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Northeastern Pennsylvania Philharmonic to present their “Music in Our Schools” program to The Scranton School for Deaf & Hard of Hearing Students March 2, 2010.

The Northeastern Pennsylvania Philharmonic will present their “Music in Our Schools” program at The Scranton School for Deaf & Hard-of-Hearing, 1800 North Washington Ave, in Scranton on Tuesday, March 2, 2010 at 10 AM

The performance will feature NEPA Philharmonic percussionists Bob Nowak, Steve Matheison and Jim Thoma.

The Northeastern Pennsylvania Philharmonic, Music in Our Schools program is a unique opportunity for young children to participate and engage with the orchestra in their own familiar school environments.

“This program takes music directly to the children. A group of Philharmonic orchestra members, a quintet or quartet, travels to an elementary school and works with the music teacher to provide an entertaining and educational performance for the class,” notes Nancy Schmitt Farkas, Executive Director of the Northeastern Pennsylvania Philharmonic.

According to NEPA Philharmonic Marketing Director, Stephen Parulski, the program was developed to present live symphonic performances and music education at the highest level of artistic excellence to the children of the area.

For more information on the Northeastern Pennsylvania Philharmonic’s Music in Our Schools Program, please call the Philharmonic office at 570-341-1568 or email at info@nepaphil.org

Upcoming Northeastern Pennsylvania Philharmonic performances include “Beethoven” on March 13th. “An Evening with Tony Award Winner Debbie Gravitte” on April 9th and 10th and “Carmina Burana ” on April 30th and May 1st

Now celebrating its 38th season, the Northeastern Pennsylvania Philharmonic - formed in 1972 through the merging of the Wilkes-Barre and Scranton Philharmonics - is a fully professional symphony orchestra that services the entire northeast Pennsylvania corridor. Its annual concert season runs from July through May of each year, and includes Masterworks, Pops, and Educational concerts. A nonprofit corporation governed by a Board of Directors, the Northeastern Pennsylvania Philharmonic is considered one of the finest regional orchestras of its kind in the country, offering professional live symphonic performances to people of all ages.