

# The Temple Theatre

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## **BLUE LAKE INTERNATIONAL YOUTH SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA PERFORMING AT THE TEMPLE THEATRE**

SAGINAW, MI -- *95 YOUNG American Musicians to visit Saginaw this summer!* The announcement came today from Lois Bright Wilkins, CEO and President of BWIA-Michigan, Inc. and local Chairman for the international exchange project. The visiting group, known as the **Blue Lake International Youth Symphony Orchestra** will perform at the Temple Theatre on July 23, 2011 at 7pm and also at the Midland Center for the Arts on July 21, 2011 as a fundraising effort to support the *Beginning Strings Program of the Great Lakes Bay Region*.

**Blue Lake International Youth Symphony Orchestra** is made up of young musicians from Blue Lake Fine Arts Camp, a summer school of the arts located in Michigan. This Youth Symphony Orchestra is one of seven groups that will visit Europe this summer. A unique feature of Blue Lake's International Exchange Program is that the musical organizations which host the young Blue Lake musicians and dancers in their homes in Europe are invited to visit the USA for a two-week tour in the future. Since 1972, Blue Lake Fine Arts Camp has arranged tours in Michigan for over 460 young musical organizations from Germany, Belgium, Holland, England, Ireland, Denmark, Norway, Sweden, Luxembourg, Japan, Finland, Austria, Italy, Switzerland and Hungary.

Tickets go on sale to the general public on May 16 at 8:00am with advanced tickets \$5 for students with ID and \$14 for the general public. Day of the show, tickets are \$7 for students and \$16 for general public. Marquee Club Members are invited to purchase pre sale tickets on May 12 at 8:00 am. Tickets can be purchased by calling 877-754-SHOW, online at [www.templetheatre.com](http://www.templetheatre.com) or in person at 201 N. Washington Ave., Saginaw.

The Temple Theatre is located at 201 N. Washington Ave. in Saginaw. Box-office hours are Monday - Friday 8am to 6pm and Saturday 9am to 5pm. As always, there will be free parking and shuttle service from the Saginaw Tower, 515 N. Washington, two blocks north of the Temple.

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