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### **Almondine Woodwind Quintet to Perform at Central Library** *Program Will Include Works by Milhaud, Danzi, Ropartz and Schuller*

**SAN DIEGO** – The fifth concert of the 2009 Winter/Spring Concert Series of the City of San Diego Public Library will take place on Sunday, April 26, with the Almondine Woodwind Quintet, featuring Cathy Blickenstaff, flute; Scott Paulson, oboe; Robert Zelikman, clarinet; Jane Zwerneman, French horn; and William Propp, bassoon. The FREE program will be held at 2:30 p.m. in the third floor auditorium of the Central Library, 820 E St., in downtown San Diego.

The program will include the following:

Prelude and Blues from *Suite for Woodwind Quintet*, by Gunther Schuller  
*Deux Pièces* (Two Pieces), by Guy Ropartz  
*La Cheminée du Roi René* (King Rene's Outing), by Darius Milhaud  
*Quintet in F Major*, op. 68, no. 2, by Franz Danzi

The Almondine Woodwind Quintet is a new ensemble composed of players from the San Diego Chamber Orchestra, Lyric Opera San Diego and the La Jolla Symphony Orchestra. The group's repertoire extends from 18<sup>th</sup>-century wind music to new compositions of the 20th and 21st centuries.

The concert is free and open to the public. Free parking is available at the Five Star Parking lot adjacent to the Library on Broadway and 8th. In addition, parking meters are not enforced on Sundays, and other pay parking lots are available in the vicinity of the library.

For further information, please call the Library's Art, Music and Recreation Section at 236-5810, or visit the Library web site at [www.sandiegolibrary.org](http://www.sandiegolibrary.org).

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