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P.S. 243 Bedford-Stuyvesant, Karen Hambright, Principal
P.S. 245 East Flatbush, Pat Kannengieser, Principal

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P.S. 139 Rego Park, Monica Powers-Meade, Principal
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P.S. 160 Jamaica, Jermaine Garden, Principal
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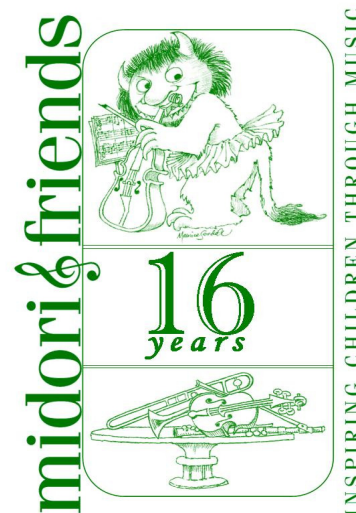
and P.S. 160

present

P.S. 160's Spring Concert

and

A Special Tribute to Rawn Harding



Wednesday, May 27th, 2009
7:00pm

P.S. 160 Auditorium

Jermaine Garden, Principal
Cheryl Bender, Assistant Principal
Cheryl Place, Assistant Principal
Judy Eisman, Arts Coordinator

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Dear Friends,

I wish I could be there with you for today's event in memory of Rawn Harding. This is a bittersweet occasion for all of us; we have lost the everyday company of our dear friend, but we have honored her in a meaningful, lasting way with this scholarship fund in her name.

Midori & Friends' connection with P.S. 160 and Judy Eisman goes as far back as Rawn's first days of working with me in the early 1990s, so it is most appropriate for us to gather here, where our programs have had a rewarding history and produced many musical memories. Rawn's assistance was instrumental in the early days of Midori & Friends, as many of you know.

I am especially grateful to those of you who contributed to the Rawn Harding Scholarship Fund, for your generous support in the name of a wonderful friend and colleague. The gift of music education is one that will last for lifetimes beyond our own.

Sincerely,



Midori

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About Midori & Friends

Founded in 1992 by the concert violinist Midori and a small Board of Directors, Midori & Friends provides children in underserved New York City public schools with comprehensive music education programs. Focusing on children with little or no access to the arts, our programs are offered at no cost to students and are available to all children regardless of skills, abilities, and backgrounds. Through general music activities, instrument instruction, and live performances, children develop their innate musical intelligence and gain a deep understanding and appreciation for the arts.

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P.S. 160's Spring Concert Selections

Studio of Yuko Shimokawa

Beginner Violin

See-Saw

Twinkle, Twinkle Little Star Variations by Shinichi Suzuki

Intermediate Violin

Ode To Joy Ludwig Van Beethoven

May Song Traditional Folk Song

Perpetual Motion Shinichi Suzuki

Andantino Shinichi Suzuki

Etude Shinichi Suzuki

Minuet I Johann Sebastian Bach

Advanced Violin

Allegro Shinichi Suzuki

Long, Long Ago T. H. Bayly

Perpetual Motion Shinichi Suzuki

Studio of Terry Szor

Percussion

Stew For Three Wally Barnett

Junior Band

Directed by Sean Lyons and Terry Szor

Mary Ann	Jamaican Folk Song
Shoo-Fly	American Folk Song
Surprise Symphony	Franz Haydn
London Bridge	English Folk Song
Skip To My Lou	American Folk Song
Mexican Jumping Beans	Mexican Folk Song
Donkey Round	American Folk Song
Frere Jacques	French Folk Song

Advanced Band

Directed by Sean Lyons and Terry Szor

When The Saints Go Marching in	John O'Reilly & Mark Williams
Clarinet Blues	John O'Reilly
Galactic Episode	John O'Reilly & Mark Williams
Eagle Summit March	John O'Reilly & Mark Williams
African Spirit Dance	John O'Reilly

**Our concert this evening is dedicated in memory of
Rawn Harding**



Rawn Harding was Midori's personal assistant for many years. Rawn had been trained as an actor at the Neighborhood Playhouse, worked in live television in the late 1950s, in off-Broadway and summer stock productions, and travelled widely. After her training in drama, Rawn studied at the Università per Stranieri in Perugia, Italy; following that, she administered and coordinated an important private art collection in Manhattan. Rawn was later hired as a personal assistant to violinist Isaac

Stern, and then became involved at ICM Artists, where she served as liaison between artists and venues in touring, travel, booking and publicity arrangements. Through many friends at ICM, and specifically Byron Gustafson, Rawn came to know Midori in the early 1990s. Their professional relationship continued for well over a decade, after which a trusted friendship endured.

Rawn herself was a born performer; she responded to all the performing arts, particularly those of music and dance. Beginning with exposure to jazz in the early fifties, she naturally gravitated toward serious music. Through Midori she deepened her understanding of classical music and became keenly engaged in music education. Rawn's inimitable presence enhanced the lives of all who came into her company, and the Midori & Friends scholarship in her memory pays special tribute to her passionate spirit and life-long enthusiasm for the arts.