



# KENNEBEC VALLEY YOUTH SYMPHONY ORCHESTRAS

Join us for a 2018-19 season of beautiful, exciting music!

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## KVYSO STAFF

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Current board members are Betsy Kobayashi (President), Christina Kennedy (Vice President), Lisa Whitney (Treasurer), Letitica Huttman (Grantwriting), Ilana Gilg (Secretary), and Anita Jerosch (Liaison to UMA).

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## KVYSO GUIDELINES

- Student musicians are expected to continue playing with their school ensembles. Private lessons are encouraged; if you need help connecting with a teacher, contact Betsy Kobayashi.
- Attendance will be taken at all rehearsals. Musicians need to plan to attend ALL rehearsals. Excused absences include illness, family emergency, or unavoidable conflict. If a student needs to miss more than two rehearsals over the course of the year, s/he needs to discuss participation with the conductor. While the attendance policy may appear strict, each musician's prepared contribution at rehearsals is vital to the orchestra's success.
- Please remember your music & a pencil! Arrive early enough to unpack & be seated by 6:30.
- Concert dress for concerts is mandatory. **KVYSymphony: black top & bottom** - black dress pants (no jeans) or skirt/dress, black dress shirt or nice blouse, black socks or tights, black shoes.  
**KVYOOrchestra: white top & black bottom** - same type of clothing as above.

## PARENTS

As a new organization, we have some growing to do and would appreciate adult support. A few parent committees are needed to support the work the KVYSO board & staff. Committees will meet during rehearsals once or twice a month, with electronic communication in-between. The most immediate need is for a core group of parents to work on fundraising; another parent committee will focus on recruitment & events. It would be appreciated if all parents would be open to spreading the word about the orchestra and sharing information about fundraising with individuals & businesses. We appreciate your commitment in supporting your child's musical journey and his/her/their participation in KVYSO!

## SNOW DAYS/CANCELLATIONS

If UMA is closed, KVYSO will not meet. You can sign up for text alerts at [www.uma.edu/student-life/alerts](http://www.uma.edu/student-life/alerts). Or you can find information on campus closures and emergency information at [www.uma.edu](http://www.uma.edu), by calling 1-877-UMA-1234, or through announcements on many radio and TV stations.