



## 2025 Class Overview

Designed for Ellis County high school juniors and seniors, the Waxahachie Symphony Association’s Belles & Beaus Program is for families who want to enjoy beautiful music together and enhance their student’s education with cultural experiences. Over the season, Belles & Beaus attend WSA concerts and receive training by area experts in music appreciation, etiquette, and formal dancing.

The culmination of the Belles & Beaus Program is their presentation at a Gala held in their honor, which includes dinner and dancing. The Gala is formal dress with the Belles & Beaus in white formal gowns and elegant tuxedos, and guests in semi-formal or formal attire.

The program requires Belles & Beaus to attend or participate in:

- A minimum of 4 WSA concerts (*B&B must attend with a parent or family member*)

September 28	American Soprano Christina Major & Friends
November 16	Fort Worth Symphony Pops
December 20	Christmas Concert, Fort Worth Symphony Orchestra
March 23	Parker String Quartet
April 19	Fort Worth Symphony Orchestra Classical
May 17	Texas Gypsies

- Music Appreciation Class (TBD)
- Etiquette Class (TBD)
- Gala Rehearsal & Dance Class (TBD in May)
- Belles & Beaus Gala (TBD in May)

### **Program Dress Code:**

Belles & Beaus Dress Code for concerts and classes is dressy casual. This means that gentlemen wear khaki or navy pants, belt, shirt with a collar, dark shoes (not tennis shoes) and dark socks. Ladies wear a dress or a blouse with slacks or a skirt. No denim, please.

### **Expenses:**

- Tuition - \$500
- Belle or Beau’s long white dress and white gloves or Tux for the Gala
- Gala Tickets - NO charge for the Belles & Beaus and their date. Parents and guests will need to purchase individual tickets.

**Program Registration:**

Registration closes on Sunday, September 22nd. Space is limited. Students may register for Belles & Beaus via any of the following options.

- **Online**

- Download registration form at [waxahachiesymphony.org/belles-beaus](http://waxahachiesymphony.org/belles-beaus), email completed application to Molly Denny, PhD at [mollydenny6@gmail.com](mailto:mollydenny6@gmail.com)
- Make tuition payment on website by Sunday, September 22nd

- **By Mail**

- Download and mail completed application with check for tuition payment to WSA's post office box:

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**We look forward to a wonderful year!!!**