

**Lawrence High School
Music Department**

Dear Parents and Students,

The LHS Music Department is pleased to offer its students the opportunity to hear one of the nation's premier symphony orchestras. The Philadelphia Orchestra was founded in 1900 and was the home of world famous conductors such as Leopold Stokowski, Eugene Ormandy, Riccardo Muti, Wolfgang Sawallisch, and Christoph Eschenbach. Now under the direction of Yannick Nezet-Seguin, the Orchestra, in its new home of the Kimmel Center, is continuing to promote art music throughout the world, and offer many great educational programs to young musicians.

Symphony No. 9 by Gustav Mahler was written between 1908 and 1909, and was the last symphony that he completed. It is actually his tenth symphonic work, as Mahler gave no ordinal number to his symphonic song-cycle *Das Lied von der Erde*. A typical performance takes about 75 to 90 minutes. The work is scored for large orchestra and is considered by many to be one of the most significant works in the symphonic repertoire.

This concert series will most likely sellout but we were lucky enough to reserve 40 seats for the performance. Tickets will be sold on a first come, first served basis. We hope you're able to join us for what promises to be a great afternoon!

Musically,
Mr. Michael Drobish
Mrs. Mandy Johnson

**Friday 5/10/19
2PM
\$60 per ticket**



**Depart LHS @ 12:00PM
Return to LHS at 5:00PM**

Students will wear business casual attire and are expected to behave appropriately while demonstrating proper concert etiquette. They may bring spending money for snacks/concessions.

**LHS Music Department
Philadelphia Orchestra
*Symphony No 9 - Gustav Mahler***

Cost: \$60/person

Make checks payable to LMS/LHS PTO (Memo: LIMBO Philly Orch.)

Friday, May 10, 2019

Concert begins at 2PM

Student Name _____ Home Phone _____

Address _____ Cell/Emergency _____

Parent Name _____ Parent Signature _____

No. of Tickets 5/10/19 _____ Amount Enclosed _____

Payment Due by 4/1/19

Please note, Kimmel Center Box Office policy states that there are no refunds due to inclement weather.

