



The Rochester Flute Association is proud to present

Rebecca Gilbert

A Flute Masterclass

Saturday, March 19, 2022

Asbury First United Methodist Church, 1050 East Avenue, Rochester, NY

With the start of the 1996-1997 season, REBECCA GILBERT joined the Rochester Philharmonic Orchestra as Principal Flute in the Charlotte Whitney Allen Chair. As a regularly featured soloist, her expressive and versatile playing has illuminated the RPO's Philharmonics and Pops Series performances. Rebecca has also performed as Acting Principal Flutist of the St. Louis Symphony Orchestra and Guest Assistant Principal Flutist with the Boston Symphony at Tanglewood. Previous appointments include Principal Flutist of the Charleston (SC) Symphony and Second Flutist of the Dayton (OH) Philharmonic.



She is recently appointed as Adjunct Professor of Flute at Nazareth College, and has served as Instructor of Flute at Houghton College, Assistant Professor of Flute at Ithaca College, and Adjunct Faculty Flutist at the College of Mount St. Joseph in Cincinnati and the College of Charleston. Rebecca served as Visiting Artist in Residence at the Jeanne Baxtresser International Flute Masterclass at the Juilliard School and has given masterclasses in orchestral flute playing across the United States. She attended the Centre International De Formation Musicale in Nice, France and earned her MM from the Cincinnati College Conservatory of Music. Her principal flute teachers include Jeanne Baxtresser, Randolph Bowman, Kyril Magg, and Gwen Powell. She lives with her husband, two sons, and a Rhodesian Ridgeback in Irondequoit.

❖ Masterclass Information ❖

Four performers will be chosen by lottery from the applicants. Eighth thru twelfth grade students, collegiate, and adult performers may apply. Performers may prepare a standard solo from the flute repertoire OR two to three orchestral excerpts from the standard orchestral repertoire. Accompaniment is not required, but you may bring an accompanist if you so choose. Accepted performers in all categories will pay a \$35 Performer's Fee which includes the Spring Event admission. Teachers' recommendations are required for 8th—12th grade students to confirm their high level of preparation.

For more information call or email Alexandra Hine at 585-746-2678 or arosebarbato@gmail.com.

All applications must contain:

1. RFA Masterclass Application Form
2. Teacher Recommendation for 8th—12th grade students
3. Application may be emailed to rochesterfluteassociation@gmail.com or arosebarbato@gmail.com

Name _____ Email _____

Address _____ Phone _____

Check one: Grade 8-12 _____ College _____ Adult _____

Title of piece/excerpts to be performed _____

Composer _____

For 8TH—12TH grade applicants:

Teacher's name: _____

Teacher's signature: _____

*Teacher's recommendation: (please attach on a separate sheet)

APPLICATION DEADLINE: Must be received by Friday, March 11, 2022
NOTIFICATION BY: Tuesday, March 15, 2022