



Newport Symphony Orchestra is the only professional symphony on the Oregon coast. The ensemble includes musicians from the coast, Eugene, Portland, Salem and beyond. Home base for the orchestra is the 400-seat Newport Performing Arts Center, just steps away from the gorgeous Oregon seashore in historic Nye Beach. Newport Symphony Orchestra is under the direction of Artistic Director Adam Flatt.

Newport Symphony Orchestra Principal Percussion Audition Repertoire 2024

EXCERPTS:

Xylophone

Gershwin - Overture to Porgy and Bess

Saint-Saens - Carnival of the Animals - Fossils

Bartok – Music for Strings, Percussion and celesta

Glockenspiel

Mozart - The Magic Flute (standard excerpt)

Snare Drum

Long snare roll (soft to loud to soft) over four bars of 4/4 at 60 to the quarter note.

Prokofiev - Peter and the Wolf, No. 49-51

Prokofiev - Lieutenant Kije, beginning - no. 2; no. 13-14

Ravel - Bolero

Shostakovich – Symphony no. 10

Cymbals

Tchaikovsky - Symphony no. 4, Mvt.4 (standard excerpt)

Tchaikovsky - Romeo and Juliet (standard excerpt)

Rachmaninoff - Piano Concerto #2, Mvt. 2 (standard excerpt)