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THE QUARRY PROVIDES INCREDIBLE DESSERTS AT VSO INTERMISSION AT NOVEMBER 10 CONCERT

Local senior living center returns for third season of symphony support

(Vancouver, WA) In what has become an annual tradition for attendees of Vancouver Symphony fall concerts, *The Quarry* Senior Living Center returns to provide decadent and delicious desserts at intermission of The VSO's November 10 concert at Skyview Concert Hall, it was announced jointly by VSO Executive Director Igor Shakhman and Quarry Executive Director Eric Christensen.

Executive Chef Paul Lemke will serve assorted dark, milk and white chocolate clusters with cashews, peanuts or dried cranberries along with petite fours of chocolate bon bon, carrot cake, red velvet and brownie.

The Oregon Symphony's new concertmaster, guest artist Sarah Kwak will thrill audiences with Beethoven's legendary Violin Concerto under the direction of guest conductor Gregory Vajda. In addition to the Beethoven Violin Concerto, Vajda will conduct the American premiere of his original composition, *Orlando's Awakening*. Also in the first half will be a performance of *Dances of Galanta* by Kodaly. Both performances are at Skyview Concert Hall, 1300 NW 139th Street, Vancouver November 10 at 3 pm and November 11 at 7 pm. Tickets are available at (360) 735-7278 or vancouversymphony.org.

"The residents and leadership of The Quarry are deeply committed to the success of VSO," said the Quarry's Executive Director Eric Christensen. "In addition to enriching the lives of our residents, VSO's commitment to the local community is an incredible blessing to Vancouver. We are thrilled to share some treats from The Quarry as we celebrate the continued success of VSO."

About The Quarry

The Quarry Senior Living is located close to shopping, medical offices and community services and only a short distance from PeaceHealth Southwest Medical Center. The Quarry offers a full spectrum of living accommodations, including independent and assisted living apartment homes, a specially designed environment for those with memory care needs and a wing dedicated to movement disorders such as Parkinson's.

About The VSO

Led by Music Director and Conductor Salvador Brotons, now in his 22nd season, The VSO is a cornerstone of Southwest Washington's arts community, providing world-renowned classical music, promoting young musicians, and opening doors to classical music for young audiences through events such as the annual In-School concerts, Young Artists Competition and various family-styled special events and performances. With a full-sized professional orchestra of over 70 members, many of whom are teachers in our school districts, The VSO provides our region with a multi-concert classical season every year. Performances are at Skyview Concert Hall, 1300 NW 139th Street, Vancouver. Season support for The VSO is provided by Sterling Bank and All Classical 89.9.

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