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YOUNGSTOWN, OH.-- Two special guests, violinist Keiko Abe Peritz, and pianist Judy Bruce, will present a public concert at 2 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 23, at Bliss Recital Hall, Youngstown State University.

Their appearance is part of the Dana Concert Series, presented by the Dana School of Music, YSU College of Fine and Performing Arts. The concert is free.

At 8 p.m. the same day, Norwegian French horn virtuoso Froydis Ree Wekre will present a free, public concert at Bliss Recital Hall as part of the Dana Guest Artist Series.

Peritz, a graduate of Tokyo University of Fine Arts, studied in Japan under Czech violinist M. Hlunova and German Professor W. Hanke, concertmaster of the Berlin Philharmonic. She won first prize in competition at Vienna in 1968. She played with the Tokyo Metropolitan Symphony and Tokyo Symphony, was soloist with the Hiroshima Symphony and toured Japan with the Allegheny Trio. She now lives and teaches in Butler, Pa.

Bruce is a graduate of Carnegie Mellon-University and YSU, where she received bachelor of arts and master of music degrees. She studied with Vivian Rivkin of New York, Adele Marcus of the Juilliard School of Music, Harry Franklin of Pittsburg and YSU's Dr. Robert Hopkins. She has taught and done extensive concert work in the area, and has been rehearsal pianist for the Youngstown Symphony's opera chorus, as well as making guest appearances throughout the area.

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