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Bows and Bolognese, A Concert Fundraiser for The Marysville Charter Academy for the Arts and the Sutter Theater Main Stage

Marysville, CA. April 14, 2025 – So what the heck is a Bows and Bolognese fundraiser anyway? The bow part is not like a bow and arrow, but in this case rather like a musician's bow, the tensioned stick which has hair, usually horse-tail hair, coated in <u>rosin</u> affixed to it. It is moved across the strings of a <u>musical</u> instrument to cause <u>vibration</u>, which the instrument emits as <u>sound</u>. Bows are mostly used with <u>string</u> instruments, such as the <u>violin</u>, <u>viola</u>, <u>cello</u>, and <u>bass</u>. And the Bolognese? That's the delicious sauce associated with the city of Bologna. It's a slowly cooked meat-based sauce, which includes a characteristic <u>sofrito</u> of onion, celery, and carrots, and different types of minced or finely chopped <u>beef</u>, often alongside small amounts of fatty <u>pork</u>. White wine, milk, and a small amount of <u>tomato</u> <u>paste</u> or <u>tomato sauce</u> are added, and the dish is then gently <u>simmered</u> at length to produce a thick sauce. If that doesn't get your attention, no telling what will!

Now, with that all in mind, join with the Marysville Charter Academy for the Arts (MCAA) and Yuba Sutter Arts & Culture for a joint fundraiser titled Bows and Bolognese, an evening of great music and delicious food. The annual event was formerly known as Spaghetti and Strings. This unique music event will combine classical music with bluegrass and folk music. Enjoy the music of twenty talented student string performers from MCAA with your dinner. The evening will also include a silent auction, a dessert auction and a 50/50 raffle. The event is scheduled for April 26 at the Sutter Theater Center for the Arts, 754 Plumas Street in Yuba City. Doors open at 6pm. Tickets are \$35 and are available in advance at yubasutterarts.org or by calling (530) 742-ARTS. The bar will be open, and all your favorite adult beverages will be available for purchase. And while you're in the house, be sure to check out all the fantastic art in the lobby and Art Box Gallery created by local artists. Plenty of free parking is available in the adjacent parking lots and on the street. Please come out and show your support for the arts in our community.

MCAA is a college preparatory, secondary school whose curriculum emphasizes instruction in the literary, visual, and performing arts. MCAA has been providing outstanding educational opportunities and visual and performing arts classes and activities since opening in 2000-2001. Their Mission Statement is "Achieving Excellence Through Collaboration and the Arts."

About YSAC: Yuba Sutter Arts & Culture is a non-profit organization whose mission is to provide arts programming, education, advocacy, assistance and service to artists, organizations and residents of Yuba and Sutter Counties. The local affiliate for Yuba and Sutter of the California Arts Council, its programs include Arts in Education, Veterans Initiatives in the Arts, Arts in Corrections, Very Special Arts Festival, Convergence Theater Company, Center Stage Productions, the Yuba Sutter Big Band, Yuba Sutter Youth Choir, and many more.

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