

DANBURY  **CONCERT**
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HIGH NOTES

Winter/Spring 2010

See you soon!

FOOTHILLS BRASS

Sunday, April 18, 2010, 3 PM



Hailed for their “thoughtful artistry” and “toe-tapping excitement,” Foothills Brass will present a highly varied program that’s sure to deliver “serious fun!”

QUARTETTO GELATO

Saturday, May 15,
2010, 8:00 PM

**NEW MEMBER
BONUS CONCERT**
details over



Classical in training, eclectic by design, Quartetto Gelato thrills listeners with its multi-instrument mastery, globe-spanning repertoire, and brilliant operatic tenor.

Another fabulous season: Subscribe now for 2010/2011!

Our Music Committee worked hard over the winter to assemble our coming 2010/2011 season. Have a look!

The series will open with **Alex Alguacil**, an up-and-coming Spanish pianist, followed by Grammy-nominated **Borealis Wind Quintet**, back in town with dynamic pianist **Leon Bates**. After our winter hiatus comes **Trio Solisti**, who wowed our audience in 200x. The season will conclude with **A Far Cry**, an ensemble of 17 “talented and intrepid” young musicians.

Subscriptions for adults will once again be \$40 for all four concerts, and Western Connecticut State University students and others 18 and under will be admitted free of charge through a grant from the Danbury Cultural Commission.

Don’t forget to subscribe before June 30 to take advantage of our new subscriber or renewing subscriber bonus offers!

ALEX ALGUACIL, PIANIST

Sunday, September 26, 2010, at 3 p.m.

An “intelligent musician” and “high-class virtuoso”

BOREALIS WIND QUINTET WITH PIANIST LEON BATES

Sunday, October 24, 2010, at 3 p.m.

“Musical integrity, irresistible energy, and five-fold charisma” paired with a “brilliant, powerful pianist”

TRIO SOLISTI

Sunday, April 3, 2011, at 3 p.m.

“The most exciting piano trio in America”

A FAR CRY

Saturday, May 7, 2011, at 8 p.m.

“One of Boston’s most promising classical music groups”

Won’t you help the Danbury Concert Association continue to support food pantries that serve area residents in need? Please bring any nonperishable food or health and beauty items you care to donate to the Ives Hall lobby prior to curtain time. We appreciate your help.

AT OUR NEXT SEASON, AND MORE

INSIDE: A SNEAK PEEK

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Saturday, May 15 is our New Subscriber Bonus Concert

Tell your friends: new subscribers to next season's series can attend the May 15 concert, featuring Quartetto Gelato, free!

Don't wait to renew The early bird gets the free ticket!

Renew your membership by June 30 and you'll receive a complimentary ticket for one of next season's performances.

Volunteers needed!

As an all-volunteer organization, we rely solely on members who assist in various ways. If you're interested in joining our board of directors or helping in some other way, give us a call to learn more (203.748.0522).

Ives Concert Hall parking is free at WCSU's parking facility

It's just a short walk from the garage to White Hall, home of Ives Concert Hall. You can enter the garage from Fifth Avenue. (For a map, see our website, www.danbury.org/concert.)

Join us at our Annual Dinner

All subscribers and guests are invited to our Annual Meeting and Dinner, Tuesday, April 13, 2010, at 6:30 p.m., at Two Steps Restaurant (Ives St., Danbury).

Dinner will be \$zz per person (including gratuity). To reserve and make your menu selections, please call Helen Duncan (203.748.8406) or Mary Seeley (203.775.1199) by xxxxxxxx xx.

We are grateful again this season...

to our subscribers and many angels; the Danbury Cultural Commission, for making free admission for students possible; and Western Connecticut State University, for hosting our series.

Rave reviews for our fall 2009 concerts

Audiences and area critics gave high marks to **Chamber Orchestra Kremlin** ("heirs to a long Russian tradition of rich, emotional string-playing...and worthy of carrying it on") and **pianist Xiayin Wang** ("with a well-chosen, extremely difficult program...a wonder to behold"). To read the full reviews, go to the *Danbury News-Times* website, www.newstimes.com.