



The Tuning Fork

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Jordan started working alongside Michael Massey with both orchestras as of March 6. Jordan will be doing some conducting at our upcoming May 5 Winspear Concert, which will conclude his EYO internship. **It has been great to work with you Jordan!**

Upcoming Concert

EDMONTON YOUTH ORCHESTRA

SENIOR & INTERMEDIATE ORCHESTRAS

Shakespeare as Muse

Sunday, May 5, 2024 | 2 PM

Winspear Centre for Music

Featuring the 42nd Northern Alberta Concerto Competition Winner (Winds)

Conductor: Michael Massey Conducting Intern: Jordan Nahamko

Excerpts from Serenade in D Major, K320 | Mozart
Excerpts from The Fairy Queen | Purcell arr. Massey
Nocturne from A Midsummer Night's Dream | Mendelssohn
Shylock | Fauré
Flute Concerto in D Major, Op. 283 | Reinecke | Soloist: Gabrielo Arojo
Romeo and Juliet Fantasy Overture | Tchaikovsky
Oberon Overture | Weber

Tickets: \$20 Adults • \$15 Students & Seniors
EAC Shop & Services 780 420 1757 (formerly TIX on the Square)
Day of concert at the door



Conducting Internship Program

Meet **Jordan Nahamko**, our newest conducting intern.

Edmonton trumpet player and Loyal Edmonton Regiment military reserve band musician Jordan Nahamko is a recently graduated student from the University of Alberta music program with a major in trumpet performance. While at the University of Alberta, Jordan has had the privilege of performing in the Concert Band, Symphonic Wind Ensemble, and the University Symphony Orchestra. Since Graduating in 2023, Jordan has gone on to perform across Canada as part of the 2023 Ceremonial Guard in Ottawa, Ontario. Jordan is working on an after-degree in music education and plans on obtaining a masters in orchestral conducting as well. Jordan hopes to inspire others to pursue their passions both in music and in life.



**Featuring the winner of the 42nd annual
Northern Alberta Concerto Competition (Winds):
Gabrielo Arojo**



[Full concert information available here.](#)

We are hiring!

We are currently looking for a General Manager

The Edmonton Youth Orchestra Association is inviting applications for the position of General Manager.

Approximately 30 hours/week focused over a 32-week season.

**APPLICATION DEADLINE:
FRIDAY, MAY 10, 2024**

For more information please visit
www.eyso.com



Auditions 2024-2025

Video-recorded auditions and applications are now being accepted for the 2024-2025 season – for new and returning players.

Percussionists wishing to audition in person with the EYO's percussion equipment can contact the EYO office (780-569-5290; eyo@shaw.ca) to make arrangements.

**Complete audition information
is available through the [EYO website](#).**

Please Note: Intermediate Orchestra members must be 11 years of age by September 1, 2024.

Audition submission deadline: May 31, 2024.

EDMONTON YOUTH ORCHESTRA

MUSIC DIRECTOR: MICHAEL MASSEY

Two Symphony Orchestras
Offering orchestral experience
to musicians 11-24 years of age

AUDITIONS MAY 2024

For further information and
audition booking visit:

www.eyso.com/auditions



Scholarships

Scholarships are awarded each year to encourage the musical development of EYO musicians. These scholarships are awarded on the basis of performing ability, potential, and contribution to the EYO. To be eligible, candidates must meet each specific scholarship's requirements. Some scholarships require auditions; others do not. Our [scholarship webpage](#) provides

descriptions and criteria for all available scholarships.

If you are applying for scholarships requiring applications and auditions:

- Please confirm the eligibility requirements through the [EYO scholarship page](#).
- Complete and submit the appropriate scholarship application form(s) with your audition. Forms available through [the website](#) and at rehearsals.
- **Your scholarship audition is also your 2024-2025 instrument audition. You do not need to submit two separate auditions.**

Hoodies & Sweatshirts



Hoodies & sweatshirts are still available. Please contact the EYO Office to place your order. Hoodies /sweatshirts are sold at cost: \$40/hoodie; \$30/sweatshirt. Order forms and size charts are available through [the website](#) and at rehearsals.

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