



# Arts Education Program

## Friends of Mondavi Center

### Pre-Matinee Classroom Talks

## 2011-2012

We encourage teachers to take advantage of this wonderful opportunity for students to learn more about the school matinee they will be attending at the **Robert and Margrit Mondavi Center for the Performing Arts, UC Davis.**

Each season, **Friends of Mondavi Center** offer a thirty-minute docent visit to classrooms prior to several matinee performances. The docent visit is designed to be an enjoyable and informative talk on the matinee art form (music, dance, theatre, etc.), the artists' background, and tips on what to look for during the performance. The *free* talk takes place in your classroom and will be arranged to fit your schedule. Requests for docent visits are accepted up to two weeks before the performance.

### **Pre-matinee Classroom Talks are offered for:**

Yamato, Japanese Taiko Drum Ensemble	Friday, October 7, 2011
Hot 8 Brass Band	Tuesday, November 8, 2011 Wednesday, November 9, 2011
Mariachi Sol de México de José Hernández: <i>Mariachi Christmas</i>	Friday, December 9, 2011
CIRCA, <i>61 Circus Acts in 60 Minutes</i>	Monday, February 13, 2012
ODC/Dance, <i>The Velveteen Rabbit</i>	Monday, May 14, 2012

To schedule a pre-matinee classroom talk, please contact **Lydia Baskin, Scheduling Sub-chair, School Matinee Support Committee of Friends of Mondavi Center**, at (530) 756-6306 or [lobaskin@hotmail.com](mailto:lobaskin@hotmail.com)

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