



Sunriver
& Music
Festival

BRETT MITCHELL
Artistic Director & Conductor

46TH SEASON

SCHEDULE & TICKET INFORMATION

4 - 17
AUGUST
2023
SUNRIVER
& BEND
OREGON

Painting by Maria Leistad
"Sunriver's Trumpeter"



46th Season
**SUMMER
 FESTIVAL**
 AUGUST 4-17, 2023
 CONCERT SERIES

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Sunriver Music Festival is committed to expanding the audience for classical music by nurturing the next generation of artistic talent and by presenting a world-class musical experience for Central Oregon residents and visitors.

THE MAESTRO

Artistic Director & Conductor Brett Mitchell

Hailed for presenting engaging, in-depth explorations of thoughtfully curated programs,



Brett Mitchell marks his second season as Artistic Director & Conductor of Sunriver Music Festival in August 2023. He previously served as Music Director of the Colorado Symphony (2017-21), Associate Conductor of The

Cleveland Orchestra (2013-17), and Assistant Conductor of the Houston Symphony (2007-11) and Orchestre National de France (2006-09).

Mr. Mitchell is also in constant demand as a guest conductor at home and abroad. During the 2022-23 season, he made debuts with the Edmonton Symphony Orchestra and Tulsa Symphony, and reunited for performances with The Cleveland Orchestra, Houston Symphony, and the newly formed San Antonio Philharmonic. Other recent engagements have included appearances with the principal orchestras of Dallas, Detroit, Fort Worth, Indianapolis, Milwaukee, Minnesota, National, North Carolina, Oregon, San Francisco, and the Los Angeles Philharmonic at the Hollywood Bowl. Mr. Mitchell regularly collaborates with the world’s leading soloists, including Yo-Yo Ma, Renée Fleming, Itzhak Perlman, among others.

Born in Seattle in 1979, Mr. Mitchell holds degrees in conducting from the University of Texas at Austin and composition from Western Washington University, which selected him as its Young Alumnus of the Year in 2014 and was one of five recipients of the League of American Orchestras’ American Conducting Fellowship from 2007 to 2010.

Visit brettmitchellconductor.com for full biography.

CONCERT SCHEDULE

CLASSICAL CONCERT I

SATURDAY, AUGUST 5, 2023 7:30 P.M.

TOWER THEATRE, BEND

MOZART *Regina coeli*, K 276 and
Ave verum corpus, K. 618

Featuring the Central Oregon Mastersingers

MOZART *Symphony No. 38, "Prague"*

R. STRAUSS *Suite from Le Bourgeois Gentilhomme*

POPS CONCERT

MONDAY, AUGUST 7, 2023 7:30 P.M.

TOWER THEATRE, BEND

Enjoy the Festival Orchestra in a lively pops concert of Grammy, Oscar, and Tony award-winning themes from an abundance of favorite movies and musicals!

Featuring Sarah Mattox, mezzo-soprano

CLASSICAL CONCERT II

FRIDAY, AUGUST 11, 2023 7:30 P.M.

TOWER THEATRE, BEND

MILHAUD *La création du monde*

BRUCH *Violin Concerto No. 1*

William Hagen, *violin*

BRAHMS *Symphony No. 3*

WILLIAM HAGEN, *violin*, has performed as soloist, recitalist, and chamber musician across the United States, Europe, Asia, and Latin America. In 2022/23, William performs with orchestras around the United States, makes



his debut with the Orquesta Filharmónica de Bogotá, and performs as soloist and chamber musician in several countries in Europe. William has been hailed as a "brilliant virtuoso...a stand-out" (*The Dallas Morning News*) with "an intellectual command of line and score, and just the right amount of power" (violinist.com).

CLASSICAL CONCERT III

MONDAY, AUGUST 14, 2023 7:30 P.M.

