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RAVINIA FESTIVAL 2012
CHRONOLOGICAL LISTING OF EVENTS

For ticket information, visit Ravinia.org or call (847) 266-5100. The complete season lineup follows. Note that artists and programs are subject to change. Repertoire being performed at Ravinia for the first time is marked with an asterisk (*). Artists making their Ravinia debut are marked with a plus sign (+). Lawn ticket prices are increased by $5 on the day of the show when marked by a double asterisk (**).

JUNE

Thursday, June 7, 7:30 p.m.—Bennett Gordon Hall
Ruth Page Festival of Dance
Concert Dance Inc.
Program to include:
Stifler: Clair de Lune (music by Debussy) (world premiere) *
Controlled Chaos
Une Âme Éveillée (music by Liszt)
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Tickets: $10/No lawn sales/Ticket & dining package $40/Park opens at 5 p.m.

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Saturday, June 9, 5:30 p.m.—Martin Theatre
   Jazz Preview Concert
Ravinia Jazz Scholars
Admission: FREE with paid ticket for evening concert

Saturday, June 9, 7:30 p.m.—Pavilion
   Guiding Lights Tour 2012
Earth, Wind & Fire with Ravinia Festival Orchestra
Benjamin Wright, Conductor +
Season Sponsor: Ernst & Young LLP
Media Support: WILV
Tickets: $75/Lawn $33**/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Sunday, June 10, 7 p.m.—Pavilion
Iron & Wine + featuring special guest Dr. John
Tickets: $55/Lawn $27**/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Friday, June 15, 6 p.m.—Bennett Gordon Hall
Steans Music Institute Jazz Showcase
Tickets: $10/No lawn sales/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Friday, June 15, 8 p.m.—Pavilion
Al Green +
Chicago Children’s Choir
Season Sponsor: Ventas
Media Support: WVON
Tickets: $60/Lawn $16**/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Saturday, June 16, 6 p.m.—Bennett Gordon Hall
Fifth House Ensemble +
Tickets: $10/No lawn sales/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Sunday, June 17, 7 p.m.—Pavilion
Jimmy Cliff +
Tickets: $60/Lawn $22**/Park opens at 4 p.m.

Thursday, June 21, 8 p.m.—Martin Theatre
Miriam Fried, Violin
Pamela Frank, Violin
Kim Kashkashian, Viola
Paul Biss, Viola
Ralph Kirshbaum, Cello
Leon Fleisher, Piano
   Mozart: Duo for Violin and Viola in G Major, K. 423
   String Quintet in C Major, K. 515
   Korngold: Suite for Two Violins, Cello and Left-hand Piano, Op. 23
Tickets: $60-$40/Lawn $10/Ticket & dining package $75/Park opens at 5 p.m.
Friday, June 22, 8 p.m. — Martin Theatre
Tribute to Lena Horne
Nnenna Freelon
Media Support: WCIU; WVON
Tickets: $75/Lawn $10/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Saturday, June 23, 4:45 p.m. — Pavilion
Live National Broadcast
A Prairie Home Companion with Garrison Keillor
Tickets: $65-$35/Lawn $10/Park opens at 3 p.m.

Saturday, June 23, 8 p.m. — Martin Theatre
Philip Glass at 75
An Evening of Chamber Music
Philip Glass, Piano
Timothy Fain, Violin
All-Glass program
Two Etudes *
Partita For Solo Violin In Seven Movements *
Metamorphosis (2, 3, 4) *
Music From The Screens
France *
The French Lieutenant *
Pendulum *
Tickets: $60-$40/Lawn $10/Park opens at 3 p.m.

Sunday, June 24, Noon — Pavilion
Kraft Great Kids Concert
Mariachi Divas
Featured Sponsor: Kraft Foods Foundation
Tickets: $10/Lawn $5/Park opens at 11 a.m.

Sunday, June 24, 7 p.m. — Pavilion
An Evening of Bluegrass and Comedy
Steve Martin and the Steep Canyon Rangers
Media Support: WDRV
Tickets: $80/Lawn $27**/Ticket & dining package $90/Park opens at 4 p.m.

