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## YOUNG PERFORMERS GET READY FOR SATURDAY'S CONCERT

Among those appearing in next week's concert are (from left) Koji Morishita, Mary Helen Crawford, Catherine Tice, Allison Burrow, Stephanie Trefonas and Timothy Mann.

## Junior Philharmonic Sets Concert for Next Saturday

There'll be more fiddling than usual at the next Junior Philharmonic Society's concert. A team of four young virtuosos will play their violins in a string quartet as one of the main features of the concert which will be held Saturday morning at Dixon Hall on the Newcomb Campus.

The young violinists: Catherine Tice, Stephanie Gail Trefonas, Timothy Mann and Koji Morishita, will play a march by Bach, a chorus by Handel and a cha cha by Mackay.

The quartet ranges from age 7 to an "elderly" age 10. Koji Morishita is the 7-year-old. He started with violin at age 4, and already has received a superior rating in the National Federation Junior Festival. The second grader is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Yoshio Morishita.

Nine-year-old Timothy Mann, a fourth grader at Alice Harte School, has studied violin for two-and-a-half years. The son of Dr. and Mrs. James Mann has received a superior rating from the Louisiana Federation of Music Clubs.

The other 9-year-old in the ensemble is Catherine Tice, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John K. Tice. The fourth grade Trinity Episcopal School student had studied violin for one-and-a-half years and has received a superior rating in the American Music Clubs Contest.

Stephanie Gail Trefonas, at 10, is the "senior member" of the group. She is a sixth grader at Bienville School and has studied violin for one-and-a-half years. The daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Louis Trefonas has, like

the other members of the quartet, received a superior rating for her ability. Stephanie received her's in the New Orleans Violin Contest.

Two dancers and two pianists will also appear in the concert, which will begin at 10:45 a.m. Saturday.

Allison Elizabeth Burrow, the 12-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don R. Burrow, will dance "Lento" from "La Boutique Fantasque" by Rossini-Respighi. The seventh grader from John Quincy Adams School has studied ballet for five-and-a-half years.

Mary Helen Crawford, the 12-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Crawford, will dance a March by Rossini-Britten. She is a seventh grader at Gregory Junior High, and has

studied ballet for four-and-a-half years. Mary Helen has also studied piano for two years and has received a superior rating from the Louisiana Federation of Music Clubs.

A 14-year-old pianist, Camille Martin, will play "Maruntel" by Bartok, "The Clowns" by Turina, and "Punch" by Villa-Lobos. The ninth grade daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lucien T. Martin has studied piano for four years, and already has a string of awards to her credit, including a first place in the Bach Festival. She attends Carencro High.

Jane Schlegel, a senior at the Academy of the Sacred Heart, will play "Military Polonaise" and "Waltz in C Sharp Minor," both by Chopin. The 17-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Schlegel has studied piano for nine years, and has won numerous honors for her ability.

A highlight of the program will be the presentation of the Irving Carr award to an outstanding performer of last year's series.