SUNRIVER RESORT GREAT HALL

COPLAND *Three Latin American Sketches*

BARBER *Knoxville: Summer of 1915*

Kathryn Mueller, *soprano*

MAHLER *Symphony No. 4*

(arr. Lee) Kathryn Mueller, *soprano*

KATHRYN MUELLER,
soprano

American soprano Kathryn Mueller thrills and connects with audiences with her crystalline sound, personal warmth and musicianship. She sings a wide range of repertoire



from period baroque performances to world premieres of new works. She has received GRAMMY nominations for multiple works including Seraphic Fire's best-selling *Monteverdi Vespers of 1610*, which reached the top of the iTunes classical chart.

DISCOVER THE SYMPHONY CONCERT

TUESDAY, AUGUST 15, 2023 3:00 P.M.

SUNRIVER RESORT GREAT HALL

ANDREW VON OEYEN SOLO PIANO CONCERT

TUESDAY, AUGUST 15, 2023 7:30 P.M.

SUNRIVER RESORT GREAT HALL

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and pages 8-10 for ticket ordering

ALL CONCERTS
AGES 25 AND UNDER
\$25 TICKETS
FOR SEATS IN SECTION C

CONCERT SCHEDULE

CLASSICAL CONCERT IV

THURSDAY, AUGUST 17, 2023

7:30 P.M.

SUNRIVER RESORT GREAT HALL

LIGETI Concert Românesc
 HAYDN Symphony No. 104 in D major, "London"
 BEETHOVEN Piano Concerto No. 5, "Emperor"
 Featuring Andrew von Oeyen, *piano*

Praised internationally for his insightful, elegant artistry and brilliant technique, **ANDREW VON OEYEN**, pianist, has established himself as one of the most captivating pianists of his generation. His critically-acclaimed solo and concerto albums include repertoire ranging from Bach and Beethoven to Debussy, Gershwin, Ravel and Saint-Saëns. 2021 saw the release of his third album for Warner Classics, *Bach-Beethoven*, which was selected as an 'Essential New Release' by *Gramophone* magazine, topping streaming charts on all major platforms (Apple Music, Spotify and IDAGIO).



"Indisputable gifts and an extravagantly thorough and effortless technique."- *The Los Angeles Times*

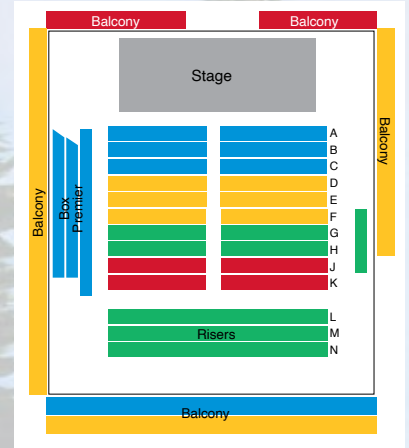
"Brilliant technique can be taken for granted among today's concert pianists, but von Oeyen's playing goes a step further. He leaves you convinced that he can do absolutely anything he likes with a keyboard."- *Chicago Tribune*

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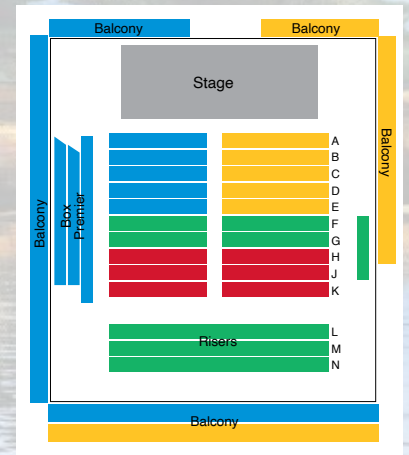
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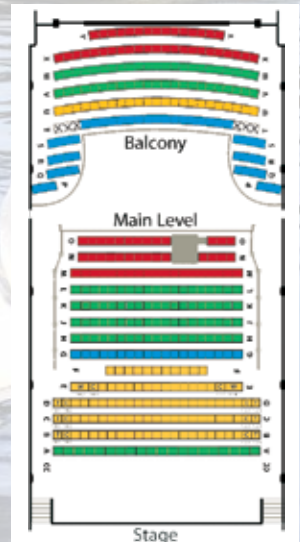
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Purchase tickets online at sunrivermusic.org to select your preferred seats or fill out these forms for the concerts you wish to attend, then turn to page 10 to complete the order process.

SERIES SAVINGS – 10% DISCOUNT!