Monday, June 25, 8 p.m. — Pavilion
Radio Music Society
Esperanza Spalding +
Media Support: WVON
Tickets: $55/Lawn $27**/Ticket & dining package $65/Park opens at 5 p.m.
Video screen on the lawn

Tuesday, June 26, 11:30 a.m. — Dining Pavilion
Lunch Discussion
Brian Kellow, Author and Opera News features editor
Welz Kauffman, Ravinia President and CEO
Tickets: $60/Park opens at 11 a.m.

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Tuesday, June 26, 2 p.m. —Bennett Gordon Hall
Steans Music Institute Master Class
Menahem Pressler, Piano
Admission: FREE

Tuesday, June 26, 8 p.m. —Martin Theatre
Zukerman ChamberPlayers
Program to include:
  Brahms: Piano Quartet No. 3 in C Minor, Op. 60
  Shostakovich: Piano Quintet in G Minor, Op. 57
Program Sponsor: Robert Pinkert
Tickets: $60-$40/Lawn $10/Ticket & dining package $75/Park opens at 5 p.m.
Video screen on the lawn

Wednesday, June 27, 7:30 p.m. —Pavilion
Go Brazil!
Ramsey Lewis and His Electric Band
Sergio Mendes
Program Sponsor: Sara Lee Foundation
Tickets: $65/Lawn $27*/Ticket & dining package $70/Park opens at 5 p.m.
Concert features dance floor on the lawn/6th Annual Women's Board Dance Contest
Video screen on the lawn

Thursday, June 28, 8 p.m. —Pavilion
The Goodbye Tour
Glen Campbell +
Ronnie Milsap
Media Support: Chicago Sun-Times
Tickets: $60/Lawn $32*/Park opens at 5 p.m.
Video screen on the lawn

Friday, June 29, 2 p.m. —Bennett Gordon Hall
Piano and Strings Concert
Artists from Ravinia’s Steans Music Institute
Admission: FREE

Friday, June 29, 7 p.m. —Pavilion
Colbie Caillat
Gavin DeGraw +
With special guest Andy Grammer +
Season Sponsor: Abbott
Media Support: WTMX
Tickets: $55/Lawn $27*/Park opens at 5 p.m.
Video screen on the lawn

Saturday, June 30, 2 p.m. —Bennett Gordon Hall
Piano and Strings Concert
Artists from Ravinia’s Steans Music Institute
Admission: FREE

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Saturday, June 30, 7:30 p.m. —Pavilion
Sarah McLachlan + with Ravinia Festival Orchestra
Sean O’Loughlin, conductor +
Program Sponsor: KPMG LLP; The Westin Chicago North Shore
Media Support: WTMX
Ravinia Ultimate Picnic Contest Sponsored by Terlato Wines
Tickets: $75/Lawn $38**/Park opens at 5 p.m.
Video screen on the lawn

JULY

Sunday, July 1, 2 p.m. —Bennett Gordon Hall
Piano and Strings Concert
Artists from Ravinia’s Steans Music Institute
Admission: FREE

Sunday, July 1, 7 p.m. —Pavilion
Jake Shimabukuro + with A Far Cry + (chamber orchestra)
Program Sponsor: Suzanne and Robert Wieseneck
Tickets: $45/Lawn $21/Park opens at 4 p.m.
Video screen on the lawn

Monday, July 2, 8 p.m. —Martin Theatre
Tribute to Kate Smith
Stephanie Blythe, Mezzo-soprano
Craig Terry, Piano
Woods: When the Moon Comes Over the Mountain *
Conrad: The Continental
Kern: The Last Time I Saw Paris
Offenbach: “Lovely Night” from The Tales of Hoffman *
Blake: Memories of You*
Kent: The White Cliffs of Dover *
Charles: We’ll Meet Again *
Secunda: Bei mir bist du schoen *
Barris: Wrap Your Troubles in Dreams *
Woods: Here Comes the Sun *
Harline: When You Wish Upon a Star
Kern: Look for the Silver Lining
Henderson: “Without Love” from Flying High *
“Red Hot Chicago” from Flying High *
Berlin: God Bless America

Media Support: WCIU
Tickets: $60-$40/Lawn $10/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Tuesday, July 3, 8 p.m. —Martin Theatre
Midori, Violin
Bach: Sonatas and Partitas for Unaccompanied Violin, Part I
Program Sponsor: Pinkert Industrial Group
Tickets: $75/Lawn $10/July 3 & 5 reserved ticket package $125/Park opens at 5 p.m.

