



**ASPEN MUSIC  
FESTIVAL  
AND SCHOOL  
75th Anniversary**



JOSHUA BELL

# 2024 SEASON CALENDAR

**JUNE 26—AUGUST 18**

Music Director  
**ROBERT SPANO**

President and CEO  
**ALAN FLETCHER**

**WEEK  
ONE**

## WEDNESDAY JUNE 26

**| 10:30**

Wheeler Opera House and  
AMFS History Tour (Free; ticket required)

*Wheeler Opera House Lobby*

**| 10:30**

Tunes and Tales  
(Free; for ages 8 and under with an adult)

*Basalt Regional Library*

**| 7:30**

A Recital by Harmony Zhu<sup>A</sup>  
piano (\$55)

*Harris Concert Hall*

R. SCHUMANN:  
Fantasiestücke,  
op. 12

SKRYABIN: Piano  
Sonata No. 2 in G-sharp minor,  
op. 19, "Sonata-Fantasy"

—  
RAVEL: *Gaspard de la nuit*

CHOPIN: Fantasy in F minor,  
op. 49

RECITAL  
STREAMS  
LIVE  
FREE!

## THURSDAY JUNE 27

**| 10:30**

Tunes and Tales  
(Free; for ages 8 and under with an adult)

*Pitkin County Library*

**| 4:00**

Community Pride  
Celebration (Free)

*Meadows Campus*

Enjoy a celebration of identity and life with LGBTQIA+ people and allies.

**| 6:00**

Special Event: An Evening  
with Chris Thile mandolin  
and Orchestra (\$65)

*Harris Concert Hall*

Teddy Abrams<sup>A</sup> conductor  
Aspen Festival Ensemble  
Artists of Aspen Opera  
Theater and VocalARTS

—  
COPLAND: Suite from  
Appalachian Spring

CHRIS THILE/ROB MOOSE:  
Escape from the Tuileries

CAROLINE SHAW: And So

J. S. BACH: Allegro from  
Concerto for Two Violins  
and Orchestra in D minor,  
BWV 1043

—  
CHRIS THILE: ATTENTION!  
A narrative song cycle for  
extroverted mandolin and  
orchestra.

## FRIDAY JUNE 28

**| 9:00**

Aspen Chamber Symphony  
Dress Rehearsal (\$20)

*Klein Music Tent*

**| 4:30**

Overtures: Preconcert  
Chamber Music (Free)

*Harris Concert Hall*

Yuval Chen piano

—  
RACHMANINOFF: Piano  
Sonata No. 2 in B-flat minor,  
op. 36

**| 5:30**

Chamber Symphony:  
Trifonov Plays Mozart  
(\$92, \$75, \$45)

*Klein Music Tent*

James Gaffigan<sup>A</sup> conductor  
Daniil Trifonov piano

—  
DEBUSSY: *Prélude à l'après  
midi d'un faune* (Prelude to  
the Afternoon of a Faun)

—  
MOZART: Piano Concerto  
No. 9 in E-flat major, K. 271,  
"Jeunehomme"

—  
JOEL THOMPSON<sup>A</sup>: To  
See the Sky (AMFS Co-  
Commission)

R. SCHUMANN: Symphony  
No. 4 in D minor, op. 120



RENÉE FLEMING<sup>A</sup>

## SATURDAY JUNE 29

**| 10:00**

Opera Encounters: Arias  
and Scenes (\$40)

*Wheeler Opera House*

Renée Fleming<sup>A</sup> and  
Peter Sellars hosts

**| 1:00**

Music on the Mountain  
(Free; gondola ticket  
required)

*Top of Aspen Mountain*

**| 4:30**

Chamber Music (\$45)

*Harris Concert Hall*

Aspen Contemporary  
Ensemble

Donald Crockett conductor

Jonathan Haas<sup>A</sup> conductor

Anton Nel piano

Myra Huang piano

Ed Stephan percussion

Cynthia Yeh<sup>A</sup> percussion

James Dunham viola

Isabella Butler percussion

Darrett Adkins<sup>A</sup> cello

Bing Wang<sup>A</sup> violin

Desmond Hoebig cello

—  
JIHYUN KIM: Once Upon a  
Time

MORTON SUBOTNICK: The  
Key to Songs

—  
SCHUBERT: Piano Trio in  
B-flat major, D. 898, op. 99

**| 7:30**

A Recital by Daniil Trifonov  
piano and Sergei Babayan  
piano (\$85)

*Harris Concert Hall*

SCHUMANN/SERGEI

BABAYAN: Andante and  
Variations, Op. 46

—  
MOZART: Sonata for Two  
Pianos in D major, K 448

—  
RACHMANINOFF: Suite No. 1  
for Two Pianos, Fantaisie-  
tableaux, op. 5

RACHMANINOFF: Suite No. 2  
for Two Pianos, op. 17

## SUNDAY JUNE 30

**| 9:00**

AMFS Architectural and  
History Tour (Free; ticket  
required)

*Paepcke Terrace*

**| 9:30**

Aspen Festival Orchestra  
Dress Rehearsal (\$20)

*Klein Music Tent*

**| 2:30**

75th Anniversary Party  
(Free)

*David Karetsky Music Lawn*

Join us to kick off the AMFS's 75th anniversary with family friendly fun and refreshments. Wear your AMFS swag from years past!

**| 3:00**

Prelude: Preconcert Talk  
(Free)

*Harris Concert Hall*

Patrick Chamberlain speaker

**| 4:00**

Festival Orchestra:  
Renée Fleming<sup>A</sup>,  
Pines of Rome  
(\$92, \$75, \$45)

*Klein Music Tent*

Robert Spano  
conductor

Renée Fleming<sup>A</sup> soprano

—  
R. STRAUSS: *Also sprach  
Zarathustra*, op. 30

—  
ALAN FLETCHER: *Three  
American Songs* (World  
Premiere, AMFS Co-  
Commission)

R. STRAUSS: Muttertändelei,  
op. 43 no. 2

Die Zeit, die ist  
ein Sonderbar  
Ding from *Der  
Rosenkavalier*,  
op. 59

Cécilie, op. 27  
no. 2

—  
RESPIGHI: Pines of Rome

CONCERT  
STREAMS  
LIVE  
FREE!

<sup>A</sup>denotes an alumna or alumnus of the AMFS

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**MONDAY  
JULY 1**

**| 7:00**  
A Concert Presentation of  
Matthew Aucoin's *Music  
for New Bodies* (\$40)

Wheeler Opera House  
Timothy Weiss conductor  
Peter Sellars director  
Aspen Contemporary  
Ensemble  
Singers from Aspen Opera  
Theater and VocalARTS

MATTHEW AUCOIN: *Music  
for New Bodies* (AMFS Co-  
Commission)

ALISA  
WEILERSTEIN<sup>A</sup>



**TUESDAY  
JULY 2**

**| 10:30**  
Wheeler Opera House and  
AMFS History Tour (Free;  
ticket required)

Wheeler Opera House Lobby

**| 4:00**  
Leonard Bernstein's  
Young People's Concerts  
Presented by Carnegie  
Hall+ — Who is Gustav  
Mahler? (\$10; Free for ages  
18 and under)

Wheeler Opera House

**| 6:00**  
Violin Competition (Free)  
Hurst Hall, Bucksbaum Campus

**| 6:00**  
Recital: FRAGMENTS I with  
Alisa Weilerstein<sup>A</sup> cello  
(\$55)  
Harris Concert Hall

**| 8:00**  
Wind Orchestra (\$20)  
Klein Music Tent  
Joaquín Valdepeñas<sup>A</sup>  
conductor

GIPPS: Seascape, op. 53  
MOZART: Wind Serenade in  
B-flat major, K. 361, "Gran  
Partita"

**WEDNESDAY  
JULY 3**

**| 10:30**  
Wheeler Opera House and  
AMFS History Tour (Free;  
ticket required)

Wheeler Opera House Lobby

**| 10:30**  
Tunes and Tales (Free; for  
ages 8 and under with an  
adult)

Basalt Regional Library

**| 10:30**  
Tunes and Tales (Free; for  
ages 8 and under with an  
adult)  
Pitkin County Library

**| 12:00**  
High Notes Discussion  
(Free; ticket required)  
Bad Harriet, Hotel Jerome  
Alan Fletcher moderator  
Fletcher talks with cellist Alisa  
Weilerstein and pianist Inon Barnatan.

