



THE **STRING** EXPERIENCE

for high school violinists, violists, cellists & bassists

Saturday, October 25 and Sunday, October 26, 2008

Register for one day or both!

with special guests:

GLEN DICTEROW, CONCERTMASTER, NY PHIL
STEPHEN DOANE, CELLO PROFESSOR, EASTMAN



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MASTER NEW TECHNIQUES

& HAVE FUN!

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THE STRING EXPERIENCE ...



is a seminar for high school violinists, violists, cellists and bassists that brings you in contact with Fredonia's string faculty. Young musicians will be given the chance to improve performance and practice techniques, interact with other string players, and attend a recital with our distinguished faculty artists. String players will have the opportunity to work in small sessions with conservatory-trained Fredonia faculty, developing performance skills, working on issues of stage fright and the audition process, improving technical skills such as shifting, intonation, tone production, and more. The atmosphere is designed to be a fun, supportive learning environment for students, but teachers and parents are also encouraged to attend - we hope you'll join us for this exciting event.

Joining the String Experience this year are special guests **Glen Dicterow** (concertmaster, NY Philharmonic) and **Stephen Doane** (cello professor, Eastman).

String Experience exemplifies the unique one-on-one relationship that is fostered between students and teachers at Fredonia. This year, participants will also

receive a **special discounted ticket price** for the Western New York Chamber Orchestra's Sunday afternoon concert featuring **violin soloist Glen Dicterow**.

The Free Improv Session with David Rudge will teach you ways to liberate your playing and explore new possibilities on your instrument. It is an introduction for string players who have never improvised, and will provide more opportunities for those who have had previous experience. Students will move away from the printed page and explore making music in the moment using string and other "world music" instruments.

Enjoy our campus tour and discover the secrets that only Fredonia undergraduates know! Explore the campus at the height of its colorful fall foliage: tour highlights include a visit to the university gym, the I.M. Pei-designed library, the new student center and Starbucks cafe.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS ... register for one or both days!

schedule subject to change

Saturday, October 25

9:00am	Registration (Mason Hall lobby)
10:00am-12:00pm	Masterclass with Glen Dicterow featuring SUNY Fredonia students
12:00-12:50pm	Lunch on campus (included in registration fee)
1:00-2:45pm	Faculty masterclasses (violin, viola, cello, bass) featuring String Experience participants
3:00-4:20pm	Free Improv Session with David Rudge
4:30-5:30pm	Faculty Gala Concert
6:00pm	String Experience Group Dinner* (optional) at Wing City Grill (Fredonia, NY)

NOTE: this cost is not included in the class fee. Students must provide their own transportation to/from the restaurant.

7:30-9:30pm	Masterclass with Stephen Doane featuring SUNY Fredonia students
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Sunday, October 26

9:00am	Registration (Mason Hall lobby)
10:00am-12:00pm	Faculty masterclasses & Technique workshop
12:15-1:00pm	Lunch on campus (included in registration fee)
1:15-2:15pm	Free Improv Session with David Rudge
2:30-3:00pm	Faculty Sampler Concert
3:00-3:45pm	Campus Tour
4:00pm	Western New York Chamber Orchestra Concert* featuring Glen Dicterow, violin soloist

NOTE: WNYCO ticket price is not included in the class fee. Discounted tickets (\$5) will be available for all String Experience participants at the door.

MASTER CLASS

Students may wish to be considered to perform in the Master Class. Please submit a five-minute cassette or cd or your intended piece with your registration form (deadline for master class consideration is October 6 ... submissions received after this date will be considered on a space-available basis).

FEES *applications postmarked after October 10, please add \$10 to these fees ...*

SATURDAY ONLY:	\$12
SUNDAY ONLY:	\$12
SATURDAY & SUNDAY:	\$20

Complete the registration form (online at www.fredonia.edu/music/SE.asp) and mail with payment (checks payable to SUNY Fredonia) to:

The String Experience - School of Music
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