

SEP **30** OCT **1/2**

Fri/Sat: 8pm Sun: 3pm

RACHMANINOFF AND THE RITE

Courtney Lewis, conductor
Inon Barnatan, piano

ANDERSON Imagin'd Corners
RACHMANINOFF Piano Concerto No. 2
STRAVINSKY The Rite of Spring

OCT **20/21/22**

Thu: 7:30pm Fri/Sat: 8pm

BACHTOBERFEST

Jeannette Sorrell, conductor

HANDEL Water Music Suite
VIVALDI La Folia
BACH Brandenburg Concerto No. 5
BACH Brandenburg Concerto No. 4

NOV **11/12**

Fri/Sat: 8pm

THE DREAM OF GERONTIUS

Courtney Lewis, conductor
Steven Ebel, tenor
Jill Grove, mezzo-soprano
Kevin Deas, bass-baritone
Jacksonville Symphony Chorus

ELGAR The Dream of Gerontius

DEC **2/3/4**

Fri/Sat: 8pm Sun: 3pm

HANSEL AND GRETEL

Courtney Lewis, conductor

HUMPERDINCK Hansel and Gretel

JAN **6/7**

Fri/Sat: 8pm

MOZART AND MCGILL

Courtney Lewis, conductor
Anthony McGill, clarinet

BEETHOVEN Symphony No. 2
MOZART Clarinet Concerto
SIBELIUS Symphony No. 7

JAN **20/21/22**

Fri/Sat: 8pm Sun: 3pm

BRAHMS AND BEYOND

Hugh Wolff, conductor
Joshua Roman, cello

SCHIFF Stomp
ELGAR Cello Concerto
BRAHMS Symphony No. 2

FEB **3/4**

Fri/Sat: 8pm

FRENCH CONNECTION

Courtney Lewis, conductor
Michael McHale, piano

BERLIOZ Roman Carnival Overture
DUTILLEUX Métaboles
RAVEL Piano Concerto in G Major
RAVEL La Valse

MAR **3/4**

Fri/Sat: 8pm

CLASSICAL CORNERSTONES

Courtney Lewis, conductor
Shai Wosner, piano

WEBER Oberon Overture
BARTOK Divertimento
LIGETI Piano Concerto
HAYDN Symphony No. 96 "Miracle"

MAR **23/24/25**

Thu: 7:30pm Fri/Sat: 8pm

MENDELSSOHN'S SCOTTISH SYMPHONY

Nathan Aspinall, conductor
Eric Olson, oboe

STRAUSS Don Juan
VAUGHAN WILLIAMS Oboe Concerto
MENDELSSOHN Symphony No. 3
"Scottish"

APR **6/7/8**

Thu: 7:30pm Fri/Sat: 8pm

CANELLAKIS CONDUCTS SHOSTAKOVICH

Karina Canellakis, conductor

BEETHOVEN Egmont Overture
NORMAN Unstuck
SHOSTAKOVICH Symphony No. 15

APR **28/29/30**

Fri/Sat: 8pm Sun: 3pm

TCHAIKOVSKY'S PATHETIQUE

Courtney Lewis, conductor
Ayano Ninomiya, violin

STRAVINSKY Violin Concerto
TCHAIKOVSKY Symphony No. 6
"Pathétique"

MAY **19/20/21**

Fri/Sat: 8pm Sun: 3pm

MAHLER'S RESURRECTION

Courtney Lewis, conductor
Laura Tatulescu, soprano
Susan Platts, mezzo-soprano

MAHLER Symphony No. 2
"Resurrection"

OCT 14/15/16

Fri/Sat: 8pm Sun: 3pm

**DISNEY'S
BROADWAY HITS**

Disney has astonished millions worldwide with theatrical productions such as *Beauty and the Beast*, *The Little Mermaid*, *Mary Poppins* and *The Lion King*. Disney's own world-class singers join the Jacksonville Symphony to perform your favorite songs from these shows as you've never heard them before. The entire family will love this concert.

NOV 4/5

Fri/Sat: 8pm

ELLA AND LOUIS

THE LADY'S CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION

To celebrate Ella Fitzgerald's 100th birthday, we'll take you on a journey through the most famous duets and solos recorded by two of jazz's greatest legends. With hits like "Sentimental Journey," "The Man I Love," and selections from *Porgy and Bess*, you won't want to miss this wonderful, nostalgic night of music.

NOV 18

Fri: 7pm

**THE NIGHTMARE
BEFORE CHRISTMAS**

FILM WITH ORCHESTRA

Tim Burton's film *The Nightmare Before Christmas* was called, "A stunningly original, visually delightful work." Follow Jack through his adventure from Halloween Town to Christmas Town as he shakes the holidays up a bit. Add Danny Elfman's enigmatic soundtrack performed live by the Symphony and it's an experience never seen (or heard) before.