**| 5:00**  
Aspen Conducting  
Academy Orchestra (\$20)  
Klein Music Tent

BRIAN RAPHAEL NABORS:  
Onward  
COLERIDGE-TAYLOR: Ballade  
in A minor, op. 33  
BRITTEN: Four Sea Interludes,  
from *Peter Grimes*, op. 33a

BRAHMS: Symphony No. 3 in  
F major, op. 90

**| 6:00**  
Artist Dinner with Augustin  
Hadelich violin (\$750)  
Private Residence

**| 7:30**  
Recital: FRAGMENTS II  
with Alisa Weilerstein<sup>A</sup>  
cello (\$55)  
Harris Concert Hall

**THURSDAY  
JULY 4**

**| 4:00**  
Fourth of July Concert  
(Free)

Klein Music Tent

Lawrence Isaacson<sup>A</sup> conductor  
National Youth Pipe Band of  
Scotland

The annual free Independence Day  
celebration brings the AMFS Band to  
the Tent stage with stirring patriotic  
favorites. A beloved tradition.

**| 6:00**  
String Showcase (Free)  
Edlis Neeson Hall, Bucksbaum  
Campus

**FRIDAY  
JULY 5**

**| 9:00**  
Aspen Chamber Symphony  
Dress Rehearsal (\$20)  
Klein Music Tent

**| 9:00**  
AMFS Architectural and  
History Tour (Free; ticket  
required)  
Paepcke Terrace

**| 12:30**  
The Art of Listening (Free)  
Crossroads Church  
Tom Buesch speaker

**| 1:00**  
Piping Class with The  
National Piping Centre of  
Scotland (Free)  
Wheeler Opera House  
Findlay MacDonald bagpipes

**| 2:30**  
Spotlight Recital (Free)  
Pitkin County Library 4:30  
Overtures: Preconcert  
Chamber Music (Free)  
Harris Concert Hall  
Itamar Esformes piano  
student of Anton Nel  
RACHMANINOFF: Études-  
tableaux, op. 33

**FRIDAY (continued)**

**| 5:30**  
Chamber Symphony:  
Inon Barnatan, Haydn  
Symphonies (\$92, \$75, \$45)  
Klein Music Tent  
Nicholas McGegan  
conductor  
Inon Barnatan  
piano  
Stuart Stephenson<sup>A</sup> trumpet  
Michael Rusinek clarinet  
Nancy Goeres<sup>A</sup> bassoon



HAYDN: Symphony No. 31  
in D major, Hob. I/31  
"Hornsignal"  
SHOSTAKOVICH: Piano  
Concerto No. 1 in C minor,  
op. 35

R. STRAUSS: Duet-  
Concertino  
HAYDN: Symphony No. 100  
in G major, Hob. I/100,  
"Military"

**SATURDAY  
JULY 6**

**| 10:00**  
Opera Encounters: Art  
Song Recital (\$40)  
Wheeler Opera House  
Myra Huang host

**| 1:00**  
Music on the Mountain  
featuring The National  
Piping Centre of Scotland  
(Free; gondola ticket  
required)  
Top of Aspen Mountain

**| 1:30**  
Spotlight Recital (Free)  
Aspen Community Church

**SATURDAY (continued)**

**| 4:30**  
Chamber Music (\$45)  
Harris Concert Hall  
Aspen Contemporary  
Ensemble, Donald Crockett  
conductor, Laura Gamboa  
violin, Bing Wang<sup>A</sup> violin  
Renata Arado<sup>A</sup> violin, Cornelia  
Heard<sup>A</sup> violin, Naoko Tanaka<sup>A</sup>  
violin, Anton Nel piano  
Alexander Ishov flute, Victoria  
Chiang<sup>A</sup> viola, Emily Levin<sup>A</sup>  
harp, Augustin Hadelich violin  
Inon Barnatan piano

JESSIE MONTGOMERY:  
Concerto Grosso (AMFS Co-  
Commission)  
LEO: Concerto for Four Violins  
and Continuo  
DEBUSSY: Sonata for Flute,  
Viola, and Harp  
CHAUSSON: Concert in D  
major, op. 21

**| 6:00**  
Low Strings Competition  
(Free)  
Hurst Hall, Bucksbaum Campus

**| 7:30**  
An Evening of P. D. Q. Bach<sup>A</sup>  
(\$65)  
Harris Concert Hall

Alan Fletcher host, Piotr  
Waclawik<sup>A</sup> conductor Robert  
Spano piano, Victoria Chiang<sup>A</sup>  
viola, James Dunham viola  
, Anton Nel harpsichord,  
Nadine Asin flute, Elaine  
Douvas oboe, Andrew Brady  
bassoon, Billy Hunter Jr.  
trumpet Abel Pereira horn,  
James Miller trombone,  
Soloists from Aspen Opera  
Theater and VocalARTS

P. D. Q. BACH<sup>A</sup>: Toot Suite for  
Calliope Four Hands, S. 212<sup>o</sup>  
Sonata for Viola Four Hands  
and Harpsichord, S. 440  
Echo Sonata for Two  
Unfriendly Groups of  
Instruments, S.999999999...  
"Goldbrick" Variations, S. 14  
"Donna, Donna, Listen to My  
Plea" from *The Abduction of  
Figaro*, S. 384, 492  
"Unbegun" Symphony

**SUNDAY  
JULY 7**

**| 9:00**  
AMFS Architectural and  
History Tour (Free; ticket  
required)  
Paepcke Terrace

**| 9:30**  
Aspen Festival Orchestra  
Dress Rehearsal (\$20)  
Klein Music Tent

**| 3:00**  
Prelude: Preconcert Talk  
(Free) Harris Concert Hall  
Andrew Ralston speaker

**| 3:30**  
Pre-Concert Fanfare by  
The National Youth Pipe  
Band of Scotland (Free)  
Karetsky Music Lawn

**| 4:00**  
Festival Orchestra: Hadelich,  
Rachmaninoff's Symphony  
No. 2 (\$92, \$75, \$45)  
Klein Music Tent  
Dima Slobodeniouk conductor  
Augustin Hadelich violin

WANG LU: *Surge*  
PROKOFIEV: Violin Concerto  
No. 2 in G minor, op. 63  
RACHMANINOFF: Symphony  
No. 2 in E minor, op. 27

**| 7:00**  
A Recital by Christopher  
Houlihan organ (Free)  
Aspen Community Church  
JONATHAN DOVE: The  
Dancing Pipes  
PIERNE: Trois Pièces, op. 29  
BUCK: Concert Variations on  
"The Star-Spangled Banner"  
PRICE: Suite No. 1 for Organ  
VIERNE: Romance from Organ  
Symphony No. 4 in  
G minor, op. 32  
Final from Organ Symphony  
No. 3 in F-sharp minor,  
op. 28

WEEK  
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**MONDAY  
JULY 8**

**| 10:00**  
Guided Tour of the  
Bucksbaum Campus (Free)  
*Bucksbaum Campus*

**| 2:30**  
Spotlight Recital (Free)  
*Pitkin County Library*

**| 5:30**  
Aspen Center for Physics  
Piano Recital (Free)

**| 6:00**  
A Reminiscences Program  
by the American String  
Quartet (\$65)

*Harris Concert Hall*  
Peter Winograd<sup>▲</sup> violin  
Laurie Carney<sup>▲</sup> violin  
Daniel Avshalomov<sup>▲</sup> viola  
Wolfram Koessel<sup>▲</sup> cello

BEETHOVEN: String Quartet  
in F major, op. 135

SHOSTAKOVICH: String  
Quartet No. 13 in B-flat  
minor, op. 138

RAVEL: String Quartet in  
F major

**WILL  
LIVERMAN**



**2024 Opera Benefit:  
Opera Under  
the Stars**  
TUE, JULY 9 | 6:30 pm  
\$1,000+

Elegantly set on the Klein  
Music Tent Stage, enjoy  
cocktails, dinner, and a  
spectacularly curated  
evening of opera and music  
theater gems performed by  
special guest Will Liverman  
*baritone* and the dazzling  
young artists of Aspen's  
opera program.

For benefit  
information and  
tickets, contact  
Chandler Martin at  
970.205.6065 or by  
email at  
cmartin@  
aspenmusic.org.

**TUESDAY  
JULY 9**

**| 10:30**  
Wheeler Opera House and  
AMFS History Tour (Free;  
ticket required)  
*Wheeler Opera House Lobby*

**| 1:00**  
Harris Concert Hall Class  
(\$25)  
Steven Isserlis<sup>▲</sup> cello

**| 4:00**  
Leonard Bernstein's  
Young People's Concerts  
Presented by Carnegie  
Hall+ — The Anatomy of a  
Symphony Orchestra (\$10;  
Free for ages 18 and under)  
*Wheeler Opera House*

**WEDNESDAY  
JULY 10**

**| 10:30**  
Wheeler Opera House and  
AMFS History Tour (Free;  
ticket required)  
*Wheeler Opera House Lobby*

**| 10:30**  
Tunes and Tales (Free; for  
ages 8 and under with an  
adult) *Basalt Regional Library*

**| 12:00**  
High Notes Discussion  
(Free; ticket required)  
*Bad Harriet, Hotel Jerome*  
Alan Fletcher *moderator*  
Fletcher talks with pianist Jeremy  
Denk and cellist Stephen Isserlis.

