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This time it is about the Music...

WORLDWAYS
CHILDREN'S MUSEUM

Viennese Hauskonzert Series



On March 4, 2007 the Thalmann family hosted a piano recital by Slava and Lana Levin – Russian husband and wife piano duo - to benefit Worldways Children's Museum. Both musicians hold Doctoral degrees from the Moscow State Tchaikovsky Conservatory, though now they only perform for charity. This event provided a real treat for everyone with powerful performances, a delightful reception by the hosts and lively conversation after the recital. Worldways made several new friends and raised \$3,000.

Our special thanks to each and every one of our concert supporters:

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Musical Star Wars

*St. Louis "Star Base" and Kansas City "Supernova"
Teams of Young Talents Compete in a Concert*

Musical Star Wars will take place in the Whitaker Hall of Washington University on April 14, 2007. All proceeds from this event will benefit orphans around the world. This year's concert will feature the most talented young musicians in a friendly community competition of *Musical Star Wars*. The concert will include a variety of music styles and pieces including classical, ragtime, and jazz pieces by piano soloists or by chamber ensembles.

Tickets:

General Admission - \$15

Sponsorship Levels:

Silver - \$25 (1 ticket)

Platinum - \$100 (up to 4 tickets)



Children under 16 - \$10

Gold - \$50 (2 tickets)

Diamond - \$250 (up to 10 tickets)

Musical Star Wars

Tickets may be purchased by phone at (314) 890-0086 or (636) 207-7405 and online at www.ChildrensHope.net

Ukrainian Kaleidoscope

Sergei Shapoval takes the audience on a cultural adventure to Ukraine.

Saturday April 28th, 2007

Opening the program with the traditional welcoming ceremony of bread and salt, Ukraine is one of the leading farming, industrial and mining regions in Europe. This newly independent country has its own language, customs and one of the highest literacy rates in the world.

In the assembly and workshop presentations, the audience will gain a new picture of the "Breadbasket of the Commonwealth of Independent States" through its music, dance and rich traditions. They will hear folk music played on both the domra and bandura. After donning a straw bril or a flower vanook, some will participate in the Hopak dance. Others will play traditional folk instruments and form a "troisty musyky." Shoes, currency, school books and Pysanky eggs are only a few of the objects that give the audience a look at both traditional and modern daily life in Ukraine.



Space is limited.
Admission is \$5 per person
Reservations are required.
Tel: (636) 207-7405



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