

FEBRUARY

New Jersey Symphony Community Partners Monthly Highlights

This month, musicians served more than **850** community members of all ages, through **13** events across **6** New Jersey counties.

The Governor's Lunar New Year Celebration



On February 12, Xin Zhao and Frank Foerster performed for Governor Phil Murphy, the First Lady and other distinguished guests at the Governor's mansion in Princeton. The inaugural gathering was held to celebrate the Lunar New Year - The Year of the Dragon!



ABC's of My Feelings & Music

Three Yeshiva day schools got very emotional over the "ABC's of My Feelings and Music" program! With the help of Katherine Woo, Elzbieta Weyman and Hyewon Kim, the students explored how emotions can be conveyed through facial expression, body language and - of course - music! UJA proudly sponsored these events.



Rahway High School Pre-Concert Meet & Greet



On February 22, student musicians from Coach-in-Residence partner, Rahway High School, had a special afternoon at the Symphony! Before attending the orchestra's matinee performance, students received insider knowledge from Helen Vassiliou about her career path and the concert repertoire.

Masterclass at Monmouth Conservatory

For nearly five years, the Count Basie Center's Monmouth Conservatory of Music has supported collaboration between their students and our musicians. On February 24, Fran Rowell and Brennan Sweet conducted an engaging masterclass with some of the conservatory's talented, young musicians.



As always, thank you for your support of the Community Partners program – stay tuned for the next edition of Monthly Highlights!