**| 3:00**  
Spotlight Recital (Free)  
*Harris Concert Hall*

**| 5:00**  
Aspen Conducting  
Academy Orchestra (\$20)  
*Klein Music Tent*  
Violin Competition Winner

ISABELLA GELLIS<sup>▲</sup>: Four  
Morris Interludes, from  
*The Devil's Den* (AMFS  
Commission, 2023  
Druckman Prize Winner)  
BERNSTEIN: Serenade (after  
Plato's *Symposium*)

SIBELIUS: Lemminkäinen  
Suite, op. 22

**| 7:30**  
A Recital by Jeremy Denk<sup>▲</sup>  
piano (\$75)  
*Harris Concert Hall*

J.S. BACH: Partita No. 3 for  
Keyboard in A minor, BWV  
827

CHAUVIN, JOPLIN:  
Heliotrope Bouquet  
CRAWFORD SEEGER: Piano  
Study in Mixed Accents  
LAMBERT: "Pilgrim's  
Chorus" from *Tanhäuser*  
BEETHOVEN: Piano Sonata  
No. 30 in E major, op. 109

IVES: Piano Sonata No. 2,  
"Concord, Mass., 1840–60"

**THURSDAY  
JULY 11**

**| 3:00**  
Spotlight Recital (Free)  
*Harris Concert Hall*

**| 3:00**  
Opera House Music (\$125)  
*Private Residence*

**| 5:00**  
Spotlight Recital (Free)  
*Aspen Chapel*

**| 6:00**  
A Baroque Evening with  
Nicholas McGegan  
conductor and  
Steven Isserlis<sup>▲</sup> cello (\$75)  
*Harris Concert Hall*  
Soloists from Aspen Opera  
Theater and VocalARTS

HAYDN: Overture to  
*Orlando paladino*, Hob.  
XXVIII:11

HANDEL: Selections from  
*Orlando*, HWV 31

J.S. BACH: Cantata: Jauchzet  
Gott in allen Landen, BWV 51

HAYDN: Cello Concerto in C  
major, Hob. VIIIb:1

**| 6:00**  
Artist Dinner with Jeremy  
Denk<sup>▲</sup> piano (\$500)  
*Private Residence*

**| 7:00**  
String Showcase (Free)  
*Edlis Neeson Hall, Bucksbaum  
Campus*



**JEREMY DENK<sup>▲</sup>**

**FRIDAY  
JULY 12**

**| 9:00**  
AMFS Architectural and  
History Tour (Free; ticket  
required)  
*Paepcke Terrace*

**| 9:00**  
Aspen Chamber Symphony  
Dress Rehearsal (\$20)  
*Klein Music Tent*

**| 12:30**  
The Art of Listening (Free)  
*Crossroads Church*  
Tom Buesch *speaker*

**| 2:30**  
Spotlight Recital (Free)  
*Pitkin County Library*

**| 4:30**  
Overtures: Preconcert  
Chamber Music (Free)  
*Harris Concert Hall*

Dinini Lee, Yufee Chen *piano*

KREISLER/RACHMANINOFF:  
Liebesleid and Liebesfreud

MENDELSSOHN/  
RACHMANINOFF: Scherzo  
from *A Midsummer Night's  
Dream*

**| 5:30**  
Chamber Symphony:  
Spano with Joyce Yang,  
Kelley O'Connor  
(\$92, \$75, \$45)  
*Klein Music Tent*

Robert Spano *conductor*  
Kelley O'Connor *mezzo-  
soprano*, Joyce Yang<sup>▲</sup> *piano*

GABRIELA LENA FRANK<sup>▲</sup>:  
Haillí-Serenata

LIEBERSON: Neruda  
Songs

FALLA: *Noches  
en los jardines de  
España* (Nights  
in the Gardens of  
Spain)

FALLA: *El amor brujo*  
(Love Bewitched)

**SATURDAY  
JULY 13**

**| 10:00**  
Family Concert: Prokofiev's  
*Peter and the Wolf* (Free)  
*Klein Music Tent*  
Piotr Waclawik<sup>▲</sup> *conductor*  
Graham Northrup *narrator*

A lively short concert for the whole  
family! Come early and stay after  
(9:15–11:15 am) for pre- and post-  
concert activities on the Karetzky  
Music Lawn. Concert open to all ages.

**| 10:00**  
Opera Encounters: Arias  
and Scenes (\$40)  
*Wheeler Opera House*  
Renée Fleming<sup>▲</sup> and  
Patrick Summers *hosts*

**| 1:00**  
Music on the Mountain  
(Free; gondola ticket required)  
*Top of Aspen Mountain*

**| 1:30**  
Spotlight Recital (Free)  
*Aspen Community Church*

**| 4:30**  
Chamber Music (\$45)  
*Harris Concert Hall*

Aspen Contemporary  
Ensemble, Timothy Weiss and  
Donald Crockett *conductors*

Renée Fleming<sup>▲</sup> *soprano*  
Will Liverman *baritone*

Myra Huang *piano*, Robert  
Chen<sup>▲</sup> *violin*, Robert Spano  
*piano*, Joyce Yang<sup>▲</sup> *piano*,

Nadine Asin<sup>▲</sup> *flute*, Mingjia Liu  
*oboe*, Michael Rusinek *clarinet*,

Nancy Goeres<sup>▲</sup> *bassoon*,  
Andrew Bain *horn*

BIRTWISTLE: Theseus Game

SARAH KIRKLAND SNIDER:  
Everything that Ever Was

BRAHMS: Violin Sonata No. 2  
in A major, op. 100

POULENC: Sextet

**| 6:30**  
Sonata Showcase (Free)  
*Edlis Neeson Hall, Bucksbaum  
Campus*

**| 7:30**  
Special Event: A Fauré  
Evening with Joshua Bell<sup>▲</sup>

**SATURDAY (continued)**

*violin*, Steven Isserlis<sup>▲</sup>  
*cello*, and Jeremy Denk<sup>▲</sup>  
*piano* (\$95, \$75)  
*Harris Concert Hall*

FAURÉ: Piano Quintet No. 1 in  
D minor, op. 89  
Piano Trio in D minor,  
op. 120

FAURÉ: Piano Quartet No. 2 in  
G minor, op. 45

**SUNDAY  
JULY 14**

**| 9:00**  
AMFS Architectural and  
History Tour (Free; ticket  
required)  
*Paepcke Terrace*

**| 9:30**  
Aspen Festival Orchestra  
Dress Rehearsal (\$20)  
*Klein Music Tent*

Appreciation Sunday: Free admission\*  
and post-concert reception for  
Roaring Fork Valley first responders,  
volunteers, teachers, and nonprofit  
employees. \*Free with registration.  
[bit.ly/amfsappreciation](http://bit.ly/amfsappreciation)

**| 3:00**  
Prelude: Preconcert Talk (Free)  
*Harris Concert Hall*  
Katie Brill *speaker*

**| 4:00**  
Festival Orchestra:  
Beethoven "Triple" with  
Bell<sup>▲</sup>, Isserlis<sup>▲</sup>, Denk<sup>▲</sup> (\$92,  
\$75, \$45)  
*Klein Music Tent*

Jane Glover *conductor*  
Joshua Bell<sup>▲</sup> *violin*

Steven Isserlis<sup>▲</sup> *cello*  
Jeremy Denk<sup>▲</sup> *piano*

BARTÓK: Concerto for  
Orchestra, BB 123

BEETHOVEN: Concerto for  
Violin, Cello, and Piano in C  
major, op. 56, "Triple"

**| 7:00**  
Art Song Showcase (Free)  
*Aspen Chapel*

## MONDAY JULY 15

**| 2:30**  
Spotlight Recital (Free)  
Pitkin County Library

**| 5:30**  
Aspen Center for Physics  
Piano Recital (Free)

**| 6:00**  
Special Event: Science  
of Music: The Art and  
Science of Musical Peak  
Performance (\$30)  
Aspen Community Church

Co-presented by the Aspen Science  
Center  
Alan Fletcher *moderator*  
Anton Nel *piano*  
Kathleen Winkler *violin*  
Timothy Pitts *double bass*

**| 6:00**  
A Recital by Conrad Tao<sup>A</sup>  
*piano* (\$75)  
Harris Concert Hall  
Piotr Waclawik<sup>A</sup>  
*conductor*

MILHAUD: *La création du monde*,  
op. 81  
CONRAD TAO<sup>A</sup>: *Flung Out*  
(AMFS Co-Commission)  
GERSHWIN/GROFÉ:  
*Rhapsody in Blue*  
(Original Jazz Band Version)

