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GLORIOUS MUSIC ON TAP IN APRIL BY THE MUSICIANS OF THE LADIES MUSICAL CLUB

Programs to feature American Popular Song Concert; Mozart Masterworks, including Requiem Selections for Voice and Chamber Ensemble; a Tribute to NW Composer Bert Herbolsheimer; a Spectacular Piano Arrangement for 4 Hands of Mozart's Eine Kleine Nachtmusik; and Brahms' Liebeslieder Waltzes for Voice and Piano 4 Hands

Ladies Musical Club is one of the <u>top 14 best free events in Seattle</u>.

—Lonely Planet

Seattle, WA – March 17, 2017 – The musicians of the Ladies Musical Club of Seattle (LMC) will present eight FREE public concerts during April 2017 at Seattle Art Museum, Frye Art Museum, Seattle Central Public Library, West Seattle Library, University House Wallingford, Bellevue's Crossroads Community Center Theater, Mirabella and Music Center of the Northwest (MCNW) (venue addresses and full concert listing with featured musicians are below). All programs are FREE and performed in an intimate-setting. They are appropriate for all ages and approximately one-hour in length.

April 1 at 2:00 p.m. at Frye Art Museum – Movement III from Mozart's "A Musical Joke;" Hadyn's "The Joke" String Quartet; and a piano recital of late 19th and 20th century works

April 6 at 12:00 p.m. at Seattle Art Museum – Recorder duets of music by Telemann and Hirose; and a folksong Tribute to Northwest composer Bern Herbolsheimer, including his arrangement of "Danny Boy"

April 9 at 3:00 p.m.at West Seattle Library – Oboe, bassoon and piano trio present "Up and Away: The Story of a Balloon" by Alyssa Morris; a French work, "Trio de Salon;" and a folk-song Tribute to Northwest composer Bern Herbolsheimer, including his arrangement of "Danny Boy"

April 10 at 7:30 p.m. at University House/Wallingford – Delightful selections of American Popular Songs with special arrangements for voice, violin and piano

April 12 at 12:00 p.m. at Seattle Central Public Library – Mahler's song-cycle *Rückert Lieder* for voice and piano; Beethoven's "The Tempest" piano sonata; and Chopin's *Grande Waltz*

April 21 at 7:00 p.m. at Bellevue's Crossroads Community Center Theatre – LMC's newest musician-members are featured. Spanish and French Art songs; a Brahms' viola sonata; and a selection from von Weber's *Der Freischütz*

April 22 at 7:30 p.m. at Music Center of the Northwest – Oratorio and operatic works of Mozart with voices and chamber ensemble. A 90-minute program with intermission and refreshments following the concert

April 30 at 3:00 p.m. at Mirabella (South Lake Union) – Mozart's Eine Kleine Nachtmusik, arranged for piano

A full 2016–2017 season schedule is available on the LMC website at: http://lmcseattle.org/concerts-events/public-concerts/. All performances are FREE and open to the public. Most performances are one-hour in length. During the season, LMC also will bring classical and world music to Seattle Public Schools through its Music in Schools program that collaborates with Meany Center for the Performing Arts. In June, the 2017 Frances Walton Competition will be held that expands the careers of 20-35 year old classical artists in piano, voice, strings and instruments, who live, work or study in Western states.

For more information about Ladies Musical Club of Seattle, public concert performance schedule and donation options, visit www.lmcseattle.org. Ladies Musical Club of Seattle may be found on Facebook.

About Ladies Musical Club of Seattle

Ladies Musical Club of Seattle was founded in 1891 by a group of 24 women musicians. Its original mission was to foster an appreciation of classical music in the cultural life of a city that was just starting to find its identity. For more than a century, LMC presented a stellar International Artist Series whose make up is literally a Who's Who list of classical music artist luminaries such as: Sergei Rachmaninoff, Fritz Kreisler, Jascha Heifetz, Marian Anderson, Kirsten Flagstad, Artur Rubinstein, Vladimir Horowitz, Marilyn Horne, Alicia de Larrocha, Nadja Salerno-Sonnenberg, Joshua Bell, and the Chicago Symphony Orchestra, the New York Symphony Orchestra, and the London Chamber Orchestra as well. See the entire list. Although no longer able to afford such artist fees, LMC continues to foster classical music in the community through education, performance and awards. MOHAI houses LMC's historical archives.

