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Julio "Koko" Sosa Performs for WGS Friday, March 19

Julio "Koko" Sosa, a virtuoso guitarist known for his unique style and masterful technique, is a native of Ucaha, Argentina, where he was raised by a family of musicians. His talents as a performer, composer, arranger, and conductor have allowed him to work with South America's greatest folk-music artists, as well as perform in the United States. As a soloist, Koko exhibits a special passion for his Argentinean roots with original pieces that reflect his country's many regional styles. Currently, he resides in Washington, DC, where, in addition to performing, he teaches at the Guitar Gallery in Cleveland Park.



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WGS Youth Concert Friday, April 23

It is time once again for all those young guitarists 18 and under to perform for the Washington Guitar Society. All levels are welcome and encouraged to participate. If you are interested in performing or if you are a teacher who has students that you would like to perform call John Rodgers at (202) 686-1020.

The concert will take place at the Washington Conservatory of Music, 5144 Massachusetts Ave., Bethesda, MD. Family and friends of the performers are welcome. The performances will begin at 7:30 pm.

From the President

Despite a smaller than usual turnout, we had a great Members Recital on January 22. We had a wonderful time, and I'm sorry more of you weren't there. You have plenty of advance notice now for the Youth Concert in April, so I hope everyone eighteen and under will prepare something for it.

I was pleasantly surprised to see some new advertisers in our last newsletter. I hope this is the beginning of a trend. I understand we will have an ad in the John E. Marlow Guitar Recital Series programs and we will advertise their concerts. This sounds to me like a good thing for all of us.

We are very fortunate to have performers contacting us and volunteering to do programs for us. Please keep it up so we can continue with the variety and quality we've been having. That's all for now.

John Rodgers

The Washington Guitar Society

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Bi-Monthly Newsletter
Members Recitals
Youth Concerts
Open Stage
\$15/year



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