**DEC 8/9/10/11**

Thu: 7:30pm Fri: 8pm

Sat: 3pm & 8pm Sun: 3pm

HOLIDAY POPS

Jacksonville's favorite Holiday tradition is back and better than ever. Featuring the talents of the Jacksonville Symphony and Symphony Chorus, guest performers and the area's only guaranteed snowfall, you'll want to secure your seats early. Tickets won't last!

DEC 31

Sat: 9pm

NEW YEAR'S EVE

WITH STEVE REINEKE - THE BEST IS YET TO COME

Pops conductor Steve Reineke creates a program reflecting the timeless songs of the American legend, Frank Sinatra. Join the Chairman of the Board and other members of the "Rat Pack" for classics like "Fly Me To The Moon," and "My Way." Then, join us at the hottest party in town, complete with dancing, champagne and fireworks.

JAN 13/14

Fri/Sat: 8pm

**JOURNEY, THE EAGLES,
FLEETWOOD MAC AND MORE**

Conductor Michael Krajewski leads the Symphony and guest vocalists as they bring you the music of three of America's greatest bands. The Eagles and Fleetwood Mac are in The Rock & Roll Hall of Fame. Journey will be there soon. Hear "Don't Stop Believin'," "Hotel California," "Go Your Own Way" and many more.

FEB 11

Sat: 7pm

WEST SIDE STORY

FILM WITH ORCHESTRA

The winner of ten Academy Awards. See and hear it like never before as the Jacksonville Symphony gives a live performance of Leonard Bernstein's most famous score while the newly remastered film is shown on the big screen. This is the perfect way to reconnect with this timeless classic, or introduce a younger loved one to it.

**FEB 24/25**

Fri/Sat: 8pm

**SECOND CITY'S GUIDE TO
THE SYMPHONY**

The legendary Second City comedy theatre and the Jacksonville Symphony team up to bring you a show, filled with comedy, satire, songs, improvisation and incredible classical music. This light-hearted comic performance will take on all things orchestral, from colorful musicians to the mighty Maestro. Join us for a night of hilarious music making.

PG-13

Some material may be inappropriate for children under 13.

MAR 17/18

Fri/Sat: 8pm

THE CHIEFTAINS

"The world's best-loved Irish folk band." Synonymous with Irish music, The Chieftains are THE quintessential band from the Emerald Isle. With green beer, corned beef and cabbage and more, everyone in Jacoby Symphony Hall will be Irish this St. Patrick's Day.

APR 1

Sat: 7pm

**BUGS BUNNY AT
THE SYMPHONY**

FILM WITH ORCHESTRA

Many of us were introduced to classical music by none other than...Bugs Bunny. From "What's Opera Doc?," to the "Rabbit of Seville," all our favorites return on the big screen, accompanied by the Jacksonville Symphony. Bring the family for great laughs and great music.

**APR 21/22**

Fri/Sat: 8pm

BOND AND BEYOND

From *Dr. No* to *Spectre* there have been 24 Bond films. Hear the best music from them all including songs like "Goldfinger," "The Spy Who Loved Me," "Diamonds are Forever" and scores by some of the greatest movie composers of our generation, including Marvin Hamlisch, John Barry and Thomas Newman.

MAY 12/13

Fri/Sat: 8pm

SGT. PEPPER'S

50TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

Join Michael Krajewski, the Jacksonville Symphony and special guest artists as we celebrate the 50th anniversary of the greatest album of all time. Hear "Lovely Rita," "When I'm 64" and more. The 2016-2017 Pops Series comes to a close with this legendary performance you won't want to miss.

OCT 7 Fri: 11am

RUSSIAN FANTASY

Courtney Lewis, conductor

Join the Jacksonville symphony for the music of two of Russia's most celebrated composers. Tchaikovsky's Symphony No. 2 was his most joyful composition and Stravinsky's Rite of Spring is one of the most recorded works in the classical repertoire.

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BEETHOVEN
AND SIBELIUS

Courtney Lewis, conductor

BEETHOVEN Symphony No. 2
SIBELIUS Symphony No. 7

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RAVEL Piano Concerto in G Major
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HAYDN Symphony No. 96 "Miracle"

MAR 24 Fri: 11am

BRITISH ISLES
FANTASY

Nathan Aspinall, conductor

BRITTEN
Four Sea Interludes from "Peter Grimes"

MENDELSSOHN
Symphony No. 3 "Scottish"

APR 7 Fri: 11am

CANELLAKIS
CONDUCTS
SHOSTAKOVICH

Karina Canellakis, conductor

SHOSTAKOVICH
Symphony No. 15

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Michael Krajewski, conductor

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MAY 26 Fri: 11am

PATRIOTIC POPS

Memorial Day is a day of honor and reverence. It is the time during which we gather to remember those who made the ultimate sacrifice for us. Join the Jacksonville Symphony as we celebrate with music the memory of the over 1 million who lost their lives protecting America.



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