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Wednesday, July 4, 5 p.m. — Pavilion

All-American Program

Chicago Symphony Orchestra

Steven Reineke, Conductor +

Ashley Brown, Vocalist +

Smith: The Star-Spangled Banner
Williams: Liberty Fanfare
Gould: American Salute
Rodgers: Almost Like Being in Love / This Can’t Be Love
Kern: “Can’t Help Lovin’ That Man” from Showboat

Fogerty & Kern/arr. Reineke: River Medley: Proud Mary, Shenandoah, Ol’ Man River
Various/arr. Barton: Disney Medley
Reineke: Celebration Fanfare *
Reineke/arr. Wendel: A George M. Cohan Overture *
Kander/arr. McKibbens: Ring Them Bells *
Arlen: Over the Rainbow
Grofé: March for Americans *

Ward (arr. Dragon): America the Beautiful
Ward (arr. Hayman/Kessler): Armed Forces Salute
Berlin (arr. Kessler): God Bless America

Media Support: Chicago Tribune
Tickets: $25/Lawn $10/Park opens at 3 p.m.

Thursday, July 5, 2 p.m. — Bennett Gordon Hall

Steans Music Institute Master Class

Gary Hoffman, Cello

Admission: FREE

Thursday, July 5, 8 p.m. — Martin Theatre

Midori, Violin

Bach: Sonatas and Partitas for Unaccompanied Violin, Part II

Program Sponsor: Diana and Bruce Rauner
Tickets: $75/Lawn $10/ July 3 & 5 reserved ticket package $125/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Friday, July 6, 8 p.m. — Martin Theatre

Emerson String Quartet

Mozart: Quartet in D Major, K. 575
Adès: Four Quarters *
Beethoven: Quartet in B-flat Major, Op. 130 (with “Grosse Fuge” finale)

Program Sponsor: Smart Family Foundation, Inc.
Tickets: $60-$40/Lawn $10/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Saturday, July 7, 11 a.m. — Pavilion

Kraft Great Kids Concert

Beethoven Lives Upstairs

Elgin Youth Symphony Orchestra

George Stelluto, Conductor +

Featured Sponsor: Kraft Foods Foundation

Noon-1 p.m. “Instrument petting zoo” located in the Martin Theatre Plaza
Tickets: $10/Lawn $5/Park opens at 10 a.m.

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Saturday, July 7, 5:30 p.m. — Bennett Gordon Hall
*Piano and Strings Preview Concert*

**Artists from Ravinia’s Steans Music Institute**
Admission: FREE with paid ticket for evening concert

Saturday, July 7, 7:30 p.m. — Pavilion

**Chicago Symphony Orchestra**

**Jaap van Zweden**, Conductor +

Mahler: Symphony No. 6 in A Minor

Tickets: $70-$40/Lawn $10/Ticket & dining package $75/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Sunday, July 8, 2 p.m. — Bennett Gordon Hall

*Piano and Strings Concert*

**Artists from Ravinia’s Steans Music Institute**
Admission: FREE

Sunday, July 8, 5 p.m. — Pavilion

**Chicago Symphony Orchestra**

**Marvin Hamlisch**, Conductor

**Idina Menzel**, Vocalist +

Program Sponsors: Avy and Marcie Stein; L. Walter Stearns, Eugene A. Dizon; The Avrum Gray Family, in memory of Joyce Gray

3:30 p.m. Family Space on the north lawn

(music-related crafts, storytelling, and “instrument petting zoo”)

3:30 p.m. Ravinia Wine Club, Ticket & club package pavilion $100/Lawn $20

Tickets: $90/Lawn $10/Park opens at 3 p.m.

