

# *Kishwaukee Symphony Associates*

“Keeping the Symphony Sound”

August 2022

Dear Friends and Music Lovers,

We very much look forward to another season of Kishwaukee Symphony Orchestra (KSO) music filled with joy and inspiration. Our music director/conductor, Linc Smelser, has a thrilling lineup planned for us, so buckle up!

Are you aware of how the KSO reached out to our community’s schoolchildren when COVID forced the cancellation of the annual KSO Children’s Concert? Linc and other KSO musicians were invited to perform in the schools several times and were warmly received. Down but not out!

FYI, the KSO Board of Directors will now be administering the KSO Music Outreach Fund as well as the KSO High School Senior Musician Scholarship Fund. Donations (tax deductible) can be sent to the KSO when you order your season tickets. The KSA will continue to support all KSO-related endeavors from membership fees. Thank you!

Cheers!

*The KSA Planning Committee*

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**How to join the KSA:** KSA memberships (we are the “A” not the “O”) are \$30.00 for an individual / \$35.00 for a family. Memberships include your name(s) listed in the KSO concert programs and on the KSO website, email alerts and information, the KSA Winter Newsletter, and an invitation to the KSO donors’ reception.

**Please make your check payable to:**

**KSA, c/o Gretchen Moore  
531 College Terrace  
DeKalb, IL 60115**

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**Name(s) as you wish it/them to appear in the KSO concert programs and on the KSO website.**

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For details about the Kishwaukee Symphony Associates, please visit the KSO website at [www.kishorchestra.org](http://www.kishorchestra.org) or contact the KSA President, Gretchen Moore: [gmoore@niu.edu](mailto:gmoore@niu.edu) or 815-758-6397.