## Chamber Music Amici opens new concert season October 11, 2010

## **Short Version**

First Concert, 2010-11 Season, Chamber Music Amici

**Program**: Brahms Horn Trio, Bartok violin duos, Crusell Divertimento for oboe and string quartet.

**When**: 7:30 pm, Monday, October 11, 2010

Where: Richard E. Wildish Community Theater, 630 Main Street, Springfield, Oregon

**Who**: Core Musicians: Pilar Bradshaw, violin; Amy Goeser Kolb, oboe; Sharon Schuman, violin; Victor Steinhardt, piano; Guest Musicians: Holland Phillips, violin/viola; Lydia Van Dreel, French horn.

Free Pre-concert Performance: Saturday, October 9, 3:00 pm, Cascade Manor, 65 W 30th Ave.

**Tickets**: 541-953-9204: \$20/22 general; \$18/20 seniors; \$5 students with vouchers. **Contacts**: Sharon Schuman, Artistic Director, 345-3065, <a href="mailto:sschuman@uoregon.edu">sschuman@uoregon.edu</a>

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## **Long Version**

Chamber Music Amici, the first resident company of the Richard E. Wildish Community Theater in Springfield, opens its second season in the Wildish Theater in Springfield at 7:30 pm, Monday, October 11. Last season sold out, with overflow audience on stage. Concert 1 features one of the masterpieces of chamber music literature, the Brahms Horn trio. Also on the program will be feisty violin duos by Bàřtok and a Divertimento for oboe and string quartet by the Finnish Mozart, Bernard Crusell. After the music there will be a party on stage, catered by Excelsior Inn and Restaurant.

With the motto, "Creating community through great music," the mission of Chamber Music Amici is to produce excellent, affordable chamber music concerts which are fun for all ages. Over the season eight guest musicians will join the five core musicians: Pilar Bradshaw, violin; Amy Goeser Kolb, oboe, Steven Pologe, cello, Sharon Schuman, violin, and Victor Steinhardt, piano. Local audiences, governments, businesses, and foundations have embraced this new ensemble, turning the dream of a few musicians into a reality for a whole community. Tickets for October 11 are at 541-915-5352 and at chambermusicamici.org