Sunday, July 8, 8 p.m. — Martin Theatre

**Angel Romero**, Guitar

Program to include artists from SMI

Vivaldi: Quintet in D Major, RV 93 *

Sanz: *Suite Espanola*

Albeniz: Leyenda (Asturias)

Boccherini: Quintet No. 9 in C Major (“La Ritirata di Madrid”), G 453

Quintet No. 4 in D Major (Fandango), G. 448 *

Granados: Dance No. 5

Celedonio Romero: *Suite Andaluza *

Program Sponsor: Ann Israel, in Honor of Dolores and Arnold Miller

Tickets: $60-$40/Lawn $10/Park opens at 3 p.m.

Monday, July 9, 7:30 p.m. — Pavilion

**Santana** +

Featured Sponsor: United Airlines

Media Support: WDRV

Tickets: $100/Lawn $38**/Park opens at 5 p.m.

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Monday, July 9, 8 p.m. —Bennett Gordon Hall
Piano and Strings Artists from Ravinia’s Steans Music Institute
Tickets: $10/No lawn sales/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Tuesday, July 10, 2 p.m. —Bennett Gordon Hall
Steans Music Institute Master Class
Ida Kavafian, Violin
Admission: FREE

Tuesday, July 10, 8 p.m. —Pavilion
An Evening with Natalie Merchant +
Ravinia Festival Orchestra
TBD, Conductor
Season Sponsor: Beam
Media Support: WILV
Tickets: $50/Lawn $22**/Ticket & dining package $65/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Wednesday, July 11, 8 p.m. —Pavilion
The Blues Brothers starring Dan Aykroyd and Jim Belushi and The Sacred Hearts +
Season Sponsor: Zurich
Media Support: WDRV
Tickets: $70/Lawn $27**/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Thursday, July 12, 8 p.m. —Martin Theatre
Benedetti/Elschenbroich/Grynyuk Trio +
R. Strauss: Violin Sonata in E-flat Major
Brahms: Cello Sonata No. 2 in F major, Op. 99
Tchaikovsky: Piano Trio in A Minor, Op. 50
Tickets: $60-$40/Lawn $10/Ticket & dining package $75/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Friday, July 13, 5:30 p.m. —Bennett Gordon Hall
Piano and Strings Preview Concert
Artists from Ravinia’s Steans Music Institute
Admission: FREE with paid ticket for evening concert

Friday, July 13, 8 p.m. —Pavilion
Chicago Symphony Orchestra
Christoph Eschenbach, Conductor
Nicola Benedetti, Violin +
Leonard Elschenbroich, Cello
Brahms: Concerto in A Minor for Violin and Cello, Op. 102
Symphony No. 4 in E Minor, Op. 98
Season Sponsor: The Madigan Family
Tickets: $70-$40/Lawn $10/Ticket & dining package $75/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Saturday, July 14, 11 a.m. —Pavilion
Kraft Great Kids Concert
Ralph’s World
Featured Sponsor: Kraft Foods Foundation
Tickets: $15/Lawn $5/Park opens at 10 a.m.

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Saturday, July 14, 5:30 p.m. —Bennett Gordon Hall
Piano and Strings Preview Concert

Artists from Ravinia’s Steans Music Institute
Admission: FREE with paid ticket for evening concert

Saturday, July 14, 7:30 p.m. —Pavilion
Chicago Symphony Orchestra
Christoph Eschenbach, Conductor

Erik Schumann, Violin
- Dvořák: Carnival Overture, Op. 92
- Korngold: Violin Concerto in D Major, Op. 35
- Dvořák: Symphony No. 8 in G Major, Op. 88

Program Sponsor: Zadek Family Foundation
Tickets: $25/Lawn $10/Ticket & dining package $45/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Sunday, July 15, 2 p.m. —Bennett Gordon Hall
Piano and Strings Concert

