

# Sundays At Three



February 21, 2010

Milliken Auditorium/Dennos Museum Center

## Young Artist Showcase Winner 2010

Anna Piotrowski, *violin*

**Violin Concerto in E minor, Op. 64**

*Allegro molto appassionato*

Felix Mendelssohn



### ANNA PIOTROWSKI, VIOLIN

Violinist Anna Piotrowski is currently a student of Annie Chalex Boyle. She began studying violin at the age of 5 with Susan Raguse of Traverse Community Music. She studied additionally with Tom Wermuth of the Western Springs School of Talent and Education in Chicago.

Ms. Piotrowski has been a recipient of several Music Boosters and Grand Traverse Musicale scholarships. She has been the Concertmaster of Civic Chamber Strings and is currently the Concertmaster of the West Senior High Philharmonic Orchestra. She has also been a member of the Traverse City WSH Pit Orchestra for the musicals *Me and My Girl*, *The Secret Garden*, and the upcoming *Ruddigore*. Anna also

participates in the violin ensemble Bel Canto.

This May, she will be featured as a soloist with the WSHPO, and will also perform her Senior Recital. Additionally she has been selected as one of twelve students to attend the Preludio Violin Program at Ithaca College, New York.

Anna is a senior in High School, and plans to pursue a degree in Violin Performance.

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### STEVE LARSON, PIANO

Minnesota native Steve Larson serves as accompanist to many distinguished performers throughout the Midwest and at Interlochen Arts Academy. He holds a Bachelor of Music degree from the University of Minnesota and a Master of Music degree from the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee.

Mr. Larson served as pianist for Milwaukee Ballet Company. He has performed at chamber music festivals such as the Absolutely Amadeus Festival in Milwaukee and the Manitou Music Festival.

Increasingly active as a composer, his works have been performed by the Interlochen Academy Choir, violinist Hal Grossman and the Backyard Recorder Consort. His music has been published by PRB Productions and he has recorded original ballet class music for Aquarian Sound and Brio Recordings.

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Debra Fayroian, *Director* Annie Chalex Boyle, *Director of Educational Activities*