## TUESDAY JULY 16

**| 10:30**  
Wheeler Opera House and  
AMFS History Tour (Free;  
ticket required)  
Wheeler Opera House Lobby

**| 1:00**  
Harris Concert Hall Class  
(\$25)  
Harris Concert Hall  
Joyce Yang<sup>A</sup> *piano*

## TUESDAY (continued)

**| 6:00**  
A Recital by the American  
Brass Quintet (\$55) **NEW**  
**DATE/TIME**  
Harris Concert Hall  
Kevin Cobb *trumpet*  
Brandon Ridenour<sup>A</sup> *trumpet*  
Eric Reed<sup>A</sup> *French horn*  
Hillary Simms<sup>A</sup> *trombone*  
John D. Rojak<sup>A</sup> *bass trombone*

BRADY/RAYMOND MASE:  
Courtly Dances and  
Canzons  
ANTHONY BARFIELD:  
Samsara

DAVID SAMPSON: A Murder  
of Crows (World Premiere)  
GESUALDO/BRANDON  
RIDENOUR: Due sospira  
JENNIFER HIGDON: Book  
of Brass

## WEDNESDAY JULY 17

**| 10:30**  
Tunes and Tales (Free; for  
ages 8 and under with an  
adult) Basalt Regional Library

**| 10:30**  
Wheeler Opera House and  
AMFS History Tour (Free;  
ticket required)  
Wheeler Opera House Lobby

**| 11:00**  
Spotlight Recital (Free)  
Harris Concert Hall

**| 12:00**  
High Notes Discussion  
(Free; ticket required)  
Bad Harriet, Hotel Jerome  
Alan Fletcher *moderator*  
Fletcher talks with conductors Jane  
Glover and Leonard Slatkin.

**| 4:00**  
Aspen Conducting  
Academy Orchestra (\$20)  
Klein Music Tent  
William Suh *cello*  
See program above

## WEDNESDAY (continued)

MISSY MAZZOLI: Orpheus  
Undone  
ELGAR: Cello Concerto in E  
minor, op. 85  
—  
MOZART: Overture to *Die  
Zauberflöte*,  
K. 620  
Symphony No. 39  
in E-flat major,  
K. 543

**| 7:30**  
Special Event: As We  
Speak—Béla Fleck  
*banjo*, Zakir Hussain  
*tabla*, Edgar Meyer<sup>A</sup> *bass*,  
featuring Rakesh Chaurasia  
*bansuri* (\$75, \$55)  
Harris Concert Hall

Program to be announced from the  
stage

## THURSDAY JULY 18

**| 10:00**  
Harris Concert Hall Piano  
Class (\$25)  
Harris Concert Hall  
Hung-Kuan Chen

**| 10:30**  
Tunes and Tales (Free; for  
ages 8 and under with an  
adult)  
Pitkin County Library

**| 1:00**  
Woodwinds Competition  
(Free)  
Edlis Neeson Hall, Bucksbaum  
Campus

**| 3:00**  
ABQ Seminar @Aspen  
Recital (Free)  
Harris Concert Hall

**| 5:00**  
Spotlight Recital (Free)  
Aspen Chapel

**| 5:15**  
Basalt Regional Library  
Recital (Free)

## THURSDAY (continued)

**| 6:00**  
Recital: Piano-Palooza  
(\$65)  
Klein Music Tent

Hung-Kuan Chen,  
Yoheved Kaplinsky, Anton Nel,  
Arie Vardi, Greg Anderson *piano*  
SHOSTAKOVICH/ARIE  
VARDI: Waltz No. 2, from  
Suite No. 1 for Variety  
Orchestra

ARIE VARDI: Mazurka's Day  
Dream

BEATLES/ARIE VARDI:  
Eleanor Rigby

ROSSINI/CZERNY: Overture  
to *Semiramide*

SAINT-SAËNS/GUIRAUD:  
Danse macabre, op. 40

FALLA/ARIE VARDI: Danza  
ritual del Fuego, from *El  
amor brujo*

SMETANA: Sonata in E minor  
for 2 Pianos, 8 hands

MILHAUD: *Brazileira* from  
*Scaramouche*, op. 165b

WEBER: Invitation to the  
Dance, op. 65

LAVIGNAC: Galop-Marche  
SOUSA/GREG ANDERSON:  
Stars & Stripes: Fireworks  
for 8 pianos, 32 hands

**| 7:00**  
String Showcase (Free)  
Edlis Neeson Hall, Bucksbaum  
Campus

**| 7:30**  
Brass Bash I (Free)  
Hurst Hall, Bucksbaum Campus

**| 8:00**  
Recital: Quartet for the End  
of Time (\$55)  
Harris Concert Hall

Michael Rusinek *clarinet*,  
Bing Wang<sup>A</sup> *violin*, Darrett  
Adkins<sup>A</sup> *cello*, Robert Spano  
*piano*

MESSIAEN: *Quatuor pour la fin  
du temps*

## JULY 19–21: AMFS ALUMNI WEEKEND

### FRIDAY JULY 19

**| 9:00**  
Composition Program  
Readings (Free)  
Klein Music Tent

**| 12:30**  
The Art of Listening (Free)  
Crossroads Church  
Tom Buesch *speaker*

**| 2:30**  
Spotlight Recital (Free)  
Pitkin County Library

**| 7:45**  
Humperdinck's  
*Hansel and  
Gretel* (\$85, \$50,  
\$30 for children  
18 and under)  
Klein Music Tent

Patrick Summers *conductor*  
Joanna Gleason *director*  
Colorado Children's Chorale  
Emily Crile *chorus director*  
Artists of Aspen Opera  
Theater and VocalARTS

### SATURDAY JULY 20

**| 10:00**  
Opera Encounters: Art  
Song Recital (\$40)  
Wheeler Opera House  
Cameron Stowe *host*

**| 10:00**  
Organ Class  
Aspen Community Church  
Paul Jacobs *organ*

**| 1:00**  
Music on the Mountain  
(Free; gondola ticket  
required)  
Top of Aspen Mountain

### SATURDAY (continued)

**| 1:00**  
Composition Readings  
(Free) Klein Music Tent

**| 1:30**  
Spotlight Recital (Free)  
Aspen Community Church

**| 4:30**  
Chamber Music (\$45)  
Harris Concert Hall

Aspen Contemporary  
Ensemble  
Timothy Weiss *conductor*  
Harp Competition Winner  
Kathleen Winkler *violin*  
Renata Arado<sup>A</sup> *violin*  
Mark Sparks<sup>A</sup> *flute*  
Robert Spano *piano*  
Robert Chen<sup>A</sup> *violin*  
Laura Park Chen *violin*  
Zhenwei Shi *viola*  
Darrett Adkins<sup>A</sup> *cello*

MISSY MAZZOLI:  
These Worlds in Us  
Dark with Excessive Bright  
RAVEL: Introduction and  
Allegro  
BRAHMS: Clarinet  
Sonata in E-flat major,  
op. 120, no. 2  
BEETHOVEN: String Quartet  
in D major, op. 18, no. 3

**| 7:30**  
A Recital by Bruce Liu  
*piano*  
Harris Concert Hall,  
HAYDN: Piano Sonata in B  
minor, Hob. XVI/32  
CHOPIN: Piano Sonata No. 2  
in B-flat minor, op. 35

RAMEAU: Les tendres  
plaintes  
Les cyclopes  
Menuet I and II  
Les sauvages  
La poule  
Gavotte et 6  
doubles from  
Nouvelles suites  
de pieces de  
clavecin  
CHOPIN: Variations on "Là ci  
darem" from Mozart's Don  
Giovanni, op. 2

### SUNDAY JULY 21

**| 9:00**  
AMFS Architectural and  
History Tour (Free; ticket  
required)  
Paepcke Terrace

**| 9:30**  
Aspen Festival Orchestra  
Dress Rehearsal (\$20)  
Klein Music Tent

**| 2:30**  
Ice Cream Social (Free)  
David Karetsky Music Lawn  
Sponsored by Gerri Karetsky

**| 3:00**  
Prelude: Preconcert Talk  
(Free) Harris Concert Hall  
Jonathan Bellman *speaker*

**| 4:00**  
Festival Orchestra: Slatkin<sup>A</sup>  
Conducts Copland,  
Gershwin (\$92, \$75,  
\$45)  
Klein Music Tent  
Leonard Slatkin<sup>A</sup>  
*conductor*  
Bruce Liu *piano*  
COPLAND: El salón México  
PROKOFIEV: Piano Concerto  
No. 3 in C major, op. 26

ROUSE: The Infernal Machine  
from Phantasmata  
BARBER: Adagio for Strings,  
op. 11  
GERSHWIN: An American  
in Paris

**| 7:00**  
A Recital by Paul Jacobs  
*organ* (Free)  
Aspen Community Church  
J. S. BACH: Prelude and Fugue  
in D major, BWV 532  
Organ Trio Sonata No. 4 in  
E minor, BWV 528  
Prelude and Fugue in  
A minor, BWV 543  
Arioso from Cantata, BWV 156  
LISZT: Fantasie and Fugue  
on the Chorale 'Ad nos, ad  
salutarem undam'

