



**WISCONSIN**  
INTERGENERATIONAL ORCHESTRA  
*"It's Time to Play"*

March 13, 2020

**IMPORTANT MESSAGE FOR ALL  
WISCONSIN INTERGENERATIONAL ORCHESTRA MEMBERS**

No doubt you are aware of the quickly evolving circumstances presented by the coronavirus (COVID-19). The full impact of this virus will only be known sometime in the future. After careful consideration, we are taking a proactive position to protect the health of all of our wonderful musicians and contribute to the well being of the general community.

All WIO rehearsals and performances are canceled until the upcoming fall session. We believe that this is the only responsible thing to do in reaction to the current global health situation. The gorgeous repertoire we are currently studying will be revisited and programed as soon as we can safely come together.

We need to hear from you. For members who would like to receive a 50% tuition refund for the spring session, please notify us through email. Include a name that the check should be made out to and provide your current mailing address. You may also elect to apply your prorated tuition to our fall session. Additionally, we invite you to consider donating your prorated tuition as a gift to WIO. In any case, please respond with your wishes on or before March 27.

Thank you for your support and understanding. On a positive note, this break in our schedule offers additional unstructured time to practice. Please keep the current repertoire "under your fingers". When we reconvene we will be stronger than ever. We wish you and yours all the best as we get through this challenging time together.

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