

George, thank you, thank you. The Rio Hondo Symphony Association is so grateful to the Whittier Sunrise Rotary for its financial support of \$3,000 for the Children's Concert held on January 20, 2016. In addition you provided personnel to help unload and load the 34 buses carrying the 4th and 5th grade students to the concert. These members deserve a special thank you.

For 2017 we are again planning to hold the Children's Concert. The date is January 18, 2017. This concert will feature ballet dancers from th Nouveau Chamber Ballet in Peter and the Wolf. The tentative program is 'Symphonic Tales' and will include:

- Prokofiev: Peter and the Wolf
- Daniel Dorff: Goldilocks and the Three Bears

As you know our conductor Kimo Furumoto is able to establish a special rapport with the students as he conducts the orchestra program. We are once again requesting \$3,000 from the Whittier Sunrise Rotary to help fund this concert. The proposed budget for the concert is attached. Please let me know if I can provide further information to you about the concert.

Thanks again for your support.

Charles Barth

Treasurer, Rio Hondo Symphony Association