

# OLATHE YOUTH SYMPHONY

2024-2025 Calendar  
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 Olathe South High School

DATE	TIME	EVENT	LOCATION
September 9	6:00pm- 8:00pm	Rehearsal	OS Orchestra & Band Rooms
September 16	6:00pm- 8:00pm	Rehearsal	OS Orchestra & Band Rooms
September 23	6:00pm- 8:00pm	Rehearsal	OS Orchestra & Band Rooms
October 1 (Tuesday)	6:00pm- 8:00pm	Rehearsal	OS Orchestra & Band Rooms
October 7	6:00pm- 8:00pm	Rehearsal	OS Orchestra & Band Rooms
October 14	6:00pm- 8:00pm	Rehearsal	OS Orchestra & Band Rooms
October 21	6:00pm- 8:00pm	Rehearsal	OS Orchestra & Band Rooms
October 28	6:00pm- 8:00pm	Rehearsal	OS Orchestra & Band Rooms
November 4	6:00pm- 8:00pm	Rehearsal	OS Orchestra & Band Rooms
November 11	6:00pm- 8:00pm	Rehearsal	OS Orchestra & Band Rooms
November 18	6:00pm- 8:00pm	Rehearsal	OS Orchestra & Band Rooms
November 25		No Rehearsal	
December 2	6:00pm- 8:00pm	Rehearsal	OS Orchestra & Band Rooms
<b>December 8</b>	<b>3:30pm*</b>	<b>WINTER CONCERT</b>	<b>Olathe South Auditorium</b>
January 6 (Prof. Day)	6:00pm- 8:00pm	Rehearsal	OS Orchestra & Band Rooms
January 13	6:00pm- 8:00pm	Rehearsal	OS Orchestra & Band Rooms
January 21 (Tuesday)	6:00pm- 8:00pm	Rehearsal	OS Orchestra & Band Rooms
January 27	6:00pm- 8:00pm	Rehearsal	OS Orchestra & Band Rooms
February 3	6:00pm- 8:00pm	Rehearsal	OS Orchestra & Band Rooms
February 10	6:00pm- 8:00pm	Rehearsal	OS Orchestra & Band Rooms
February 17 (Pres. Day)	6:00pm- 8:00pm	Rehearsal	OS Orchestra & Band Rooms
February 24	6:00pm- 8:00pm	Rehearsal	OS Orchestra & Band Rooms
March 3	6:00pm- 8:00pm	Rehearsal	OS Orchestra & Band Rooms
March 10	6:00pm- 8:00pm	Rehearsal	OS Orchestra & Band Rooms
March 17		No Rehearsal	
March 24 (Prof. Day)	6:00pm- 8:00pm	Rehearsal	OS Orchestra & Band Rooms
March 31	6:00pm- 8:00pm	Rehearsal	OS Orchestra & Band Rooms
<b>April 6</b>	<b>3:30pm*</b>	<b>SPRING CONCERT</b>	<b>Olathe South Auditorium</b>
<b>OYS AUDITIONS for 2025-26 season</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Audition Registration &amp; Audition Requirements for the 2025-26 concert season will be available on the OYS website by April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2025</li> <li>• Auditions occur online through video submission. All audition videos are due by May 10<sup>th</sup>, 2025 at 11:59pm. Information on how/where to upload your audition video are provided after completing registration.</li> <li>• Audition Results will be emailed by June 1<sup>st</sup>.</li> </ul>		

Please note: All members of the Olathe Youth Symphony are to use the 400 or 500 hall entrance when entering and exiting the OSHS. These doors are located on the southwest side of Olathe South HS (closest to Indian Trail MS and up the ramp).

\*Pre-concert dress rehearsals are scheduled prior to both the December 8<sup>th</sup> and April 6<sup>th</sup> concerts. Information will follow.

## OYS ATTENDANCE POLICY

- The Olathe Youth Symphony rehearses only once per week. Regular attendance is crucial to the success of the Olathe Youth Symphony Association. Each member is expected to attend ALL rehearsals and concerts as well as practice their music during the week. To avoid scheduling conflicts please plan ahead. School related activities or illness are excused but still must be reported in a timely manner.

## WHAT SHOULD I DO IF I NEED TO BE ABSENT?

- If a member is absent from rehearsal, they are required to report their absence prior to 1:00 pm the day of rehearsal. To report an absence—visit the OYS website ([olatheyouthsymphony.org](http://olatheyouthsymphony.org)) then go to the **MEMBERS ONLY** section to find the absentee form link. <https://tinyurl.com/oysabsences>
- Members who accumulate more than two unexcused absences will be placed on probation. Once on probation, the attendance issue must be resolved in a timely manner, or the member will be dismissed from the organization. As stated above, absences due to school activities or illness are excused but still need to be reported in a timely manner.