

SEP **29/30** OCT **1**

Fri/Sat: 8pm Sun: 3pm

BEETHOVEN AND THE
BLIND BANISTER

Courtney Lewis, conductor
Jonathan Biss, piano

SCHUBERT Symphony No. 5
ANDRES *The Blind Banister*
BEETHOVEN Piano Concerto No. 2
SIBELIUS Symphony No. 5

OCT **20/21**

Fri/Sat: 8pm

CZECHMATE

Courtney Lewis, conductor
Jennifer Johnston, mezzo-soprano

JANACEK *Taras Bulba*
MAHLER *Rückert Lieder*
DVOŘÁK Symphony No. 6

NOV **10/11/12**

Fri/Sat: 8pm Sun: 3pm

FABIO, FAURÉ AND
FANTASTIQUE

Fabio Mechetti, conductor
Jessica Pray, soprano • tbd, baritone
Jacksonville Symphony Chorus

FAURÉ *Requiem*
BERLIOZ *Symphonie Fantastique*

DEC **1/2/3**

Fri/Sat: 8pm Sun: 3pm

GERMAN GIANTS

Courtney Lewis, conductor
Tai Murray, violin

SCHOENBERG Five Pieces for Orchestra
MENDELSSOHN Violin Concerto
BEETHOVEN Symphony No. 3 "Eroica"

JAN **5/6**

Fri/Sat: 8pm

TCHAIKOVSKY'S
PIANO CONCERTO

Courtney Lewis, conductor
Zhang Zuo, piano

SCHUMANN *Manfred Overture*
TCHAIKOVSKY Piano Concerto No. 1
NIELSEN Symphony No. 4

FEB **2/3**

Fri/Sat: 8pm

NOTES FROM THE EMPIRE

Courtney Lewis, conductor
Anthony Marwood, violin

BRITTEN *Sinfonia da Requiem*
BERG Violin Concerto
ELGAR Symphony No. 1

FEB **23/24/25**

Fri/Sat: 8pm Sun: 3pm

SHOSTAKOVICH FIVE

Nathan Aspinall, conductor
Behzod Abduraimov, piano

RACHMANINOFF Piano Concerto No. 3
SHOSTAKOVICH Symphony No. 5

MAR **16/18**

Fri: 8pm Sun: 3pm

DON GIOVANNI
SYMPHONIC STAGED OPERA

Courtney Lewis, conductor

MOZART *Don Giovanni*

APR **6/7**

Fri/Sat: 8pm

BRAHMS AND BRUCKNER

Courtney Lewis, conductor

BRAHMS Symphony No. 3
BRUCKNER Symphony No. 7

APR **27/28**

Fri/Sat: 8pm

CLASSICAL
CONVERSATIONS

Sergey Neller, conductor and piano

HAYDN Symphony No. 102
MOZART Piano Concerto No. 21
STRAVINSKY *Pulcinella Suite*
PROKOFIEV Classical Symphony

MAY **18/19/20**

Fri/Sat: 8pm Sun: 3pm

AMERICAN LANDSCAPES

Kazem Abdullah, conductor • Julian Schwarz, cello

ELLINGTON *Three Black Kings*
BARBER *Adagio for Strings*
BERNSTEIN *On the Waterfront*
LIEBERMANN Cello Concerto
(co-commissioned by the Jacksonville Symphony)
HANSON Symphony No. 2

June **1/2**

Fri/Sat: 8pm

TWILIGHT OF THE GODS

Courtney Lewis, conductor • Christine Brewer, soprano
Jay Hunter Morris, tenor • Paul Whelan, bass
Jacksonville Symphony Chorus

HARVEY *Tranquil Abiding*
DEBUSSY *Iberia*
WAGNER *Götterdämmerung* (selections)

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SEP 22/23/24

Fri/Sat: 8pm Sun: 3pm

THE MAMBO KINGS

Nathan Aspinall, conductor

Celebrate National Hispanic Heritage Month with the Symphony and the Mambo Kings' explosive blend of Afro-Cuban, Latin rhythms and jazz improvisation.

OCT 14/15

Sat: 7pm Sun: 3pm

HARRY POTTER AND THE SORCERER'S STONE

FILM WITH ORCHESTRA

Nathan Aspinall, conductor • Jacksonville Symphony Chorus
Rescued from the neglect of his aunt and uncle, a young boy with great destiny proves his worth while attending the Hogwarts School of Witchcraft and Wizardry. Hear the Symphony play John Williams' fantastic score live to the movie and experience it like never before.

