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Dr. George Riordan
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Dear Dr. Riordan:

The preparation and recent concert production of *Concertino for Horn and Strings* by Lars-Erik Larsson by the members of the Murfreesboro Youth Orchestra, featuring faculty member Angela DeBoer, was a delightful experience for our students. This piece provided valuable educational and musical opportunities for members of the MYO. The professional and musical expertise of Ms. DeBoer enabled our students to heighten musical sensitivities and awareness on several different levels, and will prove invaluable in future endeavors by both individuals and the orchestra as a whole.

Thank you for making it possible for us to program this excellent piece by providing the rental fee. We are always grateful for your support and hospitality in the School of Music, and never want to take anything for granted. It's always a delight when we can work with your faculty members in unique ways, for it broadens and enriches the musical experience and training we strive to provide our student musicians.

Cordially,

Sarabeth Gheith
Conductor & Music Director

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