-All programs, artists and dates subject to change-

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LMC PUBLIC CONCERT VENUES AND ADDRESSES

Crossroads Community Center/Theater, 16000 N. E. 10th Street, Bellevue Frye Art Museum/Frye Auditorium, 704 Terry Avenue, Seattle Mirabella/Emerald Hall, 116 Fairview Avenue North, Seattle Music Center of the Northwest, 901 North 96th Street, Seattle Seattle Art Museum/Plestcheeff Auditorium, 1300 1st Avenue, Seattle Seattle Central Public Library/Microsoft Auditorium, 1000 4th Avenue, Seattle University House/Wallingford, 4400 Stone Way North, Seattle West Seattle Library, 2306 42nd Avenue S.W., Seattle

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APRIL 2017 Ladies Musical Club FREE Concert Schedule

A Musical Joke, K. 522 III. Adagio cantabile

W.A. Mozart (1756- 1791)

String Quartet, Op. 33, No. 2 "The Joke"
Allegro moderato, cantabile
Scherzo
Largo sostenuto
Presto

Joseph Haydn (1732-1809)

Kathy Zufall & Ann Rackl, violins Janice Gockel, viola, and Frances Walton, cello

Deux pieces pour piano Sonata-Fantasy, Op. 19 The Anne Landa Preludes Esquisses de jazz Germaine Tailleferre (1892-1983) Alexander Scriabin (1872-1915) Carl Vine (b. 1954) Erwin Schulhoff (1894-1942)

Stephanie Shadbolt, piano

Seattle Art Museum Thursday, April 6, 2017 at 12:00 p.m.

"Die Nachtigall" from *Der Fluyten Lust-Hof* Sonata No. 1 in F major Ode II Jacob van Eyck (1590–1657) G.P. Telemann (1681–1767) Ryōhei Hirose (1930–2008)

Jill Carlsen and Sabine Endrigkeit, recorders

The Ballad: Stories in Song "A Tribute to Bern Herbolsheimer (1948-2016)"

Danny Boy by Irish trad., arr. Julie Knowles, b. 1948 From American Folk Song Settings The Silvery Moon Wicked Polly William Cook Uncle Joe

American trad., arr. Bern H. Herbolsheimer

 $\textbf{Lesley Chapin}, \, \text{soprano}, \, \text{and } \, \textbf{Carol Hartoon}, \, \text{piano}$

West Seattle Library Sunday, April 9, 2017 at 3:00 p.m.

Up and Away - The Story of a Balloon

Alyssa Morris (b. 1984)

Trio de Salon

Red River Valley

Marie Félice Clémence de Reiset, Vicomtesse de Grandval (1830-1907)

Gail Perstein, oboe; Eric Shankland, bassoon (guest performer); Nobuko Hasegawa, piano

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University House, Wallingford Monday, April 10, 2017 at 7:30 p.m.

American Popular Song Concert

Lullaby of Birdland (1954) "It's De-Lovely" from Anything Goes (1934)	Harry Warren (1893-1981) Cole Porter (1891-1994)
"Cheek to Cheek" from <i>Top Hat</i> (1935)	Irving Berlin (1888-1989)
"My funny valentine" from <i>Babes in Arms</i> (1937)	ichard Rodgers (1902-1979)
Fly me to the Moon (1954)	Bart Howard (1915-2004)
Cry me a River (1953)	Arthur Hamilton (1896-1985)
Misty (1954)	Erroll Garner (1923-1977)
"Make someone happy" from <i>Do-Re-Mi</i> (1960)	Jule Styne (1905-1994)
"So in love" from Kiss me Kate (1949)	Cole Porter (1891-1994)
Didn't we	Jimmy Webb (b. 1946)
Stormy Weather (1933)	Harold Arlen (1905-1986)
"On a Clear Day" from On a Clear Day you can see Forever (1965) Alan Jay Lerner (1918-1986)	
"The Shadow of your Smile" from <i>The Sandpiper</i> (1965)	Johnny Mandel (b. 1925)
"Somewhere Over the Rainbow" from The Wizard of Oz	Harold Arlen (1905-1986)
"I'll Be Seeing You" from Right this Way (1938)	Sammy Fain (1902-1989)
When I have Sung my Songs to You (1934)	Ernest Charles (1895-1984)

Sharon Annette Lancaster, mezzo-soprano Johanna Mastenbrook, piano Ann Rackl, violin

Seattle Central Library Wednesday, April 12, 2017 at 12:00 p.m.

