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The St. Louis Symphony Volunteer Association champions the mission of the SLSO: enriching lives through the power of music. Originally founded in 1923, the SVA has been key to the SLSO’s success for nearly a century. Through unique education programs, advocacy, fundraising projects, and musical fellowship, SVA members support the SLSO and reach thousands of students every year.

Each season, the SVA makes a substantial impact on the SLSO and the St. Louis community...

- 300 members
- 11,500 volunteer hours
- 35,000 students impacted by SVA volunteerism
- 2,100 Powell Hall tour guests led by SVA members
- 18 education concerts with volunteers welcoming students and teachers
- 14,000 works of art, poetry, & prose by K-12 students for Picture and Express the Music programs
- Millions of dollars raised & contributed in total to the SLSO
- 13,000 donuts distributed at Coffee Concerts
- 10 Instrument Playground events for students to try out orchestral instruments
- 25+ Advocacy Committee members working to ensure state funding for the arts and the SLSO

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