

Bergüzar Korel surprise for children at 23rd of April IDSO DenizBank Special Concert

This week at IDSO (Istanbul State Symphony Orchestra) DenizBank Concerts was marked by a classical music festival dedicated to 23rd of April National Sovereignty and Children's Festival.

During the first part of the concert conducted by Howard Griffiths who has launched extraordinary projects and supported young musicians, child soloists took the stage while the famous Turkish actress Bergüzar Korel entertained the little ones as a narrator of the "Witch and the Maestro" by the conductor Griffiths.

With DenizBank having assumed the corporate sponsorship of IDSO for 12 years driven by the mission of supporting culture-art life of Turkey, IDSO DenizBank concerts continue at full steam.

As part of the April 23rd National Sovereignty and Children's Festival, the concert was held in Caddebostan Cultural Center and offered children a full classical music feast.

Istanbul State Symphony Orchestra run by the Conductor Howard Griffiths was accompanied by child soloists Kaan Baysal (piano), Elfida Su Turan (violin) and İdil Olgar (violin) who are featured as the shining stars of Turkey during the first part of the concert. "Piano Concert" No 12 KV 414 (1st part) by Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart, "Double Violin Concert" Johann Sebastian Bach (1st part) and "Witch and Maestro" a musical tale by Howard Griffiths for children were played, while Bergüzar Korel entertained the kids as a narrator of "Witch and Maestro" by Howard Griffiths.

Detailed information on IDSO DenizBank Concerts is available on www.idso.gov.tr.

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