musicians at League events. These include an annual MEMBERS PICNIC and open rehearsal at Elizabeth S. Lenna Hall. Several other events will be held at the Amphitheater and Smith Wilkes Hall.



Chautauqua Institution
Chautauqua Symphony Orchestra League
PO Box 28
Chautauqua, NY 14722

CHAUTAUQUA SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA LEAGUE 2018

The Volunteer Support Group of the
Chautauqua Symphony Orchestra



For more information, visit:

CSOLonline.org

“Art is one of those things we simply must do so that our spirit may continue to grow.”

—Kay Logan (1936–2016)

A lifelong Chautauquan who began as a student and lived to become one of Chautauqua’s most eloquent and active advocates of the performing arts.

The purpose of the Chautauqua Symphony Orchestra League (CSOL) is to provide opportunities for the audience and CSO musicians to interact on a personal level. Our desire is to encourage a deeper understanding of the role of classical music in our lives and the commitment of the symphony musicians who make that happen.

In addition to your membership you can help us meet our goal of promoting the health of the CSO by directing your charitable donations for the orchestra to Chautauqua Institution. This benefits the orchestra and, in a real sense, records your commitment to keep up the legacy of an outstanding orchestra at Chautauqua. The number of people who give is as important as the amount given. You may drop off a check to the Chautauqua Foundation in the Colonnade or mail it to: **Chautauqua Foundation, PO Box 28, Chautauqua NY 14722.** Make it payable to “Chautauqua Foundation” with an indication in the memo or accompanying correspondence that the donation is for the CSO.

You may also wish to contribute to one or more of the following endowments:

- *The Chautauqua Symphony Orchestra Endowment Fund*
- *Mary Whitaker Symphony Endowment Fund*

2018 OFFICERS

Co-President: Suzanne Shull

Co-President: Reva Youngstein

Vice President: Margie Cooper

Treasurer and Immediate Past President: Nancy Weintraub

Membership/Corresponding Secretary: Bernard Lieberman

Recording Secretary: Mary Boyd

Conductor Liaison: Amanda Gates

Directors-at-large:

David and Diana Bower	Kasia Lindblom
Ira Cooperman	Sarah Muir
Pat Dougherty	Ed Paul
David Levy	Janet Wallace

EVENTS & ACTIVITIES 2018 SCHEDULE

Thursday, June 28, 8:15 p.m. • Amphitheater
Opening Night for the CSO!

NEW! Saturday, June 30 • Post-Concert
Reception at the Athenaeum for CSO musicians sponsored by CSOL members. New members may sign up. Finger food and cash bar.

NEW! Wednesday, July 4 • 2–4:30 p.m. • Amphitheater
Maestro-level CSOL members are invited to sit on stage for a rehearsal with the CSO under the baton of Stuart Chafetz.

Friday, July 6 • 12:15 p.m. • Smith Wilkes Hall
Meet the Musicians | Beethoven String Quartet, Opus 59 #3, Movement 2, played by CSO musicians with commentary by David Levy.

NEW! Thursday July 12 • 2–4:30 p.m. • Amphitheater
Maestro-level CSOL members are invited to sit on stage for a rehearsal with the CSO under the baton of Rossen Milanov.

Friday, July 20 • 12:15 p.m. • Smith Wilkes Hall
Meet the Musicians | “End of the Line” woodwind quintet

NEW! Thursday, July 26 • 2–4:30 p.m. • Amphitheater
Maestro-level CSOL members are invited to sit on stage for a rehearsal with the CSO under the baton of Timothy Muffitt.

Friday, July 27 • 11:30 a.m.–12:15 p.m.
Elizabeth S. Lenna Hall
Annual League Members’ Picnic | CSO and CSOL members meet for lunch followed by an open rehearsal for CSOL members.

Friday, Aug. 3 • 12:15 p.m. • Smith Wilkes Hall
Meet the Musicians | “Winter Job, Summer Job.”
Several musicians talk about their winter jobs.

NEW! Saturday, Aug. 11 • Post-Concert
Reception at the Athenaeum for CSO musicians sponsored by CSOL members. New members may sign up. Finger food and cash bar.

Check *The Chautauquan Daily* for reminders of these events.

Mail this form and check payable to:

CHAUTAUQUA SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA LEAGUE
P.O. Box 751, Chautauqua, NY 14722

2018 APPLICATION FOR NEW AND RENEWING MEMBERS

PLEASE PRINT CAREFULLY!

Name(s) Last, First

1. _____

2. _____

Winter (off-season) Address

Street _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

Phone _____ Cell _____

Email _____

Verify Email _____

Summer Address

P.O. Box _____

Street _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

Phone _____ Cell _____

I would like to volunteer. Please give me a call.

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Membership Fees — “Friends” Level

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| <input type="radio"/> Annual Individual Membership | \$15 |
| <input type="radio"/> Annual Family Membership | \$25 |

NEW! Membership Fees — “Maestro” Level

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| <input type="radio"/> Annual Individual Membership | \$75 |
| <input type="radio"/> Annual Family Membership | \$100 |

In addition to helping the CSOL more easily accomplish our goals, this membership level comes with an invitation to sit on stage for three CSO rehearsals with three of our Chautauqua conductors. See the calendar.

This information is also available online at: **CSOLonline.org**