

History

The Conroe Symphony Orchestra (CSO) was founded the summer of 1997 by Herb Armentrout, Mary Curtis Taylor, and Mark Multop, with the Mission of "adding to the cultural enrichment of the community, assuring a better quality of life for the Conroe area." Since 1997, the Conroe Symphony has experienced rapid growth and now has three divisions: The Conroe Symphony Orchestra, The Conroe Symphony League (organized April, 2001), and the Conroe Symphony Youth Orchestra. The CSO organization includes more than 225 volunteers who provide support for the presentation of five classic concerts, major fundraising events, youth orchestra activities and educational outreach programs.

The CSO Season includes traditional classical treasures, popular favorites and featured soloists. The major objective is to provide the audience with the best possible musical experience, while showcasing the talent and hard work of our area musicians. The Symphony's objectives could not be accomplished without the talent and hard work of all of the volunteers.

The CSO took two giant steps forward during late 2005 when (1) the Ark Family Church became the "Home of the Symphony" and (2) CSO operations were relocated to the Symphony Centre at 202 N. Main in downtown Conroe.

The Vision of the Conroe Symphony Orchestra is to "be recognized as one of the outstanding community orchestras in the State of Texas." As a 501 (c) 3 non-profit community orchestra, the CSO is supported through individual and corporate donations and grants, in addition to ticket sales. Since ticket sales generate only 25% to 30% of our income, the Symphony depends very heavily on donations from our supporters to accomplish our Mission and our long-term Vision.

Dr. Don Hutson
Music Director and Conductor

Dr. Aline Arnold
Board Chair and Executive Director

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Commission On Arts & Culture

Conroe
Symphony
Orchestra
202 N. Main St.
Conroe, TX 77301



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"Sounds of The
Symphony"

2010-2011
Season

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“Symphonic Celebrations”

Sounds of the Symphony
 Monday, October 4, 2010
 7:30 p.m.
 The Ark Church

Sights & Sounds of the Season
 Monday, December 6, 2010
 7:30 p.m. The Ark Church

A Romantic Celebration
 Monday, February 14, 2011
 7:30 p.m. The Ark Church

Favorites from the Past
 Monday, April 18, 2011
 7:30 p.m. The Ark Church

Celebrate America
 Monday, June 27, 2011
 7:30 p.m. The Ark Church

ANNUAL FUNDRAISER
May 7, 2011, Saturday, 4:30 p.m.

Celebrate Derby Day in Conroe
Kentucky Derby-Dinner-Dancing
LaToretta Lake Resort & Spa
Featuring
“Symphony Big Band”

Telephone: 936-760-2144

2010-2011 Season Ticket Subscriptions

Date: _____

Name: _____ **Telephone:** _____

Address: _____ **Email:** _____

City, State, Zip: _____ **Spouse:** _____

Season Tickets: \$60 each (includes 5 classic concerts)
 (Oct. 4, 2010; Dec. 6, 2010; Feb. 14, 2011; Apr. 18, 2011; June 27, 2011)
 (Includes 2 free tickets for any one concert of your choice)

Number of Season Tickets _____ @ \$ 60 each = \$ _____

Donation (tax deductible): \$ _____

To designate your donation for a specific purpose (e.g. music library, youth orchestra, education outreach, or other area), please call the Symphony at 936-760-2144.

League Membership: \$ _____

ACTIVE—\$25 ea; FAMILY—\$75 ea; PATRON—\$100 ea; LIFE—\$500 ea

Derby Day Fundraiser \$100 ea. \$ _____

GRAND TOTAL: \$ _____

Make Checks Payable to: Conroe Symphony Orchestra

Or Charge to: MC Visa

Credit Card Number: _____ **Exp. Date** _____

Print name as it appears on card: _____

For office use only:
 Date: _____ Authorization #: _____ Staff: _____ CC to: _____