WEEK  
FOUR

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**MONDAY  
JULY 22**

**| 2:30**  
Spotlight Recital (Free)  
*Pitkin County Library*

**| 3:30**  
Opera House Music (\$125)  
*Hotel Jerome*

**| 5:30**  
Aspen Center for Physics  
Piano Recital (Free)

**| 6:00**  
Special Event: The Science  
of Music—Neural Notes:  
Music and the Brain (\$30)  
*Harris Concert Hall*  
Co-presented by the Aspen Science  
Center  
Alan Fletcher moderator



JENNIFER KOH

**TUESDAY  
JULY 23**

**| 10:30**  
Wheeler Opera House and  
AMFS History Tour (Free;  
ticket required)  
*Wheeler Opera House Lobby*

**| 1:00**  
Harris Concert Hall Class  
(\$25)  
*Harris Concert Hall*  
Yoheved Kaplinsky piano

**| 6:00**  
Music with a View (Free)  
*Aspen Art Museum*

**| 7:00**  
String Showcase (Free)  
*Edlis Neeson Hall, Bucksbaum  
Campus*

**| 7:30**  
Special Event: Fiddler on  
the Roof in Concert  
(\$125, \$60, \$30 for children  
18 and under)  
\$500 (With VIP Party)

*Klein Music Tent*  
Presented by Theatre Aspen and  
the AMFS  
Experience a special concert  
collaboration of the nine-time Tony  
Award winning musical classic.  
Starring and directed by Tony Award-  
winner Shuler Hensley, with musical  
direction by Andy Einhorn,  
this presentation features  
John Williams's Oscar-winning score  
adaptation, performed by a full  
orchestra.

**WEDNESDAY  
JULY 24**

**| 10:30**  
Wheeler Opera House and  
AMFS History Tour (Free;  
ticket required)  
*Wheeler Opera House Lobby*

**| 12:00**  
High Notes Discussion  
(Free; ticket required)  
*Bad Harriet, Hotel Jerome*  
Alan Fletcher moderator  
Fletcher talks with composers Missy  
Mazzoli and Christopher Theofanidis.

**| 3:00**  
Spotlight Recital (Free)  
*Harris Concert Hall*

**| 4:00**  
A Mariachi Celebration:  
Pre-Concert Fiesta (Free)  
*Karetsky Music Lawn*

**| 5:30**  
A Mariachi Celebration:  
Community Concert (Free)  
*Klein Music Tent*  
Celebrate Mexican music and dance  
with Mariachi Sol de mi Tierra, local  
youth, and Aspen Santa Fe Ballet  
Folklorico!

*With special thanks to Title Sponsor  
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**| 6:30**  
Artist Dinner with  
Edgar Meyer<sup>A</sup> double bass  
(\$500) **SOLD OUT\***  
*Private Residence*

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Chandler Martin at 970 205 5065 or  
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**| 7:30**  
A Recital by Jennifer Koh  
amplified violin and  
Missy Mazzoli keyboards,  
electronics, and piano (\$65)  
*Harris Concert Hall*

MISSY MAZZOLI:  
Dissolve, O my Heart  
A Thousand Tongues  
Tooth and Nail  
Kinski Paganini  
The Night Ahead and No  
Real Fate  
*Program continues above*

**WEDNESDAY (continued)**

MISSY MAZZOLI:  
A Song for Mick Kelly  
Hail, Horrors, Hail  
All I Want is All of It  
Procession Ascending  
Vespers for Violin

**THURSDAY  
JULY 25**

**| 10:00**  
Harris Concert Hall Piano  
Class (\$25)  
*Harris Concert Hall*  
Mikhail Voskresensky piano

**| 10:30**  
Tunes and Tales (Free; for  
ages 8 and under with  
an adult) *Pitkin County  
Library*

**| 12:00**  
Goethe and the Aspen Idea  
(Free)  
*Crossroads Church*  
Tom Buesch speaker

**| 3:00**  
Salon Showcase House  
Music (\$90)  
*Private Residence*

**| 3:00**  
Spotlight Recital (Free)  
*Harris Concert Hall*

**| 5:00**  
Spotlight Recital (Free)  
*Aspen Chapel*

**| 5:15**  
Basalt Regional Library  
Recital (Free)

**| 6:00**  
Brass Competition  
(Free)  
*Hurst Hall, Bucksbaum Campus*

**| 6:00**  
A Reminiscences Program  
by Gil Shaham<sup>A</sup> violin,  
Adele Anthony<sup>A</sup> violin, and  
Friends (\$75)  
*Harris Concert Hall*  
Anton Nel piano  
Joaquín Valdepeñas<sup>A</sup> clarinet  
Choong-Jin Chang viola  
Brinton Averil Smith<sup>A</sup> cello  
*Program continues above*

**THURSDAY (continued)**

J.S. BACH/RICCI: Presto  
from Violin Sonata No. 1 in  
G minor, BWV 1001  
ROSS EDWARDS: Ecstatic  
Dance for Two Violins  
WEILL/JULIAN MILONE: The  
Threepenny Opera  
MOZART/JULIAN MILONE:  
The Queen of the Night  
MERCURY/JULIAN MILONE:  
Bohemian Rhapsody  
MOSZKOWSKI: Suite for  
Two Violins and Piano, op. 71  
—  
BRAHMS: Clarinet Quintet in  
B minor, op. 115

**FRIDAY  
JULY 26**

**| 9:00**  
Aspen Chamber Symphony  
Dress Rehearsal (\$20)  
*Klein Music Tent*

**| 9:00**  
AMFS Architectural and  
History Tour (Free; ticket  
required)  
*Paepcke Terrace*

**| 12:30**  
The Art of Listening (Free)  
*Crossroads Church*  
Tom Buesch speaker

**| 2:30**  
Spotlight Recital (Free)  
*Pitkin County Library*

**| 4:30**  
Overtures: Preconcert  
Chamber Music (Free)  
*Harris Concert Hall*  
David Jeongmin Kim, Taige  
Wang piano

RACHMANINOFF:  
Études-tableaux,  
op. 39

**| 5:30**  
Chamber Symphony:  
Jennifer Koh, Sibelius  
Symphony No. 2 (\$92, \$75,  
\$45)  
*Klein Music Tent*  
Dalia Stasevska conductor

CONCERT  
STREAMS  
LIVE  
FREE!

**FRIDAY (continued)**

Jennifer Koh violin  
OUTI TARKIAINEN: The Ring  
of Fire and Love  
MISSY MAZZOLI: Violin  
Concerto (Procession)  
—  
SIBELIUS: Symphony No. 2 in  
D major, op. 43

**SATURDAY  
JULY 27**

**| 10:00**  
Opera Encounters: Arias  
and Scenes (\$40)  
*Wheeler Opera House*  
Aspen Conducting Academy  
Orchestra  
Patrick Summers host

**| 1:00**  
Music on the Mountain  
(Free; gondola ticket  
required)  
*Top of Aspen Mountain*

**| 1:30**  
Spotlight Recital (Free)  
*Aspen Community Church*

**| 4:30**  
Chamber Music (\$45)  
*Harris Concert Hall*  
Aspen Contemporary  
Ensemble  
Timothy Weiss conductor  
Kathleen Winkler violin  
Michael Mermagen<sup>A</sup> cello  
Anton Nel piano  
Adele Anthony<sup>A</sup> violin  
Brinton Averil Smith<sup>A</sup> cello

ELIZABETH OGONEK: Water  
Cantos  
BEETHOVEN: Piano Trio in  
E-flat major, op. 70, no. 2  
BRAHMS/BRINTON SMITH<sup>A</sup>:  
from Hungarian Dances,  
WoO. 1

**| 6:30**  
Sonata Showcase (Free)  
*Edlis Neeson Hall, Bucksbaum  
Campus*

**SATURDAY (continued)**

**| 7:30**  
A Recital by the Danish  
String Quartet (\$65)  
*Harris Concert Hall*  
Frederik Øland violin  
Rune Tønsgaard Sørensen  
violin  
Asbjørn Nørgaard viola  
Fredrik Schøyen Sjölin cello

HAYDN: Str  
ing Quartet in G minor,  
Hob. III:33, op. 20, no. 3  
THOMAS ADÈS: The Four  
Quarters  
—  
TRADITIONAL/DANISH  
STRING QUARTET:  
Folk Music

**SUNDAY  
JULY 28**

**| 9:00**  
AMFS Architectural and  
History Tour (Free; ticket  
required)  
*Paepcke Terrace*

**| 9:30**  
Aspen Festival Orchestra  
Dress Rehearsal (\$20)  
*Klein Music Tent*

**| 3:00**  
Prelude: Preconcert Talk  
(Free)  
*Harris Concert Hall*  
Graeme Boone speaker

**| 4:00**  
Festival Orchestra: Mahler  
Symphony No. 9  
(\$92, \$75, \$45)  
*Klein Music Tent*  
Robert Spano conductor  
G. MAHLER: Symphony No. 9 in  
D major  
NOTE: There will be no late  
seating for this event.