Artists from Ravinia’s Steans Music Institute
Admission: FREE

Sunday, July 15, 5 p.m. —Pavilion
Barbara Cook’s 85th Birthday

Chicago Symphony Orchestra
Richard Kaufman, Conductor +
Barbara Cook, Vocalist

Bernstein: Overture to Candide
- “A Simple Song” from MASS
- “Lucky to Be Me” from On the Town
Musiker: “There’s a Rainbow ‘Round My Shoulder” *
- from The Singing Fool
Rodgers: “It Might as Well Be Spring” from State Fair
- “Wonderful Guy” from South Pacific
Bloom: “Give Me the Simple Life” from Wake Up and Dream *
Berlin: Lost in the Stars
Gershwin: “Nashville Nightingale” from Nifties of 1923 *
Malneck/Raksin: I’m Through with Love/Smile *
Musiker: Some Like It Hot/Modern Times
Kern: “Nobody Else But Me” from Showboat *
Romberg: “Lover, Come Back to Me” from The New Moon *
Sondheim: “I Wish I Could Forget You” from Passion
- “No One Is Alone” from Into the Woods
Henderson: “My Dog Loves Your Dog” from George White’s Scandals *
Rodgers: “This Nearly Was Mine” from South Pacific
Weill: Lost in the Stars
Sondheim: “No More” from Into the Woods *
Arlen: “Accentuate the Positive” from Here Comes the Waves *

Season Sponsor: In Honor of Sandra K. Crown
3-4:30 p.m. Family Space on the north lawn
3:30 p.m. Ravinia Wine Club, Ticket & club package pavilion $100-$60/Lawn $20
Tickets: $90-$50/Lawn $10/Park opens at 3 p.m.

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Monday, July 16, 8 p.m. —Bennett Gordon Hall

**Piano and Strings Artists from Ravinia’s Steans Music Institute**
Tickets: $10/No lawn sales/Ticket & dining package $40/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Monday, July 16, 8 p.m. —Martin Theatre

**Matthias Goerne**, Baritone

**Christoph Eschenbach**, Piano

- Beethoven: Six Songs after poems by Gellert, Op. 48
- Schubert: *Gesänge des Harfners*, D.478 I, III, II
- Brahms: *Vier ernste Gesänge* (“Four Serious Songs”), Op. 121
- Beethoven: *An die ferne Geliebte* (“To the Distant Beloved”), Op. 98
- Brahms: Eight Songs
  - O kühler Wald, Op. 72, No. 3 *
  - Es schauen die Blumen alle, Op. 96, No. 3 *
  - Der Tod, das ist die kühle Nacht, Op. 96, No. 1
  - Dämmerung senkte sich von oben, Op 59, No. 1
  - Sommerabend, Op. 85, No. 1
  - Mondenschein, Op. 85, No. 2
  - Meerfahrt, Op. 96, No. 4
  - Lerchengesang, Op. 70, No. 2

Tickets: $75/Lawn $10/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Saturday, July 17, 2 p.m. —Bennett Gordon Hall

**Steans Music Institute Program for Piano and Strings Master Class**

**Christoph Eschenbach**
Admission: FREE

Tuesday, July 17, 8 p.m. —Pavilion

**Diana Krall**
With Special Guest **Denzal Sinclaire** +
Featured Sponsor: United Airlines
Tickets: $80/Lawn $27***/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Wednesday, July 18, 8 p.m. —Pavilion

**Tedeschi Trucks Band** +
Program sponsor: Andrew J. Filipowski and Melissa Oliver
Tickets: $55/Lawn $27***/Ticket & dining package $65/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Thursday, July 19, 5:30 p.m. —Bennett Gordon Hall

**Piano and Strings Preview Concert**

**Artists from Ravinia’s Steans Music Institute**
Admission: FREE with paid ticket for evening concert

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Thursday, July 19, 8 p.m. —Martin Theatre

