

7:30pm
Friday, January 23, 2009
Unitarian Church
4 N. Main Street
Sharon, Massachusetts

Senior Recital

Caroline Duchin, soprano

Daisy Joo, violin

Avery Yen, cello

Sayuri Miyamoto, accompanist

Solo Cello Suite No. 6 in D major, BWV 1012

Johann Sebastian Bach

I. Prelude

III. Courante

IV. Sarabande

VI. Gigue

Villanelle

Eva Dell'Acqua

Gloria, RV 589

Antonio Vivaldi

VI. Domine Deus

Violin Concerto in D major, Op. 35

Pyotr Tchaikovsky

~ Intermission ~

Solo Violin Sonata No. 2 in a minor, BWV 1003

J.S. Bach

I. Grave

II. Fuga

Magnificat in D major, BWV 243

J.S. Bach

III. Quia respexit

Come raggio di sol

Antonio Caldara

Spinning Song

David Popper

Exsultate, Jubilate, K. 165

Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart

Alleluja

Caprice No. 23

Niccolò Paganini

Cello Concerto No. 1 in E-flat major, Op. 107

Dmitri Shostakovich

I. Allegretto

Lots of food downstairs.

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Proceeds go to the Sharon Performing Artists' Association's Scholarships for graduating seniors and students who wish to attend summer music camps or festivals.

Soprano **Caroline Duchin**, a senior at Sharon High School, had her first musical inspiration in elementary school, listening to her Dad singing songs of the 1930's and playing piano at home, and so it wasn't a surprise when she began performing solo in 3rd grade, with Irving Berlin's "What'll I Do". Her favorite musical theater performance was the role of Maria von Trapp in "The Sound of Music" at Sharon Middle School. She has participated in the New York State Summer Music Festival in Oneonta, New York, and in the Smith Sings summer program at Smith College. She has performed in several regional choirs, including the Massachusetts All-State Chorus, Southeast Senior District Music Festival Chorus, Southeast Junior District Music Festival Chorus, and recently has achieved a recommendation for All-State again. She has been studying voice privately and currently studies at the Franklin School for the Performing Arts. She has been a member of the Select Choir, Concert Chorus, Treble Choir, and Jazz Choir at Sharon High School, and she also has performed several solos in Broadway revues and concerts at the high school. She is excited about participating in vocal music groups next year, when she will be attending Haverford College!

Violinist **Daisy Joo**, a senior in high school and violin student of Masuko Ushioda, started lessons at age 4. She is the concertmistress of New England Conservatory's Youth Philharmonic Orchestra, with whom she has traveled to Brazil, Venezuela, and China. Daisy has won first prize in Parkway Concert Orchestra's Violin Competition, New England Philharmonic's Young Artist competition, Waltham Philharmonic's Concerto Competition, Quincy Symphony's "Young Artist Performs" Competition, and the Boston Symphony Orchestra's Concerto Competition. In 2006, Daisy performed Saint-Saën's Introduction in Rondo Capriccioso with the Parkway Concert Orchestra, and in 2007, Daisy performed Tchaikovsky Violin Concerto's first movement with the New England Philharmonic. In 2008, Daisy performed Mozart Violin Concerto in A minor's first movement with the Waltham Philharmonic, and the Tchaikovsky with the Quincy Symphony Orchestra, the Boston Pops, and the Rhode Island Philharmonic. She has received scholarships from the Sharon Chamber Music Association and attended the Killington Music Festival as a select "Junior Apprentice". There Daisy collaborated with Max Levinson and studied with Juliette Kang, Yehonatan Berick, and Miriam Fried. Daisy has also attended Le Domaine Forget with scholarship and studied with Mark Fewer, Yehonatan Berick, and the Arthur-Leblanc String Quartet, and this past summer, Daisy attended the Orford Music Academy. Daisy has participated in masterclasses by Irina Muresanu, Miriam Fried, Lynn Chang, Regis Pasquier, and James Ehnes. Daisy is a former student of Jin-Kyung Joen.

Avery Yen has been playing cello since he was 7 and currently studies with Rhonda Rider. His past teachers have included Bonnie Black, Yeesun Kim, and Emmanuel Feldman. An active and versatile participant in Boston area musical activities, he has performed in Symphony Hall Boston, Sanders Theatre, Jordan Hall, and BU's Tsai Performance Center; as well as Gewandhaus Leipzig and Smetana Hall Prague as co-principal cellist of the Boston Youth Symphony. He has soloed with the Arlington Philharmonic and Sharon Community Orchestra. His summer music studies include the Killington Music Festival, the Quartet Program at SUNY Fredonia, Meadowmount, and Le Domaine Forget. At Sharon High School, he was a member of the Concert Chorus, has played in three school musicals, and has represented Sharon High at Senior District Festival, All-State Festival, and this year, the All-Eastern Honors Orchestra. Outside of music, he plays Board 2 on the Sharon High Chess Team and he is a co-captain of the Sharon High Math Team. His other interests include reading, writing, and being a computer geek.