

Second City Chamber Series – Tacoma Performances

Second City Chamber Series is dedicated to the performance of classical chamber music masterworks, both old and new, in many intimate concert settings in the Tacoma area. Led by Artistic Director Svend Ronning, the current 33rd season, "Style & Idea", borrows its theme from the writings of the composer Arnold Schoenberg, whose book *Style and Idea* is still one of the great collections of essays on music and art. The music is performed by the region's finest professional musicians, who also serve as mentors for the Young Chamber Players program. This five-month program teaches students valuable musical and life skills associated with the high degree of autonomy necessary to perform chamber music. Led by Amy Grinsteiner, the YCP program is culminated by a concert program held in February at First Lutheran Church in Tacoma.

Many of the nine annual concerts that SCCS produces were made possible with the support of the Tacoma Arts Commission. Three concerts are held at the Great Hall at Annie Wright - January 15, April 9, and May 14, 2010; and two concerts are held at First Lutheran Church in Tacoma - the Young Chamber Players concert on February 7, and a Spotlight Series concert on March 7.

More information can be found at www.scchamberseries.org.