Purchase tickets for the full concert series of 4 classical concerts, pops and solo piano

CLASSICAL CONCERTS

PREMIER \$87 SECTION C \$45
 SECTION A \$72 SECTION C
 SECTION B \$63 AGES 25 & UNDER \$25

CONCERT	SECTION PREM, A, B OR C	PRICE	X QTY	TOTAL \$
I-August 5 Tower Theatre 7:30pm				
	25 & Under	\$25		
II-August 11 Tower Theatre 7:30pm				
	25 & Under	\$25		
III-August 14 SR Great Hall 7:30pm				
	25 & Under	\$25		
IV-August 17 SR Great Hall 7:30pm				
	25 & Under	\$25		
TOTAL \$				

POPS CONCERT

Monday, August 7 • Tower Theatre • 7:30pm
 Featuring Sarah Mattox, mezzo-soprano

CONCERT	PRICE	X QUANTITY	TOTAL \$
Premier	\$93		
Section A	\$74		
Section B	\$65		
Section C	\$53		
Sec C 25 & Under	\$25		
TOTAL \$			



SOLO PIANO CONCERT

Tuesday, August 15 • Sunriver Resort Great Hall • 7:30pm
 Featuring Andrew von Oeyen, piano

CONCERT	PRICE	X QUANTITY	TOTAL \$
Premier	\$74		
Section A	\$58		
Section B	\$48		
Section C	\$36		
Section C Student	\$25		
TOTAL \$			

DISCOVER THE SYMPHONY MATINEE

Tuesday, August 15 • Sunriver Resort Great Hall • 3:00pm
 Featuring the full Festival Orchestra with a Young Artists scholarship recipient

CONCERT	PRICE	X QUANTITY	TOTAL \$
Gen. Admission	\$15		
Ages 18 & under	Free		
TOTAL \$			



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TOTAL ORDER

Pull out this 2-sided section and place with your payment to Sunriver Music Festival in the attached envelope or visit sunrivermusic.org to select your preferred seats and purchase online.

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CONCERT TICKETS

Aug 5, 11, 14, 17
Classical Concerts Total \$ _____

Aug 7 Pops Concert \$ _____

Aug 15 Solo Piano Concert \$ _____

SERIES SAVINGS: calculate 10% off if purchasing tickets to all 6 concerts above - \$ _____

Aug 15 Discover The Symphony \$ _____

SUMMER FUNDRAISING EVENTS

June 4 Swings fore Strings (\$600/foursome) \$ _____

July 16 Festival Faire Tickets (\$100/person) \$ _____

DONATION OPPORTUNITIES

2023 Membership Tier (see page 11) \$ _____

Young Artists Scholarship Fund \$ _____

Music Education Fund \$ _____

Legacy Endowment Fund \$ _____

Jerry & Mary Sawyer Memorial Fund \$ _____

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GRAND TOTAL \$ _____

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FRIENDS OF THE FESTIVAL

Friends of the Festival membership ensures world-class performances and vital music education programs. It also allows you to purchase tickets as early as April 1 ensuring better availability of your concert and seating preferences. Summer Festival tickets are available to the general public June 1.

CONDUCTOR'S \$1,500

GUILD Artist's Guild Benefits PLUS Framed Signed Poster, Special Recognition in Summer Festival program book. Pre-Sale Ticket Purchase on **April 1**

ARTIST'S \$1,000

GUILD Benefactor Benefits PLUS Invitations to private receptions throughout the year. Pre-Sale Ticket Purchase on **April 8**

BENEFACTOR \$600

Patron Benefits PLUS Invitation to private receptions throughout the year. Pre-Sale Ticket Purchase on **April 15**

PATRON \$300

Donor Benefits PLUS Poster, Pre-Sale Ticket Purchase on **May 1**

DONOR \$100

Sunriver Music Festival Voting Member, Pre-Sale Ticket Purchase on **May 15**

Friends of the Festival memberships available through **secured automatic monthly payments** with a plan that works for you.

To become a Friend of the Festival:
sunrivermusic.org **541-593-1084**
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WHERE DO YOUR DONATION DOLLARS GO?

