

NEWS RELEASE Wichita Symphony Orchestra

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SYMPHONY IN THE GARDENS RETURNS TO BOTANICA GARDENS

Performances by Musicians of the Wichita Symphony Serenade Guests as They Stroll Through the Gardens

(Wichita, KS) The Wichita Symphony and Botanica the Wichita Gardens proudly present the third annual Symphony in the Gardens May 19, 2023 at 6:30 PM. Tickets are \$135 and can be purchased online at WichitaSymphony.org or Botanica.org. Included with each ticket is admission to the gardens, access to the evening's musical performances, heavy hors d'oeuvres, two drink tickets, and complimentary chairs for seating during the finale concert.

"We're excited to host Symphony in the Gardens again this year with the Wichita Symphony Orchestra," said Jamee Ross, Director of Development. "Symphony in the Gardens is truly a feast for the senses. Guests will enjoy heavy hors d'oeuvres and drinks as they take in the sights, sounds, and smells of the gardens."

Sponsored by The DeVore Family Foundation, guests can enjoy a magical evening of food, drink, and music, surrounded by the beauty of Botanica. The night concludes with a full orchestra finale concert on the Dr. David and Mickie Brown Grand Lawn and Stage in the Koch Carousel Gardens, accompanied by an impressive fireworks display.

Don Reinhold, CEO of the Wichita Symphony, relates, "Symphonic music from Beethoven's Pastoral Symphony and Copland's Appalachian Spring, plus music to celebrate Botanica's special summer exhibit, await guests at the event. The concert, preceded by chamber ensembles throughout the gardens, elevates the beauty of the gardens in a way that only music can achieve."

Tickets on sale March 27, 2023, so mark your calendar to purchase tickets before they're gone!

Symphony in the Gardens

May 19, 2023 at 6:30 PM 701 Amidon St, Wichita, KS 67203

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Botanica opened in May 1987 to generate enthusiasm for horticulture through educational, artistic, and cultural experiences. The Wichita Gardens is open year-round, with new surprises each season. With

ever-changing scenery, educational classes for young and old, and special events to entertain and amuse, Botanica has a lot to offer!

The Wichita Symphony Orchestra was founded in 1944 and is one of the oldest and most active arts organizations in Kansas. Throughout its 78 years of existence, the orchestra's mission has been to provide the state with the highest quality musical presentations for as many different audiences as possible.