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Associate Professor of Biology PZ Myers and Assistant Professor of Music J. Wesley Flinn will lead the discussion.

MORRIS, Minnesota (February 10, 2016)—The next Café Scientifique will take place on Tuesday, February 23, at 6 p.m. at the Common Cup Coffeehouse (501 Atlantic Avenue, Morris, MN 56267). Associate Professor of Biology PZ Myers and Assistant Professor of Music J. Wesley Flinn will lead the conversation: “Music and the Brain.”

Science and the arts will intersect in this discussion about music, cognition, and development. Myers and Flinn will pose such questions as “How do we hear music, how do we interpret what we hear, and can we train ourselves to hear differently?”

Café Scientifique is an ongoing series that offers a space where anyone can come to explore the latest ideas in science and technology for the price of a cup of coffee. Meetings take place outside of a traditional academic context and are committed to promoting public engagement with science.

Interested audiences can look forward to additional discussions, typically held on the last Tuesday of selected months. All are welcome to attend. Participation is encouraged.

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