Become a Friend of the Festival and join a community committed to artistic excellence

SUMMER FESTIVAL in August with Artistic Director and Conductor Brett Mitchell, the Sunriver Music Festival Orchestra, and world-class featured soloists.

FIRESIDE CONCERTS in February, April and December featuring classical, jazz, and classical crossover performances.

SCHOLARSHIPS FOR YOUNG MUSICIANS to nurture their pursuit of careers in classical music.

MUSIC EDUCATION PROGRAMS supporting in-school concerts, master classes, workshops, artists-in-residence, and musical instrument purchases for students.

ANNUAL EVENTS

- February:** Valentine's Dinner & Dance Concert
- April:** Piano Showcase at the Tower Theatre
- June:** Swings fore Strings Golf Tournament
- June:** Young Artists Scholarship Auditions and Concert
- July:** Festival Faire Fundraiser
- August:** Summer Festival
- September-June:** Ongoing music education programs at South Deschutes County public schools
- November:** Annual Meeting & Family Dinner Volunteer Event
- December:** Christmas Concert

ADOPT A MUSICIAN!

HOUSING PARTNERSHIPS

AUGUST 3-18, 2023

Be an integral part of Sunriver Music Festival and house a musician!



Each August, homeowners in the Sunriver/Bend area open their homes to world-class musicians. Housing partners are people who love music or simply want to help bring exceptional musical experiences to our community.

Give us a call or visit sunrivermusic.org to find the adoption option for you!

**MUSICIANS
ARRIVE
AUGUST 3
AND DEPART
AUGUST 18**



Contact us for answers to all your Adopt a Musician questions:
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information@sunrivermusic.org

SWINGS FORE STRINGS



SUNDAY, JUNE 4 WOODLANDS GOLF COURSE

Mark your calendars! The 15th Annual Swings fore Strings Golf Tournament, presented by Sunriver Resort, will be Sunday, June 4.



Prepare to join your friends and associates for a fun-filled day of golf, food, drink, music, and camaraderie on Sunriver Resort's championship Woodlands Golf Course.

Your entry fee of \$600 per foursome includes 18 holes of golf, cart, practice balls, dinner, awards, entertainment by Festival musicians, and complimentary craft beers courtesy of Sunriver Brewing Company. Sign up now at sunrivermusic.org.

FESTIVAL FAIRE

SUNDAY, JULY 16 SUNRIVER RESORT GREAT HALL

Festival Faire is Sunriver Music Festival's primary fundraising event of the year. All proceeds from this popular event directly support the



Young Artists Scholarship program and the 46th season of bringing world-class music to Sunriver and Bend.

Enjoy an elegant evening of hors d'oeuvres and beverages while you peruse silent and live auction items. Entertainment features outstanding 2023 Young Artists Scholarship winners, alumni and more, plus the live auction of original art and experiences. \$100 per person. Sign up at sunrivermusic.org.

MUSIC EDUCATION

Nurturing the next generation of artistic talent has been a goal of Sunriver Music Festival ever since it was launched 46 years ago. This goal is continually met in multiple ways:



- Presenting music workshops, masterclasses, and special performances for schools throughout Central Oregon and especially in South Deschutes County.
- Partnering with the music programs at Sunriver's Three Rivers School (a public K-8 school) to purchase musical instruments, repairs, and print music.
- The Young Artists Scholarship (YAS) Program for advanced classical music students. Formed 28 years ago, the YAS program has awarded almost \$650,000 to 184 young musicians for private lessons, music camps/conservatory, and college.

Through the generosity of individual donors like you and grants, we are honored to help strengthen music education in our community.

SUPPORT THE ENDOWMENT FUND - BE A PART OF THE FUTURE SUCCESS

This is exciting news! Sunriver Music Festival's permanent Endowment is nearing its goal of \$1,000,000. The endowment investment earnings are available to enhance program offerings and music education activities. With the continued commitment of the Festival Board and dedicated patrons, this goal is close to a reality.

If you wish to be part of reaching this goal, contact Sunriver Music Festival at 541-593-1084 for more information. Your consideration, participation, and contributions are a gift for future generations.

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