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### **THE JACKSON SYMPHONY TAPS NEW CONDUCTORS TO LEAD YOUTH ORCHESTRAS**

Dr. Daniel Hornstein to conduct The Jackson Symphony Youth Orchestra and  
Mrs. Joy Krimm to conduct Camerata Strings

**(Monday, August 2, 2010, Jackson, Tennessee)** ... Beginning this month, Dr. Daniel Hornstein and Mrs. Joy Krimm will step into the roles of conductors for The Jackson Symphony Youth Orchestra and Camerata Strings respectively. Taking the place of Elizabeth Weimer, Hornstein brings a long history of music education experience and orchestral conducting. Krimm will replace Dorthy Okpebholo who resigned at the end of last season to relocate to the Chicago area with former Union University professor and Board Member of The Jackson Symphony, Dr. Shawn Okpebholo.

Looking forward to working with the Jackson Symphony Youth Orchestra, Hornstein said "I'm honored to have to opportunity to work with such a fine group of young people. I'm really going to have to work hard to fill the shoes left by Elizabeth Weimer, who has brought the group so far! I anticipate no major changes of direction, but rather to continue the fine work she has done." Dr. Daniel Hornstein has had considerable experience in music education, symphonic, band and opera conducting. Since 2004, he has served as Director of the Orchestra Element of the Huntsville Arts Magnet Program at Lee High School, and will continue in that position this year while taking on his new duties in Jackson.

Hornstein received a Bachelor's in Music Education from Michigan State University, a M.M. in Orchestral/Opera Conducting from Peabody Conservatory in Baltimore and a doctorate in music education from North Texas State University. He served as a featured euphonium soloist in the Air Force Band for several years, and was awarded a Fulbright Scholarship to Germany, where he was a featured vocal soloist with the Munich Madrigal Choir, and studied conducting and cello in Germany and in the Czech Republic.

**Joy Fowler Krimm** holds a Master of Music degree in viola performance from the University of Hartford, a Bachelor of Music in viola performance from East Carolina University and completed long-term training in Suzuki Violin Pedagogy at East Carolina University. She is a member of and registered teacher with the Suzuki Association of the Americas and has maintained a private teaching studio for over 15 years. Before moving to Jackson, Joy developed and implemented a Suzuki program within the Montessori School of Anderson that spanned from pre-school through high school. She has extensive orchestral performing experience and is currently a member of the Jackson Symphony Orchestra. She is an adjunct music teacher at Bethel University and will be teaching at Union University through their Community Music Center in the fall. When asked about her plans for The Symphony's beginning string orchestra, Mrs. Krimm stated, "I look forward to working with the young artists in *Camerata* and hope to create an environment that will unlock their creative potential as we delve into the orchestral experience together."

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If you'd like to schedule an interview with Dr. Hornstein and/or Mrs. Krimm, please call Lynn White at 731-427-6440 or email [jso@aeneas.net](mailto:jso@aeneas.net)