**Chicago Symphony Orchestra**
**James Conlon**, Conductor

**T. Daniel Productions** (T. Daniel and Laurie Willets Artistic Directors)

**Janai Brugger**, Soprano +

**Schreker:** *The Wind* *
**Weill:** *Magical Night (U.S. Premiere)*

Program Sponsor: Kurt Weill Foundation for Music
Tickets: $60-$40/Lawn $10/Ticket & dining package $75/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Friday, July 20, 8 p.m. —Pavilion

**BoDeans**
Program Sponsors: Deloitte LLP; Fortune Brands Home & Security
Media Support: WLS-AM
Tickets: $55/Lawn $27**/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Saturday, July 21, 11 a.m. —Martin Theatre

*Kraft Great Kids Concert*

*Live Broadcast*

**WFMT’s Introductions with David Polk** +
Featured Sponsor: Kraft Foods Foundation
Tickets: $10/No Lawn Sales/Park opens at 10 a.m.

Saturday, July 21, 7 p.m. —Pavilion

*Gala Benefit Evening Benefiting Ravinia’s REACH*TEACH*PLAY Education Programs*

50th anniversary of the Women’s Board of Ravinia Festival

**Chicago Symphony Orchestra**
**James Conlon**, Conductor ^

**Rob Fisher**, Guest Conductor #

**Patricia Racette**, Soprano ~

**Patti LuPone**, Vocalist =

**Joseph Thalken**, Piano +

Program to include arias of Puccini, Dvořák, Catalani, and Patti’s hits from Webber, Rodgers and Styne

Cocktail Reception Sponsor: BMO Harris Bank
Concert Sponsors: In Memory of Howard A. Stotler; In Memory of Keene H. Addington II
Tickets: $100-$70/Lawn $10/Park opens at 4 p.m./The concert will have no intermission
For more information on the benefit dinner, contact gala@ravinia.org

Saturday, July 21, Postlude Concert – Bennett Gordon Hall

*Piano and Strings Postlude Concert*

**Artists from Ravinia’s Steans Music Institute**
Admission: FREE with paid ticket for evening concert

Sunday, July 22, 7:30 p.m. —Pavilion

**Seal** +
With special guest **Macy Gray** +
Program Sponsors: BlueCross BlueShield of Illinois; Cole Taylor Bank
Media Support: WILV
Tickets: $80/Lawn $33**/Park opens at 5 p.m.

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Monday, July 23, 8 p.m. —Martin Theatre
Chicago Symphony Orchestra String Players
James Conlon, Conductor
Rachel Schutz, Soprano +
Bach: Brandenburg Concerto No. 6
Zemlinsky: Maiblumen blühten überall *
Mendelssohn: Octet in E-Flat, Op. 20
Program Sponsor: In Memory of Frances W. Pick
Tickets: $60-$40/Lawn $10/Ticket & dining package $75/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Tuesday, July 24, 8 p.m. —Martin Theatre
Tokyo String Quartet
Webern: Langsamer Satz (“Slow Movement”)
Program Sponsor: Mrs. June Bild Pinsf
Tickets: $60-$40/Lawn $10/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Wednesday, July 25, 8 p.m. —Pavilion
Chicago Symphony Orchestra
James Conlon, Conductor
Joshua Bell, Violin
Barber: The School for Scandal Overture, Op. 5
Shostakovich: Symphony No. 9 in E-flat Major, Op. 70
Barber: Violin Concerto Op. 14
Ravel: Tzigane, Concert Rhapsody
Program Sponsor: McGladrey
Tickets: $90-$50/Lawn $10/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Thursday, July 26, 8 p.m. —Pavilion
Chicago Symphony Orchestra
James Conlon, Conductor
Berlioz: Three selections from Roméo et Juliette
Verdi: Overture to Giovanna d’Arco *
Dvořák: Slavonic Dance, Op. 72, No. 2
Mendelssohn: The Hebrides (“Fingal’s Cave”)
Rossini: Overture to Guillaume Tell
Edward Gordon Memorial Concert
Tickets: $25/Lawn $10/Ticket & dining package $45/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Friday, July 27, 7:30 p.m. —Pavilion
James Taylor
Lead Sponsor: UBS
Media Support: WDRV
Tickets: $115/Lawn $33**/Park opens at 5 p.m.