WEEK  
FIVE

**MONDAY  
JULY 29**

**| 12:30**  
DeLay Fellowship  
Auditions (Free)  
*Edlis Neeson Hall, Bucksbaum  
Campus*

**| 12:00**  
Guided Backstage Tour of  
the Klein Music Tent and  
Harris Concert Hall (Free)  
**CANCELED**  
*Klein Music Tent Plaza*

**| 2:30**  
Spotlight Recital (Free)  
*Pitkin County Library*

**| 5:30**  
Aspen Center for Physics  
Piano Recital (Free)

**| 6:00 SOLD OUT\***  
Artist Dinner with  
Gil Shaham<sup>A</sup> violin (\$750)  
*Private Residence*

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Chandler Martin at 970 205 5065 or  
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**| 6:00**  
Percussion Ensemble Plays  
Zappa (\$25)  
*Harris Concert Hall*  
Jonathan Haas<sup>A</sup> director

Program to include:  
VARÈSE: Density 21.5  
ZAPPA/MIKE MYERS: RDNZL  
ZAPPA: Let's Make the Water  
Turn Black  
ZAPPA/MIKE MYERS:  
Regyptian Strut  
ZAPPA: Revised Music for  
Marimba and Low-  
Budget Orchestra  
VARÈSE: Ionisation  
ZAPPA/JONATHAN  
HAAS: The Black  
Page  
ZAPPA/MIKE MYERS:  
Sofa #1

**TUESDAY  
JULY 30**

**| 10:30**  
Wheeler Opera House and  
AMFS History Tour (Free;  
ticket required)  
*Wheeler Opera House Lobby*

**| 1:00**  
Harris Concert Hall Class  
(\$25)  
*Harris Concert Hall*  
Gil Shaham<sup>A</sup> violin

**| 6:00**  
A Reminiscences Program  
by Sharon Isbin<sup>A</sup> classical  
guitar (\$75)  
*Harris Concert Hall*  
George Jackson<sup>A</sup> conductor  
Alan Liu classical guitar

ANONYMOUS: DREWRIE'S  
Accordes  
La Rossignol

DOWLAND: My Lord  
Willoughby's Welcome  
Home

LEO ROUWER: El decamerón  
negro  
BARRIOS MANGORÉ: Julia  
Florida  
RODRIGO: Concierto de  
Aranjuez

**WEDNESDAY  
JULY 31**

**| 10:30**  
Wheeler Opera House and  
AMFS History Tour (Free;  
ticket required)  
*Wheeler Opera House Lobby*

**| 12:00**  
High Notes Discussion  
(Free; ticket required)  
*Wheeler Opera House Lobby*  
Alan Fletcher moderator

Fletcher moderates a seven-person  
panel discussing the legacy of  
Dorothy DeLay.

**| 3:00**  
Art Song Showcase (Free)  
*Harris Concert Hall*

**| 5:00**  
Aspen Conducting  
Academy Orchestra (\$20)  
*Klein Music Tent*

WOODWINDS: My Lord  
Willoughby's Welcome  
Home  
Competition Winner

STRAVINSKY: Concerto for  
Strings in D major, "Basel"  
Woodwind Concerto to be  
announced

DEBUSSY: *La mer*  
RAVEL: *La valse*

**| 7:30**  
Special Event: A Recital by  
the Zukerman Trio  
(\$95, \$75)  
*Harris Concert Hall*  
Pinchas Zukerman violin  
Amanda Forsyth cello  
Shai Wosner piano

BRAHMS: Piano Trio No. 2 in  
C major, op. 87

JENNIFER HIGDON:  
Pale Yellow from  
Piano Trio No. 1

BEETHOVEN: Piano  
Trio in B-flat major,  
op. 97, "Archduke"

GIL SHAHAM<sup>A</sup>



**THURSDAY  
AUGUST 1**

**| 10:00**  
Harris Concert Hall Piano  
Class (\$25)  
**CANCELED**  
*Harris Concert Hall*

**| 3:00**  
Spotlight Recital (Free)  
*Harris Concert Hall*

**| 5:00**  
Spotlight Recital (Free)  
*Aspen Chapel*

**| 5:15**  
Basalt Regional Library  
Recital (Free)

**| 6:00**  
A Recital by  
Stephen Hough piano (\$65)  
*Harris Concert Hall*

CHAMINADE:  
Autonne from 6 Études de  
concert, op. 35, no. 2

Autrefois, op. 87, no. 4  
LISZT: Piano Sonata in B  
minor, LW A179

CHAMINADE: Thème varié,  
op. 89  
Les Sylvains, op. 60  
CHOPIN: Piano Sonata No. 3  
in B minor, op. 58

**| 7:00**  
String Showcase (Free)  
*Edlis Neeson Hall, Bucksbaum  
Campus*

**FRIDAY  
AUGUST 2**

**| 9:00**  
Aspen Chamber Symphony  
Dress Rehearsal (\$20)  
*Klein Music Tent*

**| 9:00**  
AMFS Architectural and  
History Tour (Free; ticket  
required)  
*Paepcke Terrace*

**| 12:30**  
The Art of Listening (Free)  
*Crossroads Church*  
Tom Buesch speaker

**| 2:30**  
Spotlight Recital (Free)  
*Pitkin County Library*

**| 4:30**  
Overtures: Preconcert  
Chamber Music (Free)  
*Harris Concert Hall*

Joshua August Mhoon piano  
RACHMANINOFF: Moments  
Musicaux, op. 16

**| 5:30**  
Chamber Symphony:  
Conlon<sup>A</sup> Conducts  
Shaham<sup>A</sup>, Mahler No. 4 (\$92,  
\$75, \$45)  
*Klein Music Tent*

James Conlon<sup>A</sup> conductor  
Gil Shaham<sup>A</sup> violin  
Erica Petrocelli soprano

MOZART: Violin Concerto  
No. 5 in A major, K. 219

G. MAHLER: Symphony No. 4  
in G major  
NOTE: There will be no late  
seating for this event.

**SATURDAY  
AUGUST 3**

**| 10:00**  
Opera Encounters: Arias  
and Scenes (\$40)  
*Wheeler Opera House*  
Aspen Conducting Academy  
Orchestra  
George Jackson<sup>A</sup> host

**| 1:00**  
Music on the Mountain  
(Free; gondola ticket required)  
*Top of Aspen Mountain*

**| 1:30**  
Spotlight Recital (Free)  
*Aspen Community Church*

**| 4:30**  
A Recital by the Takács  
Quartet and Stephen  
Hough piano (\$65)  
*Harris Concert Hall*

Edward Dusinger violin  
Harumi Rhodes violin  
Richard O'Neill viola  
Andrés Fejér cello  
Stephen Hough piano

HAYDN: String Quartet in  
B-flat major, Hob. III/78, op.  
76, No. 4, "Sunrise"

STEPHEN HOUGH: String  
Quartet No. 1 "Les Six  
Rencontres"

DVOŘÁK: Piano Quintet in  
A major, B. 155, op. 81

**SUNDAY  
AUGUST 4**

**| 9:00**  
AMFS Architectural and  
History Tour (Free; ticket  
required)  
*Paepcke Terrace*

**| 9:30**  
Aspen Festival Orchestra  
Dress Rehearsal (\$20)  
*Klein Music Tent*

**| 3:00**  
Prelude: Preconcert Talk  
(Free)  
*Harris Concert Hall*  
Harlow Robinson speaker

**| 4:00**  
Festival Orchestra: Midori<sup>A</sup>,  
Pictures at an Exhibition  
(\$92, \$75, \$45)  
*Klein Music Tent*  
Kevin John Edusei<sup>A</sup> conductor  
Midori<sup>A</sup> violin

DONGHOON SHIN: Upon  
His Ghostly Solitude

BARTÓK: Violin Concerto  
No. 2, BB 117

MUSORGSKY/RAVEL:  
Pictures at an Exhibition

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## MONDAY AUGUST 5

| 10:00

Guided Tour of the  
Bucksbaum Campus (Free)  
*Bucksbaum Campus*

| 2:30

Spotlight Recital (Free)  
*Pitkin County Library*

| 3:00

Salon Showcase House  
Music (\$90)  
*The Ritz-Carlton Club, Aspen  
Highlands*

| 5:30

Aspen Center for Physics  
Piano Recital (Free)

| 6:00

Chamber Music (\$45)  
*Harris Concert Hall*

Aspen Contemporary  
Ensemble *conductor*  
Timothy Weiss *conductor*  
Joaquín Valdepeñas<sup>A</sup> *clarinet*  
James Dunham *viola*  
Anton Nel *piano*  
Kathleen Winkler *violin*  
Stephen Wyrzynski *viola*  
Brinton Averil Smith<sup>A</sup> *cello*  
Timothy Pitts *double bass*

