

SEP **29/30**

Fri/Sat: 8pm

**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

JANÁČEK *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
Bradley Smoak, 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*
NIELSEN Symphony No. 4
“Inextinguishable”
TCHAIKOVSKY Piano Concerto No. 1

FEB **2/3**

Fri/Sat: 8pm

REQUIEM FOR AN ANGEL

Courtney Lewis, conductor
Anthony Marwood, violin

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

FEB **23/24**

Fri/Sat: 8pm

SHOSTAKOVICH FIVE

Nathan Aspinall, conductor
Behzod Abduraimov, piano

RACHMANINOFF Piano Concerto No. 3
SHOSTAKOVICH Symphony No. 5

MAR **16/17**

Fri/Sat: 8pm

MOZART AND FRIENDS

Courtney Lewis, conductor
MOZART Ballet music from *Idomeneo*
TCHAIKOVSKY Serenade for Strings
DEBUSSY *Prelude to the Afternoon
of a Faun*
MOZART Symphony No. 39

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, one of the world's foremost Latin jazz ensembles. The Mambo Kings have rapidly earned a national reputation for their explosive blend of Afro-Cuban rhythms and jazz improvisation.

OCT 6/7

Fri/Sat: 8pm

THE TEXAS TENORS

Nathan Aspinall, conductor

From Bruno Mars to Puccini, Marcus Collins, John Hagen and JC Fisher treat audiences to a unique blend of country, classical, Broadway and current pop music. They use breathtaking vocals, humor and a touch of cowboy charm to create an unforgettable live show.

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

Nathan Aspinall, conductor

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 with the film.

MAR 2/3

Fri/Sat: 8pm

CRAZY ARC OF LOVE

Michael Krajewski, conductor • Storm Large, vocalist

"...show stealer Ms. [Storm] Large is sensational.

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Do not miss it when the fabulous and sometimes 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.

MAR 23/24

Fri/Sat: 8pm

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

WINDBORNE'S MUSIC OF DAVID BOWIE

Nathan Aspinall, conductor

"Bowie has come to not just represent his innovations but to symbolize modern rock as an idiom in which literacy, art, style and social commentary could be rolled into one." So said *Rolling Stone Magazine*. He was gone far too young and far too soon. Be there for the Symphony's tribute to the life and music of the incredible David Bowie.

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 26

Sat: 8pm

PATRIOTIC POPS

Nathan Aspinall, conductor

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 selections 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

SEP 29

SCHUBERT AND SIBELIUS

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SCHUBERT Symphony No. 5
SIBELIUS Symphony No. 5

OCT 20

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FEB 9

APPALACHIAN SPRING

Nathan Aspinall, conductor
The Florida Ballet

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

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APR 6

BRUCKNER SYMPHONY NO. 7

Courtney Lewis, conductor

BRUCKNER Symphony No. 7

MAY 4

REINEKE, RODGERS AND HAMMERSTEIN

Steven Reineke, conductor
Ryan Silverman & Ashley Brown, guest vocalists
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MAY 25

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