Rückert-Lieder Gustav Mahler (1860-1911)

"Ich atmet' einen linden Duft" (I breathed a gentle fragrance)

"Liebst du um Schönheit" (If you love for beauty)

"Um Mitternacht" (At midnight)

"Blicke mir nicht in die Lieder!" (Do not look at my songs!)

"Ich bin der Welt abhanden gekommen" (I am lost to the world)

Alexandra Picard, soprano, and Glenda Williams, piano

Sonata No. 17 in D minor, Op. 31, No. 2 "Tempest" Ludwig van Beethoven (1770-1827)

Grande Waltz, Op. 42 Frédéric Chopin (1810-1849)

Maria Khavin, piano

Crossroads Community Center Friday, April 21 2017 at 7:30 p.m.

Après un rêve (After a dream)
Chanson triste (Sad song)
L'invitation au voyage (The invitation to travel)

Gabriel Fauré (1845-1924) Henri Duparc (1848-1933) Henri Duparc

Lin Chen, soprano Grace Huang, piano

Viola Sonata in E-flat major, Op. 120, No. 2

Johannes Brahms (1833-1897)

Yi Zhou, viola Grace Huang, piano

¿Con qué la lavaré? (With what shall I bathe?)

"Asturiana" (Asturian song)

"Las locas por amor" (Crazy for Love)

Joaquin Rodrigo (1901-1999) Manuel de Falla (1876-1946) Joaquin Turina (1882-1949)

Diane Althaus, soprano Grace Huang, piano

"Schelm, halt fest" from Der Freischütz

Carl Maria von Weber (1786-1826)

Lin Chen, soprano, as Ännchen Diane Althaus, soprano as Agathe Grace Huang, piano

> **Music Center of the Northwest** Saturday, April 22 at 7:00 p.m.

Celebrating Masterworks of Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart (1756-1791)

Duets for two oboes arranged by Gail Perstein, Edited by Gunther Joppig

"Non più andrai" from Le nozze di Figaro

"Voi, che sapete" from Le nozze di Figaro

"Der Vogelfänger bin ich ja" from Die Zauberflöte

"Ein Madchen oder Weibchen" from Die Zauberflöte

Gail Perstein and Sharon Jung, oboes

"Laudamus te" from Mass in C minor, K. 427

Gwen Trussler, mezzo-soprano

"Et incarnatus est" from Mass in C minor, K. 427

Meg Daly, soprano

Serenade No. 10 in B-flat major, Movement III. Adagio, K.361 Piano concerto No. 23 in A major, Movement II. Adagio, K.488

Lucy Wenger, piano

Requiem, K. 626

- Ι. Introit/Kyrie
- Dies irae II.
- III. Tuba mirum
- IV. Rex tremendae
- Recordare ٧.
- VI. Confutatis
- VII. Lacrimosa

LMC Member musicians

Meg Daly, soprano Ann Rackl, violin Gail Perstein, oboe Gwen Trussler, mezzo-soprano Emily Riesser, soprano Janice Gockel, viola Sharon Jung, oboe

Terry Cook, cello Lucy Wenger, piano Candice Chin. violin Madeline Beery, flu Eun Cho, conducto

Guest Artists Sarah Peniston, bassoon Jon Brenner, violone James Walters, tenor Lisa Arden Wright, soprano Glenn Nielsen, bass Emily Robinson, alto Cary Lee, tenor Gus Blazek, bass JJ Barrett, French horn Greta Birkby, alto Justin Kalm, tenor Ron Knoebel, bass

Mirabella, Emerald Hall Sunday, April 30, 2017 at 3:00 p.m.

Sonata No. 3 in F minor, Op. 5, No. 2 (Andante Espressivo)

Johannes Brahms (1833-1897)

Valentina Rodov, piano

Eine kleine Nachtmusik (Serenade No. 13 for strings in G major), K. 525

W.A. Mozart (1756-1791)

arranged for piano 4 hands

Valentina Rodov and Johanna Mastenbrook, piano

Liebeslieder Waltzer (Love song waltzes), Op. 52

Johannes Brahms (1833-1897)

Leslie Stark, soprano Kathryn Vinson, alto
Brian Minnick (guest artist), tenor Renwick Hester (guest artist), bass
Johanna Mastenbrook & Valentina Rodov, piano 4 hands