NICO MUHLY: Roots, Pulses

MOZART: Trio for Clarinet,  
Viola, and Piano in E-flat  
major, K. 498, "Kegelstatt"

TCHAIKOVSKY/TIMOTHY  
PITTS: Souvenir de Florence,  
op. 70

## TUESDAY AUGUST 6

| 10:30

Wheeler Opera House and  
AMFS History Tour (Free;  
ticket required)  
*Wheeler Opera House Lobby*

| 1:00

Harris Concert Hall Class  
(\$25)

*Harris Concert Hall*  
Lawrence Power *viola*

| 6:00

A Recital by the Takács  
Quartet (\$65)

*Harris Concert Hall*  
Edward Dusinberre *violin*  
Harumi Rhodes *violin*  
Richard O'Neill *viola*  
András Fejér *cello*

DVOŘÁK: String Quartet  
in E-flat major, B. 92, op. 51  
NOKUTHULA  
NGWENYAMA: Flow

SCHUBERT: String Quartet  
in G major, D. 887, op.  
posth. 161

| 6:00

Music with a View (Free)  
*Aspen Art Museum*

| 6:00

Piano Competition (Free)  
*Hurst Hall, Bucksbaum  
Campus*

| 8:00

Wind Orchestra (\$20)

*Klein Music Tent*  
Joaquín Valdepeñas<sup>A</sup>  
*conductor*

R. STRAUSS: Serenade in  
E-flat major, op. 7

ALWYN: Concerto for Flute  
and Eight Wind Instruments

RAFF: Sinfonietta, op. 188

## WEDNESDAY AUGUST 7

| 10:30

Wheeler Opera House and  
AMFS History Tour (Free;  
ticket required)  
*Wheeler Opera House Lobby*

| 12:00

High Notes Discussion  
(Free; ticket required)

*Bad Harriet, Hotel Jerome*  
Alan Fletcher *moderator*

Fletcher talks with conductor David  
Robertson and violist Lawrence Power.

| 3:00

National Council House  
Music *Private Residence*

(National Council Membership  
required)

| 3:00

First Glimpse Composition  
Recital I (Free)

*Harris Concert Hall*

| 5:00

Aspen  
Conducting  
Academy  
Orchestra (\$20)

*Klein Music Tent*  
Brass Competition Winner

NICO MUHLY: Bright Idea  
Brass Concerto to be  
announced

SHOSTAKOVICH: Symphony  
No. 5 in D minor, op. 47

| 5:00

Anderson Ranch: AMFS  
Guitar Students in Recital  
(Free)

*Anderson Ranch Arts Center*

| 7:30

African Queens: A Recital  
by Karen Slack *soprano*  
and Kevin Miller *piano*  
(\$55)

*Harris Concert Hall*

Program to include new works by  
Jasmine Barnes, Damien Geter, Jessie  
Montgomery, Shawn Okpebholo,  
Dave Ragland, Carlos Simon and Joel  
Thompson<sup>A</sup> (AMFS Co-Commission)

## THURSDAY AUGUST 8

| 3:00

AOTVA / Composer  
Project Recital (Free)  
*Harris Concert Hall*

| 5:00

Spotlight Recital (Free)  
*Aspen Chapel*

| 5:15

Basalt Regional Library  
Recital (Free)

| 6:00 SOLD OUT\*

Artist Dinner with Robert  
McDuffie *violin* (\$750)  
*Private Residence*

\* To be added to the waitlist, contact  
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| 6:00

Bach's Mass in B minor  
(\$85)

*Harris Concert Hall*  
Robert Spano *conductor*  
Seraphic Fire

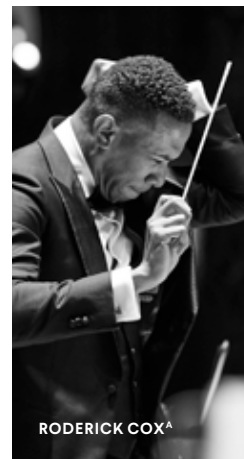
Patrick Dupre Quigley  
*Seraphic Fire artistic director*

J. S. BACH: Mass in B minor,  
BWV 232

| 7:00

String Showcase (Free)

*Edlis Neeson Hall, Bucksbaum  
Campus*



RODERICK COX<sup>A</sup>

## FRIDAY AUGUST 9

| 9:00

Aspen Chamber Symphony  
Dress Rehearsal (\$20)  
*Klein Music Tent*

| 9:00

AMFS Architectural and  
History Tour (Free; ticket  
required)

*Paepcke Terrace*

| 12:30

The Art of Listening (Free)  
*Crossroads Church*  
Tom Buesch *speaker*

| 2:30

Spotlight Recital (Free)  
*Pitkin County Library*

| 4:30

Overtures: Preconcert  
Chamber Music (Free)

*Harris Concert Hall*  
Students of Julian Martin  
*piano*

RACHMANINOFF: Ten  
Preludes, op. 23

| 5:30

Chamber Symphony:  
Bronfman Plays Beethoven  
(\$92, \$75, \$45)

*Klein Music Tent*

David Robertson *conductor*  
Yefim Bronfman *piano*

STRAVINSKY: Symphonies of  
Wind Instruments

BARTÓK: Music for Strings,  
Percussion, and Celeste,  
BB 114

BEETHOVEN: Piano  
Concerto No. 4 in G major,  
op. 58

## SATURDAY AUGUST 10

| 10:00

Opera Encounters: Arias  
and Scenes by AMFS  
Composition Fellows (\$40)  
*Wheeler Opera House*

## SATURDAY (continued)

Christopher Theofanidis and  
Matthew Aucoin hosts

| 1:00

Music on the Mountain  
(Free; gondola ticket  
required)

*Top of Aspen Mountain*

| 1:30

Spotlight Recital (Free)

*Aspen Community Church*

| 1:30

Composer Workshop  
(Free)

*Klein Music Tent*

| 4:30

Chamber Music (\$45)

*Harris Concert Hall*  
Aspen Contemporary  
Ensemble  
Timothy Weiss *conductor*

Elaine Douvas *oboe*  
Darryl Kubian *theremin*

Renata Arado<sup>A</sup> *violin*  
Cornelia Heard<sup>A</sup> *violin*

Stephen Wyrzynski *viola*  
Darrett Adkins<sup>A</sup> *cello*

Anton Nel *piano*  
Alexander Kerr *violin*

Christian Colberg *viola*  
Brinton Averil Smith<sup>A</sup> *cello*  
Alexander Malofeev *piano*

STEVEN MACKEY: Ground  
Swell

MARTINŮ: Fantasia for  
Theremin, Oboe, String  
Quartet, and Piano

BRAHMS: Piano Quartet No. 3  
in C minor, op. 60

| 6:30

Sonata Showcase (Free)

*Edlis Neeson Hall, Bucksbaum  
Campus*

| 7:30

A Viola Evening with  
Lawrence Power (\$75)

*Harris Concert Hall*

Robert Spano *piano*  
Piotr Waclawik<sup>A</sup> *conductor*

Yu-Ping Tsai *violin* (2023  
Dorothy DeLay Winner)

GARTH KNOX: Quartet for  
One

## SATURDAY (continued)

THOMAS ADÈS: Three  
Berceuses, from *The  
Exterminating Angel*  
MOZART: Sinfonia  
concertante in E-flat major,  
K. 364 (K. 320d)

SCHUBERT/RICHARD  
BIRCHALL: Gesang der  
Geister über den Wassern,  
D. 714

ANDERS HILLBORG: Viola  
Concerto (AMFS Co-  
Commission)

## SUNDAY AUGUST 11

| 9:00

AMFS Architectural and  
History Tour (Free; ticket  
required)

*Paepcke Terrace*

| 9:30

Aspen Festival Orchestra  
Dress Rehearsal (\$20)

*Klein Music Tent*

| 1:00

Composition House Music  
(\$90)

*Private Residence*

| 3:00

Prelude: Preconcert Talk  
(Free)

*Harris Concert Hall*  
Joseph Pfender *speaker*

| 4:00

Festival Orchestra:  
Malofeev Plays  
Rachmaninoff (\$92, \$75,  
\$45)

*Klein Music Tent*

Roderick Cox<sup>A</sup> *conductor*  
Alexander Malofeev *piano*

RACHMANINOFF: Piano  
Concerto No. 1 in F-sharp  
minor, op. 1

R. STRAUSS: Ein Heldenleben  
(A Hero's Life), op. 40

NOTE: There will be no late  
seating for this event.

