30h Annual Holiday Treat Concert Sunday, December 15, 2013 **

HOLIDAY TREAT FEATURES SYMPHONY, CHORUS, & VICTORIAN DANCERS

It's a Holiday Treat for all! The Carson City Symphony presents the 30th annual Holiday Treat concert on Sunday, December 15, 4:00 p.m., at the

Bob Boldrick Theater in the Carson City Community Center, 851 E. William Street.

The Symphony will be joined on the program by the Carson City Symphony Chorus, directed by Michael Langham, and the Victorian Dancers, directed and choreographed by Linda Arnn.



Pre-concert entertainment by the Carson High Brass Ensemble begins at 3:00 p.m. in the lobby. The Symphony, conducted by Music Director/ Conductor David Bugli, will perform Russian Christmas Music

by Alfred Reed, the lighthearted *Let It Snow! Let It Snow! Let It Snow!* by Jule Styne, *Rumores* by Nicaraguan composer Carlos Ramírez-Velázquez, *Sinfonia Pastorale* from Handel's *Messiah*, and more. The Victorian Dancers will appear in *Skater's Waltz*.

The Carson City Symphony Chorus will sing *Sure on this Shining Night*, *Lux Aurumque*, the Austrian carol *Still*, *still*, and the traditional *The Twelve Days of Christmas*. Performers and audience will join together for the Holiday Treat traditional closing, *A Christmas Singalong*.

The concert is made possible, in part, by grants from the Nevada Arts Council, a state agency, and the National Endowment for the Arts, a federal agency; and by private donations.

Treat your whole family: tickets are \$15 general admission; \$12 for seniors, students, and Symphony Association members; and free for children age 16 and under. Tickets are available in advance at Play Your Own Music in the Carson Mall, by mail (see form on back of newsletter) online at CCSymphony.com, or at the door.

Concert information: 775-883-4154, or CCSymphony.com.

** AFTER THE CONCERT ON DEC. 15 **

Join us for a dinner reception at

Beijing Palace

4250 Cochise Street, Carson Street

Reservations required

Call the Symphony at 775-883-4154 by Wed., Dec. 5

BLOOD DONORS ADMITTED FREE

Donate at United Blood Services' Carson City Donor Center, Sat., Dec. 7, through Sat., Dec. 14, and you may receive a complimentary ticket to the Holiday Treat concert. Call 775-887-9111 for Donor Center hours.

STRINGS IN THE SCHOOLS

Strings in the Schools, Carson City Symphony's after-school program directed by Sue Jesch, presented "This is Not a Christmas Concert" on Dec. 3. About 100 string players, including public-, private-, and home-schooled students, performed. The program featured beginning violins, beginning cellos; a youth string ensemble; and STRAZZ, the advanced alternative-styles ensemble.

STRAZZ also played on Dec. 7 at Trader Joe's in the afternoon and for the *Peanutcracker* ballet audience in the evening.

Other student strings performances this month:

Thurs., Dec. 12, 6:00 p.m. - Eagle Valley Middle School Concert (bands, orchestra, & choir) at Eagle Valley Middle School.

Thurs., Dec. 12, 6:30 p.m. - Carson Middle School Concert (bands & orchestra) at Carson City Community Center.

Wed., Dec. 18, 7:00 p.m. - Carson High School Concert (orchestra & bands) at Carson City Community Center.

"NOT QUITE READY" ADULT ENSEMBLE & CHRISTMAS CAROL PLAYALONG FOR STRINGS, DEC. 20

The Not Quite Ready for Carnegie Hall Players (NQR), an educational program of the Symphony Association, is a string ensemble for adult beginning, intermediate, and returning musicians directed by Sue Jesch. They meet Thursday mornings at 1329 S. Carson St. (behind Carl's Jr.) in the Carson Mall, and perform at local retirement residences. They recently played at Evergreen Mountain View, and they will join in the sixth annual Christmas Carol Playalong at the Carson Mall on Fri., Dec. 20, at 1:30 p.m. String players are invited to join the ensemble and the Playalong. For information about NQR and sheet music for the Playalong, please contact Sue Jesch at 775-450-5584 or sue@tahoefiddler.com.

CONSORT CANZONA PRESENTS A 17TH CENTURY CHRISTMAS DECEMBER 8

Consort Canzona, founded by Sharon Kientz 2009, is a select group of local instrumentalists and singers, many of whom are members of the Carson City Symphony and Chorus. They will present a seasonal program of Baroque works on Sunday, December 8, at 7:00 p.m. in Shepherd of the Sierra Lutheran Church, 3680 Highway 395 South (next to Best Buy) in Carson City. Performers include singers and a recorder-harpsichord-cello ensemble.

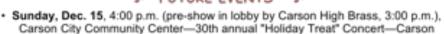
CARSON VALLEY POPS CONCERT DECEMBER 14

Many Carson City Symphony musicians also play in the Carson Valley Pops Orchestra, conducted by Elizabeth Eubanks. Carson Valley Pops invites you to their Winter Concert on Sat., Dec. 14, 7:00 p.m., at CVIC Hall in Minden. Admission is free.



DAVID BUGLL MUSIC DIRECTOR/CONDUCTOR MICHAEL LANGHAM, CHORAL DIRECTOR SUE JESCH, EDUCATION DIRECTOR

City Symphony with Carson City Symphony Chorus and Victorian Dancers.



- Friday, Dec. 20, 1:30-2:30 p.m., Carson Mall—Sixth annual Christmas Carol Playalong for Strings. to play, call 775-450-5584 for sheet music. Admission
- Sunday, Feb. 23, 4:00 p.m. (lobby entertainment 3:00 p.m., preview 3:15 p.m.), Carson City Community Center-Carson City Symphony with guest clarinetist, Christopher Money, playing Weber's Clarinet Concerto No. 2.
- Sunday, April 6, 4:00 p.m., and Tuesday, April 8, 7:30 p.m., Pioneer Center for the Performing Arts, Reno-Carson Chamber Singers join the Reno Philharmonic Chorus and Orchestra in Vaughan Williams Symphony No. 1, "A Sea Symphony." Information and tickets: 775-323-6393 or www.renophil.com.
- Thursday, April 24— 6:30 p.m., Carson City Community Center—Strings in the Schools' Spring Concert— Beginning violins, violin ensemble, and STRAZZ. Admission free.
- Sunday, April 27, 4:00 p.m. (lobby entertainment 3:00 p.m., preview 3:15 p.m.), Carson City Community Center-Carson City Symphony with guest violinist Andrew Sords playing Tchaikovsky's Violin Concerto, and premiere of commissioned work commemorating Carson City Symphony's 30th season and Nevada's 150th year.
- · Saturday, May 17, Strings "Ukulele Festival" workshop and public concert. Admission free.
- A Sunday in June, 3:00 p.m., Governor's Mansion (outdoors)—"Pops Party" Concert. Carson City Symphony, Carson Chamber Singers, Youth Strings, and guest soloist. Admission free.

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