NOV 17/18

Fri/Sat: 8pm

THE DOO WOP PROJECT

Michael Krajewski, conductor

Join Michael Krajewski, The Doo Wop Project and the Symphony for a trip back in time to the 1950s and early 60s – the wonderful era of Doo Wop music. Featuring the songs of Smokey Robinson, The Four Seasons, The Del Vikings, The Earl and so many more of your favorites.

DEC 7/8/9/10

Thu: 7:30pm Fri: 8pm

Sat: 3pm & 8pm Sun: 3pm

HOLIDAY POPS

Jacksonville Symphony Chorus

Jacksonville's favorite holiday tradition is back and better than ever. Featuring the talents of the Symphony, Symphony Chorus, guest singers, dancers, and the area's only guaranteed snowfall. You'll want to get your tickets early as good seats go quickly.

DEC 31

Sun: 9pm

NEW YEAR'S EVE

ORCHESTRAL LUNACY

Timothy Hankewich, conductor

Tomáš Kubínek, performance artist

Internationally acclaimed performer Tomáš Kubínek brings hilarity and charm to the Symphony stage in a work of grand music, madcap brilliance and old world panache.

New Year's Eve After-Party – dancing, champagne and fireworks.
Party tickets ARE NOT included with concert ticket.

JAN 26/27

Fri/Sat: 8pm

THE MAGIC OF THE MOVIES

Michael Krajewski, conductor

Lori Wilshire, vocalist

Whether the score or the songs, music and movies are inextricably connected. Relive *Gone With the Wind*, *The Wizard of Oz*, *Titanic*, *The Way We Were* and many more as Lori Wilshire, Michael Krajewski and the Symphony perform the iconic scores and songs from your favorite films.

FEB 16/17

Fri/Sat: 7pm

RAIDERS OF THE LOST ARK

FILM WITH ORCHESTRA

The NY Times called *Raiders*, "...one of the most deliriously funny, ingenious and stylish American adventure movies ever made." From the incredible minds of Steven Spielberg and George Lucas, now you and the whole family can see it like never before with John Williams' score played live to the film by the Symphony.

MAR 2/3

Fri/Sat: 8pm

CRAZY ARC OF LOVE

Michael Krajewski, conductor

Storm Large, vocalist

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Do not miss it when the fabulous and often controversial Storm Large joins the Symphony and Principal Pops conductor Michael Krajewski for a night of classic songs of romance. Enjoy the excitement and mystery of love.

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LEGENDS: DIANA ROSS, BILLIE HOLIDAY, BEYONCÉ AND MORE

Nathan Aspinall, conductor • N'Kenge, vocalist

She's sung for Presidents, at the EMMYs, Lincoln Center and Carnegie Hall. N'Kenge returns to the Symphony to bring you the songs of African-American greats including Billie Holiday, Diana Ross, Leontyne Price, Beyoncé and more. Don't miss this celebrated singer who was recently nominated as Best Lead Actress in a Musical for Elton John's *Aida*.

APR 13/14

Fri/Sat: 8pm

BIG BAD VOODOO DADDY

Nathan Aspinall, conductor

They have sold-out venues from The Hollywood Bowl to Lincoln Center. Now they're bringing their special blend of jazz and swing music to Jacksonville. If you like music that gets your feet tapping and your hands clapping, you'll love Big Bad Voodoo Daddy.

MAY 4/5

Fri/Sat: 8pm

REINEKE, RODGERS AND HAMMERSTEIN

Steven Reineke, conductor

TONYs, OSCARs, EMMYs, GRAMMYs, PULITZERs.

Rodgers and Hammerstein won them all for musicals we'll never forget including *Carousel*, *The King and I*, *Oklahoma* and *The Sound of Music*. Join the Symphony and Pops great Steven Reineke as we bring you an evening of the best songs from arguably the best songwriting team ever.

MAY 25/26

Fri/Sat: 8pm

PATRIOTIC POPS

Join the Symphony as we celebrate Memorial Day and honor those in the U.S. military who made the ultimate sacrifice while protecting our freedom. Hear your favorite patriotic songs from the Star-Spangled Banner to themes of the great branches of our military. It promises to be one of the most inspiring events of the season.

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JACKSONVILLE SYMPHONY COFFEE SERIES

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FEB 9

BEETHOVEN'S "PASTORAL"

Nathan Aspinall, conductor
The Florida Ballet

COPLAND *Appalachian Spring*
BEETHOVEN Symphony No. 6 "Pastoral"

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BRUCKNER SYMPHONY NO. 7

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MAY 4

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Ryan Silverman & Ashley Brown, guest vocalists
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