WEEK  
SEVEN

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**MONDAY  
AUGUST 12**

**| 10:00**  
Harris Concert Hall Piano Class (\$25) **NEW DATE**  
Harris Concert Hall

**| 2:30**  
Spotlight Recital (Free)  
Pitkin County Library

**| 5:30**  
Aspen Center for Physics Piano Recital (Free)

**| 7:00**  
**Mozart's *The Marriage of Figaro* (\$95, \$65, \$25 obstructed)**  
Wheeler Opera House  
Matthew Aucoin conductor  
Sara Erde director  
Artists of Aspen Opera Theater and VocalARTS

This performance includes all Act IV arias commonly cut from the score.

**TUESDAY  
AUGUST 13**

**| 10:30**  
Wheeler Opera House and AMFS History Tour (Free; ticket required)  
Wheeler Opera House Lobby

**| 1:00**  
Harris Concert Hall Class (\$25)  
Harris Concert Hall  
Robert McDuffie<sup>A</sup> violin

**| 6:00**  
**A Recital by Zlatomir Fung<sup>A</sup> cello and Tony Siqi Yun piano (\$55)**  
Harris Concert Hall  
J.S. BACH: Suite No. 2 for Unaccompanied Cello in D minor, BWV 1008  
J.S. BACH: Suite No. 3 for Unaccompanied Cello in C major, BWV 1009

BRITTEN: Suite No. 1 for solo cello, op. 72

**| 6:00**  
**Music with a View (Free)**  
Aspen Art Museum

**WEDNESDAY  
AUGUST 14**

**| 10:30**  
Wheeler Opera House and AMFS History Tour (Free; ticket required)  
Wheeler Opera House Lobby

**| 12:00**  
**High Notes Discussion (Free; ticket required)**  
*Bad Harriet, Hotel Jerome*  
Alan Fletcher moderator  
Fletcher talks with music director Robert Spano and composer and conductor Matthew Aucoin.

**| 3:00**  
**First Glimpse Composition Recital II (Free)**  
Harris Concert Hall

**| 5:00**  
**Aspen Conducting Academy Orchestra (\$20)**  
Klein Music Tent  
Piano Competition Winner RACHMANINOFF: Rhapsody on a Theme of Paganini

G. MAHLER: Symphony No. 5 in C-sharp minor

**| 7:30**  
**A Reminiscences Program by Robert McDuffie<sup>A</sup> violin (\$75)**  
Harris Concert Hall

Derek Wang<sup>A</sup> piano and harpsichord  
VIVALDI: Concerto in G minor, RV 315, "Summer" from "The Four Seasons," op. 8, no. 2

MIKE MILLS: Stardancers' Waltz from Concerto for Violin, Rock Band, and String Orchestra  
PROKOFIEV: Andante Cantabile and Allegro from Sonata in C major for Two Violins, op. 56

CHAUSSON: Sicilienne from Concert in D major, op. 21  
STRAVINSKY: Tarantella from Suite italienne  
BERNSTEIN: Agathon from Serenade, after Plato's Symposium

program continues above

**WEDNESDAY (continued)**

PHILIP GLASS<sup>A</sup>: Movement IV from Violin Concerto No. 2, "The American Four Seasons"

**| 7:30**  
**Brass Bash II (Free)**  
Hurst Hall, Bucksbaum Campus

**THURSDAY  
AUGUST 15**

**| 3:00**  
**Spotlight Marathon (Free)**  
Hurst Hall, Bucksbaum Campus

**| 3:00**  
**Guitar Recital (Free)**  
Harris Concert Hall

**| 5:00**  
**Spotlight Recital (Free)**  
Aspen Chapel

**| 5:15**  
**Basalt Regional Library Recital (Free)**

**| 6:00**  
**A Recital by Simone Dinnerstein piano (\$75)**  
Harris Concert Hall

PHILIP LASSER: 12 Variations on a Chorale by J. S. Bach  
RAMEAU: Gavotte et 6 doubles from Nouvelles suites de pieces de clavecin

J. S. BACH: 15 Sinfonias, BWV 787-801  
KEITH JARRETT: Encore from Tokyo

**| 7:00**  
**Mozart's *The Marriage of Figaro* (\$95, \$65, \$25 obstructed)**  
Wheeler Opera House

Matthew Aucoin conductor  
Sara Erde director  
Artists of Aspen Opera Theater and VocalARTS

**| 7:00**  
**String Showcase (Free)**  
Edlis Neeson Hall, Bucksbaum Campus

**FRIDAY  
AUGUST 16**

**| 9:00**  
Aspen Chamber Symphony Dress Rehearsal (\$20)  
Klein Music Tent

**| 9:00**  
AMFS Architectural and History Tour (Free; ticket required)  
Paepcke Terrace

**| 12:00**  
**Spotlight Recital (Free)**  
Harris Concert Hall

**| 2:30**  
**Spotlight Recital (Free)**  
Pitkin County Library

**| 4:30**  
**Overtures: Preconcert Chamber Music (Free)**  
Harris Concert Hall  
Jiacheng Xiong piano  
Mehana Ellis piano

RACHMANINOFF: Preludes 5, 10, 11, and 12 from 13 Preludes, op. 23

**| 5:30**  
**Chamber Symphony: Beethoven's "Eroica" (\$92, \$75, \$45)**  
Klein Music Tent  
Cristian Măcelaru<sup>A</sup> conductor  
Marina Piccinini flute

SARAH KIRKLAND SNIDER: Forward Into Light  
CHRISTOPHER THEOFANIDIS: Flute Concerto (AMFS Co-Commission)

BEETHOVEN: Symphony No. 3 in E-flat major, op. 55, "Eroica"

**SATURDAY  
AUGUST 17**

**| 10:00**  
Opera Encounters: Arias and Scenes (\$40)  
Wheeler Opera House  
Christina Goerke host

**| 1:30**  
**Spotlight Recital (Free)**  
Aspen Community Church

**| 4:30**  
**Chamber Music (\$45)**  
Harris Concert Hall  
Aspen Contemporary Ensemble  
Timothy Weiss conductor  
Joaquín Valdepeñas<sup>A</sup> clarinet  
Alexander Kerr violin  
Victoria Chiang<sup>A</sup> viola  
Michael Mermagen cello<sup>A</sup>  
Brinton Averil Smith cello<sup>A</sup>  
Darrett Adkins<sup>A</sup> cello

AUGUSTA READ THOMAS<sup>A</sup>: ABRACADABRA (World Premiere, AMFS Co-Commission)  
MOZART: Clarinet Quintet in A major, K. 581  
VILLA-LOBOS: Bachianas brasileiras No. 1  
Bachianas brasileiras No. 5

**| 7:00**  
**Mozart's *The Marriage of Figaro* (\$95, \$65, \$25 obstructed)**  
Wheeler Opera House  
Matthew Aucoin conductor  
Sara Erde director  
Artists of Aspen Opera Theater and VocalARTS

**| 7:30 ARTIST CHANGE**  
**Special Event: A Recital by James Ehnes violin and Alessio Bax piano (\$95, \$75)**  
Harris Concert Hall  
MOZART: Violin Sonata in E minor, K. 304 (K. 300c)  
BRAHMS: Violin Sonata No. 1 in G major, op. 78

BEETHOVEN: Violin Sonata No. 9 in A major, op. 47, "Kreutzer"

**SUNDAY  
AUGUST 18**

**| 9:00**  
AMFS Architectural and History Tour (Free; ticket required)  
Paepcke Terrace

**| 9:30**  
**Aspen Festival Orchestra Dress Rehearsal (\$20)**  
Klein Music Tent

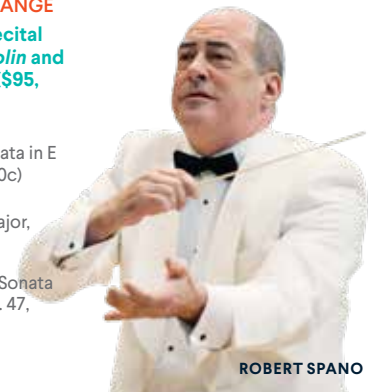
**| 3:00**  
**Prelude: Preconcert Talk (Free)**  
Harris Concert Hall  
Joseph Pfender speaker

**| 4:00**  
**Festival Orchestra: Spano Conducts Wagner, Ohlsson Plays Liszt (\$100, \$80, \$50)**  
Klein Music Tent  
Robert Spano conductor  
Christine Goerke soprano  
Greer Grimsley bass-baritone  
Tamara Wilson<sup>A</sup> soprano  
Lauren Decker<sup>A</sup> contralto  
Artists of Aspen Opera Theater and VocalARTS

BERLIOZ: Royal Hunt and Storm, from *Les Troyens*  
LISZT: Piano Concerto No. 2 in A major, LW H6

WAGNER: Act III from *Die Walküre*

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