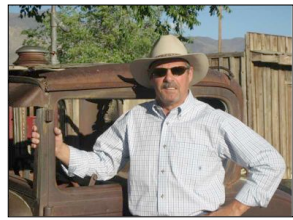


Pops Party Concert - Cowboys & Cowgirls

Sunday, June 10, 2012

28TH ANNUAL POPS PARTY CONCERT

The beautiful back lawn of the Governor's Mansion is the site of the Carson City Symphony's twenty-eighth annual Pops Party concert on Sunday, June 10, 2012, at 3:00 p.m. The program, "Cowboys & Cowgirls," features the Carson City Symphony, Carson Chamber Singers, Strings in the Schools youth orchestra, and guest singer-songwriter Richard Elloyan. Grounds open and pre-concert entertainment begins at 2:00 p.m. Admission is free.



The Symphony, directed by David Bugli, will play western tunes including traditional, television, musical, ballet, and movie themes. A highlight will be arrangements of Richard Elloyan's original songs, "Alkali Rose" and "Great Basin Waltz," featuring Elloyan and orchestra. The Symphony will be joined by more than 30 Strings in the Schools students for "Horse Tails," an arrangement of favorite cowboy tunes.

The Carson Chamber Singers, conducted by outgoing director Judy Monson, will sing a medley of tunes from the musical "Oklahoma," the traditional cowboy song "Red River Valley," and with the Symphony, an "Annie Get Your Gun" medley. Michael Langham, new director of the Carson Chamber Singers beginning in the fall, will be introduced to the public at the concert.

The concert is funded in part by grants from the Nevada Arts Council, a state agency, and the National Endowment for the Arts, a federal agency; Partnership Carson City; and the Nevada Commission on Tourism.

Western attire is appropriate. Seating is on the lawn; the audience is welcome to bring blankets or lawn chairs (some chairs will be provided) and food. Snacks and beverages will be on sale before and during the concert. Proceeds from raffle and food sales benefit the Carson City Symphony Association's artistic and educational programs. In case of rain, the concert will be held indoors at a location to be determined. Info: Symphony at 775-883-4154 or check the web site: CCSymphony.com.

Official Notice! ANNUAL MEETING & PICNIC JUNE 13

The Carson City Symphony Association's annual meeting and picnic will be on Wed., June 13, 6:30 p.m., at the home of Tom Henderson and Valerie Perkins in Carson City. Symphony musicians, Chamber Singers, Association members, and friends are invited to attend. Main dish and beverages will be provided. Please bring a side dish, salad, or dessert to share.

At the meeting, we will elect members to the nine-member Board of Trustees, acknowledge volunteers, and have fun. Each Association member gets one vote; family memberships (two or more at the same address) get two votes. Current members are listed inside the back cover of concert programs. A membership list, financial statement, report of activities of last year, plans for next year, and budget for next year will be available to members at the annual meeting. For information, reservations, and directions, call 775-883-4154.

CARSON CITY SYMPHONY ASSOCIATION ANNOUNCES NEW DIRECTOR FOR CARSON CHAMBER SINGERS

We are delighted to announce the selection of Michael Langham as new director of Carson Chamber Singers beginning next season, when Judy Monson, our esteemed founding director, steps down after 27 years. Mr. Langham will be introduced to the public at the Pops Party concert, where he will be playing harp and keyboard with the Symphony.



The search committee, including members of the Symphony Association Board of Trustees and Chamber Singers, selected Michael Langham after a thorough search, interviews, auditions, and input from the singers. We commend the committee for bringing us such a superb, multi-talented musician to build on the Singers' 27-year history and bring an exciting new perspective to choral music in the Capital City.

Michael Langham has served as accompanist and coach for the Carson Chamber Singers, and last year he performed as organ soloist with the Carson City Symphony as part of Artown in Reno. He is Director of Music, Choirmaster, and Organist at Trinity Episcopal Church in Reno and a founding member of Quintessence, the Carson City Harp Ensemble.

A graduate of Marshall University in Huntington, West Virginia, Mr. Langham earned degrees in Education and Accounting, with a major in piano and minor in organ, voice, and harp. His Master of Music in Church Music is from the prestigious Westminster Choir College in Princeton, New Jersey, where he specialized in Choral Conducting and Harp. A member of the American Guild of Organists, American Harp Society, Choristers Guild, and the American Guild of English Handbell Ringers, Michael Langham has held Music Director/Organist positions in churches in Redwood City, San Mateo, and Burlingame, California.

Join the Symphony's STRINGS IN THE SUMMER 2012 A 6-WEEK PROGRAM FOR STRING PLAYERS OF ALL AGES Each class features at least one new tune. Come learn them all!

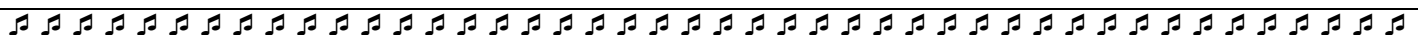
Classes meet at Carson Mall, 8:30 to 10:00 a.m. Tuition is FREE! Priority will be given to current Strings in the Schools students; Carson Middle, Eagle Valley Middle, and Carson High School orchestra students; and Symphony Association members. Info: Sue Jesch, 775-450-5584 or sue@tahoefiddler.com.

ASSOCIATION MEMBERS

Membership donations keep our programs going! Members are listed in concert programs, and we are grateful for your support. For membership information and form, go to CCSymphony.com or call membership chair Norma Summey at 775-267-1917.



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Future Events 775-883-4154 CCSymphony.com



Richard Elloyan, singer/songwriter. Free.

Mon., July 2, 8:00 p.m., Bartley Ranch, Reno—"Pops at the Ranch" concert—Reno Philharmonic with Carson Chamber Singers & Reno Philharmonic Chorus. Free.

Wed., July 4, festivities 1:00 p.m., concert 4:30 p.m., Mormon Station Park, Genoa—"Pops in the Park" concert—Reno Philharmonic with Carson Chamber Singers & Reno

Philharmonic Chorus. Sponsored by Sierra Philharmonic League. Free.



Thurs., Aug. 2, morning, location to be determined, Strings in the Summer concert. Free. Info: 775-450-5584.

Sun., Aug. 5, 4:00 p.m., Legislative Plaza (outdoors), STRAZZ at Jazz & Beyond Music Festival. Free.

Fri., Aug. 17, 7:30 p.m., Comma Courtyard, 312 S. Carson St.—Strings & All That Jazz at World Dance Open Floor. Free.

Next Season - 2012-13 Symphony Concerts (all on Sundays)

Single Tickets: \$15 general, \$12 Assoc. members, seniors, & students; free age 16 and under

Oct. 21, 4pm at CC Community Center
Dec. 9, 4pm at CC Community Center
Feb. 24, 4pm at CC Community Center

April 28, 4pm at CC Community Center
A Sunday in June, 3pm at the Governor's Mansion (outdoors)

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