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MUSICIANS FROM THE SAN FRANCISCO SYMPHONY PERFORM MOZART & MENDELSSOHN TO CELEBRATE THE SEASON SUNDAY, DECEMBER 18 AT 7 PM in Burlingame's Kohl Mansion, magically decorated for the holidays.

Burlingame, CA, November 21, 2011 – **Music at Kohl Mansion's** 2011-2012 series of chamber concerts in Burlingame's historic Kohl Mansion continues Sunday, December 18th at 7pm with a concert of works by **Mozart, Mendelssohn** and Hugo **Wolf**, performed by San Francisco Symphony Musicians **Dan Carlson** and **Amy Hiraga** (violin), **Jonathan Vinocour** (viola) and **Peter Wyrick** (cello) with San Francisco Opera violist **Joy Fellows**.

Returning to Kohl Mansion after three years' absence, members of our world-renowned orchestra will perform Mozart's String Quintet in G minor, K. 516, Mendelssohn's String Quintet No. 2 in B-flat major, Op. 87 and Hugo Wolf's *Italian Serenade* (for string quartet.) This program will celebrate the holidays in the festively decorated Kohl Mansion. The concert will be preceded by a talk with popular Kohl musicologist Kai Christiansen at 6 pm, and followed by a meet-the-musicians buffet reception in the Mansion's sumptuous dining rooms. The talk and reception are free. Concert tickets are \$45 (seniors: \$42; 30 yrs. & under: \$15.) Tickets, information and directions may be obtained online at www.musicatkohl.org or by phone at 650.762.1130. The Kohl Mansion is located at 2750 Adeline Drive, Burlingame.

Adopt an Instrument: Music at Kohl Mansion, in association with Bay Area nonprofit **Music in Schools Today** (MUST) collects used and new musical instruments for public school children. Patrons are invited to donate or pledge musical instruments they no longer use, and help support tomorrow's artists today. Instruments are collected at all Music at Kohl concert or may be dropped off by appointment. The value of donated instruments is fully tax-deductible. Learn more at www.musicatkohl.org or www.mustcreate.org, or by calling 650.762.1130 .

About Music at Kohl Mansion: Located just 15 miles south of San Francisco, Music at Kohl's Chamber Music Series has been a favorite of Peninsula music lovers as well as patrons from surrounding Bay Area counties for nearly three decades. Housed in a beautiful 1912 Tudor-style estate in Burlingame, Music at Kohl has earned a reputation among musicians as a favorite place to perform for its superb acoustics, intimate ambiance, and enthusiastic audiences. Since 1993, Music at Kohl has reached out to provide quality music education programs in local schools. Family and Children's Concerts have also become an essential part of Kohl programs, integrating a consistently outstanding series of artists and repertoire for audiences of all ages. Programs are made possible by generous contributions from individuals, businesses and foundations. Major funding is provided by the Joseph R. McMicking, Mervyn L. Brenner, Y & H Soda, Ross McKee, Confidence (Whittier Trust) and MATE (I Magnin) Foundations, Target and Carlstrom Productions. In-kind sponsorship support is provided by the San Mateo Daily Journal, Hyatt Regency SFO, and Mercy High School Burlingame.

WHO: **Musicians from the San Francisco Symphony**
Dan Carlson, Amy Hiraga, violin; Jonathan Vinocour, Joy Fellows (guest), viola;
Peter Wyrick, cello

DATE: Sunday, December 18, 2011 – 7 pm

PROGRAM:
Mozart, String Quintet in G minor, K. 516
Hugo Wolf, *Italian Serenade* (for string quartet)
Mendelssohn, String Quintet No. 2 in B-flat major, Op. 87

Pre-Concert Talk at 6 PM with Kai Christiansen

Post-Concert Reception: Complimentary wine and refreshments with the musicians

Adopt-an-Instrument: Bring used instruments to donate to children in public schools

TICKETS:

\$45 Adult; \$42 Senior; \$15 Gen Y&Z (*30 and under*)

Seating is by **general admission**. Box Office opens at 5:45 PM

(Call 650.762.1130 for information on member benefits)

PURCHASE TICKETS:

Mail: Music at Kohl Mansion, 2750 Adeline Drive, Burlingame, CA 94010

Phone: 650.762.1130 / Fax: 650.343.8464

Online: www.musicatkohl.org/tickets. Discount Season Subscription still available

LOCATION:

Great Hall, Kohl Mansion, 2750 Adeline Drive, Burlingame, CA

Directions: 650.762.1130 / www.musicatkohl.org/guide

Parking is convenient and complimentary. Music at Kohl Mansion is wheelchair accessible.

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Information: www.musicatkohl.org or 650.762.1130. **High resolution photos:** www.musicatkohl.org/press.

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