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**OSFL Facebook Live Mini-Series** | Sunday, March 14, 2021 at 7:30 PM

## **Orchestra of the Southern Finger Lakes Presents Facebook Live Mini-Concert with Principal Harp, Rosanna Moore**



The Orchestra of the Southern Finger Lakes (OSFL) will present a Facebook Live “concert” with OSFL principal harp, Rosanna Moore, on Sunday, March 14, 2021 at 7:30 PM. The concert is free. Donations are appreciated to help the Orchestra and musicians through this prolonged time off-stage.

In preparation for an upcoming harp competition, Sunday’s program will include 20<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup> century music plus a classic, *Sonata in B Minor, K. 27* by Antonio Scarlatti. Of special note is a newly composed work by harpist and woman of color, Brandee Younger.

Dr. Moore is currently the Instructor of Harp/Artist in Residence at the University of Oregon, as well as the Harp Instructor at Opus Ithaca. She holds a Doctorate in Musical Arts with the Performer’s Certificate, an Arts Leadership Certificate, and a minor in Theatre from the Eastman School of Music. Dr. Moore is an avid chamber musician and is a founding member of three diverse ensembles: Hats + Heels (bassoon & harp), Sticks&Strings (percussion & harp), and Trio Alexander (flute, viola, & harp).

Facebook LIVE presentations by OSFL musicians have carried the OSFL through this pandemic year with frequent virtual performances during this time of continued social distancing. To find out more, follow the OSFL on Facebook at [facebook.com/theOSFL](https://facebook.com/theOSFL), Twitter at @OSFL, Instagram at @orchsfl, or check out the website at [www.OSFL.org](http://www.OSFL.org).

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**ABOUT THE ORCHESTRA OF THE SOUTHERN FINGER LAKES (OSFL)**

Due to the pandemic shutdown of large gatherings, the OSFL remains off-stage until further notice. In a normal year, the OSFL offers four regular season full orchestra concerts, including a side by side Youth Orchestra and professional musician collaboration, a Musicians’ Choice Chamber Music Series, concerts by the Chorus of the Southern Finger Lakes, several concerts by the Youth Orchestra and Junior String Ensemble, as well as smaller ensemble concerts for children. Under the guidance of distinguished Music Director and Conductor, Toshiyuki Shimada, the OSFL is a strong supporter of highlighting the musical achievements of young musicians with its own Youth Orchestra and Junior String Ensemble programs, as well as the Hertzog Concerto Competition for young artists in grades 9 - 12. The OSFL collaborates with regional cultural partners, artists, and like-minded organizations to advance our mutual artistic growth in the greater Elmira-Corning area.

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