

2025

The New York Flute Club presents

NEW YORK FLUTE FAIR
CREATIVE CONNECTIONS

GARY SCHOCKER
guest artist

CONCERTS • LECTURES • MASTERY CLASSES • WORKSHOPS • EXHIBITS • COMPETITIONS

SUNDAY
MARCH 30, 2025
9:00 AM - 8:00 PM

THE ALLEN - STEVENSON SCHOOL
132 EAST 78TH ST, NEW YORK NY 10075
(one block from the 77th Street stop on the 6 train)

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PROGRAM
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10:00 am

Flute Warm-Up, with **Lish Lindsey**

Ensemble Reading Session, with **Jayn Rosenfeld**

Musical Multiplicity with Jinni Rock-Bailey

11:00 am

Alexander Technique, Mindfulness, and Your Flute, with **Abbe Krieger**

Early Flutes: an introduction with **Boaz Berney**

Echoes of Piazzolla: The Flute's Improvisational Journey through Bandoneon Styles, with **Sarah Rulli**

Recital by **Winners of the Young Musicians Contest**

“Act One”: New Music by Celebrated Composers of Broadway, with **Janet Axelrod**

12:00 noon

Expressive Synergy: Movement & Music, with **Juan Carlos Narvaez**

Effortless Sound: The Power of Breath Coordination in Flute Playing, with **Vanessa Mulvey**

Flutists of the New Jersey Wind Symphony, with **Kristin Bacchiocchi-Stewart**

Bridging Eras: A Musical Conversation for Flute and Bassoon, with **Ashley Mendeke**

Estampas Latinas Flauta y Piano (Latin Works for Flute and Piano), with **Nora Lee Garcia**

1:00 pm

LUNCH BREAK: Attendees are encouraged to visit the exhibit hall.

2:00 pm

Alexander Technique for Comfort, Coordination, and Confidence, with **Fanny Wyrick-Flax**

Emotion and Fantasy: A DCFlutes Journey, with **Sandra Ragusa**, director

Shakuhachi Workshop, with **James Nyoraku Schlefer**

A Musical Tribute to Bonnie Lichter's Legacy, with **Soo-Kyung Park** and friends

3:00 pm

Musical Entrepreneurship: Creating your Own Playing Opportunities, with **Carla Auld**

Paramus High School Honors Flute Choir, **Tyler Adel**, director

Not Too Sweet: Flute Music Through a Culinary Lens, with **Annie Wu**

4:00 pm

Gary Schocker open mastery class—bring your flutes.

4:30 pm

Sharpen Your Improvisation Skills — Jazz Flute Workshop, with **Chip Shelton**

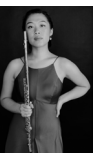
5:00 pm

NYFC Competition Finals

The NYFC Competition has been recognizing rising young artists aged 18-27 for over 40 years. Previous winners have gone on to distinguished solo careers and positions in major orchestras, and they teach in top conservatories and colleges. The finalists from our 2025 event will perform in a live competition round open to the Flute Fair audience.

7:00-8:00 pm

Gala Concert with guest artist **Gary Schocker** performing eight of his own compositions. He will be joined by flutist Keith Underwood and pianist Fumi Kuwajima.



GUEST ARTIST — GARY SCHOCKER



Gary Schocker is a flutist, pianist, harpist, prolific composer, and teacher. By age 15 he had performed as soloist with the Philadelphia Orchestra and the New York Philharmonic, the latter in a nationally televised Young People's Concert. He attended the Juilliard School and subsequently won several competitions. The most important of these was the Young Concert Artists International Auditions in 1985, which offered professional management, leading to his debut recital in NY. Mr. Schocker has since performed and taught around the world. As a composer, Gary Schocker has won many awards and has received commissions from instrumental societies, performing groups, and individuals. To date he has written more than 1,800 works, more than 300 of them currently in print. Decades of study of the Alexander Technique and Feldenkreis Methods has helped him develop his own teaching style. In addition to teaching a monthly virtual masterclass, which includes players from all around the globe, Mr. Schocker teaches at his home in New York City and, since 2003, at his summer master classes.

ANNUAL FLUTE FAIR EVENTS (all day, 10:00 am to 6:00 pm)

EXHIBITS



Flute vendors and makers, music publishers, and other members of the music industry will exhibit their products. This is the perfect opportunity to shop for a new flute or look for newly published music.

TAG SALE & FLUTE FAIR TABLE



Visit the tag sale for bargains on used music, CD's, vintage LP's, artwork, and other flute-related items. Everything is priced to sell! Contributions are welcome—clean out your closets and bring us your duplicate Kuhlaus and the pieces you no longer play. The NYFC table sells CDs and publications by NYFC members and guest artists. NYFC members may sell up to 10 items at the exhibit table. Members wishing to sell items may bring them to the table beginning at 9:00 am and must collect unsold items by 5:30 pm. Contact **Nancy Toff** at nancytoff@gmail.com for more information.

RAFFLE



Win a lesson/coaching session (your choice) with guest artist **Gary Schocker**. Tickets are \$10 for 1 ticket, \$25 for 3 tickets, and \$50 for 7 tickets. and can be purchased when you register online or at the fair.

PREREGISTER ONLINE
PREREGISTRATION DEADLINE: MARCH 23, 2025
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Guest Artist: **GARY SCHOCKER**

Sunday, March 30, 2025

Allen-Stevenson School, 132 East 78th Street, NYC

Concerts • Panels • Competition • Flute choirs • Exhibits • Workshops...

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

A single fee covers the full day's events.

NY Flute Club members	\$50
(\$10 higher at the door)	
Non-members	\$70
(\$10 higher at the door)	
Full-time Students/Seniors (65+)	\$25
(\$5 higher at the door)	
Non-flutist family members attending with full-time student	\$10
Non-flutist guests:	\$50
(\$10 higher at the door)	

Please register online through our website, www.nyfluteclub.org. The online registration **deadline is midnight on Tuesday, March 23, 2025**. Fair badges, which must be worn for admission to all events, will be distributed at the pre-registration desk beginning at 9:00 am on the day of the Fair. **PRE-REGISTER AND SAVE!**

SPECIAL TEACHER DISCOUNT

If three or more of your students pre-register for the Flute Fair you are eligible for the special teacher rate of \$40; students are \$25 each. This discount is available only for pre-registration.

HOURS

Registration	9:00 am–5:00 pm
Exhibits	10:00 am–6:00 pm
Events	10:00 am–8:00 pm

FOR MORE INFORMATION

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