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Saturday, July 28, 11 a.m. —Pavilion
Kraft Great Kids Concert
The You & Me Tour
Laurie Berkner
Featured Sponsor: Kraft Foods Foundation
Tickets: $15/Lawn $5/Park opens at 10 a.m.

Saturday, July 28, 7:30 p.m. —Pavilion
James Taylor
Featured Sponsor: Allstate Insurance Company
Media Support: WDRV
Tickets: $115/Lawn $33**/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Saturday, July 28, 2 p.m. —Bennett Gordon Hall
Steans Music Institute Program for Singers Master Class
James Conlon
Admission: FREE

Sunday, July 29, 2 p.m. – Bennett Gordon Hall
Vocal Concert
Artists from Ravinia’s Steans Music Institute
Admission: FREE

Sunday, July 29, 5 p.m. —Pavilion
Chicago Symphony Orchestra
James Conlon, Conductor
Denis Matsuev, Piano
All-Tchaikovsky program:
Symphony No. 4 in F Minor, Op. 36
Piano Concerto No. 1 in B-flat Minor, Op. 23
“1812” Festival Overture, Op. 49 (with live cannons)
Season Sponsors: Charles and Margery Barancik
Media Support: WVON
3-4:30 p.m. Family Space on the north lawn
(music-related crafts, storytelling, and “instrument petting zoo”)
3 p.m. Cannon Ball 2012, free pre-concert party for teens
3:30 p.m. Ravinia Wine Club, Ticket & club package pavilion $80-$50/Lawn $20
Tickets: $70-$40/Lawn $10/Park opens at 3 p.m.

Sunday, July 29, 8 p.m. —Martin Theatre
Misha Dichter, Piano
Cipa Dichter, Piano
Barber: Souvenirs
Copland/arr. Bernstein: El Salón Mexico
Hyman: Danzas Tropicales *
Debussy/arr. Ravel: Nocturnes
Brahms: Hungarian Dances
Program Sponsors: Megan P. and John L. Anderson
Tickets: $60-$40/Lawn $10/Park opens at 3 p.m.

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Monday, July 30, 8 p.m. —Martin Theatre
**Denis Matsuev**, Piano
All-Russian program
- Tchaikovsky: *The Seasons* *
- Rachmaninoff: Etudes Tableaux, Op. 39, Nos. 2, 6 and 9
- Prelude in G Minor, Op. 23, No. 5
- Stravinsky: Three movements from *Petrushka*
Program Sponsor: Elizabeth F. Cheney Foundation
Tickets: $60-$40/Lawn $10/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Tuesday, July 31, 8 p.m. —Pavilion
*One Score, One Chicago*
**Chicago Symphony Orchestra**
**John Axelrod**, Conductor
**Women of the Chicago Symphony Chorus**
**Gabriela Montero**, Piano
- Grieg: Piano Concerto in A Minor, Op. 16
- Montero: Improvisation (suggestions from the audience)
- Holst: *The Planets* (with film accompaniment)
Featured Sponsor: The Dancing Skies Foundation
Media Support: *Chicago Sun-Times*
Tickets: $70-$40/Lawn $10/Ticket & dining package $75/Park opens at 5 p.m.
Video screen on the lawn

**AUGUST**

Wednesday, August 1, 8 p.m. —Martin Theatre
**Miriam Fried**, Violin
**Jonathan Biss**, Piano
- Janáček: Violin Sonata
- Schumann: Sonata No. 2 in D Minor, Op. 121
- Schubert: Sonata in A Minor, D. 385 *
Program Sponsor: Elizabeth F. Cheney Foundation
Tickets: $60-$40/Lawn $10/Ticket & dining package $75/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Thursday, August 2, 5:45 p.m. —Bennett Gordon Hall
*Vocal Preview Concert*
**Artists from Ravinia’s Steans Music Institute**
Admission: FREE with paid ticket for evening concert

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Thursday, August 2, 8 p.m. —Pavilion
Chicago Symphony Orchestra
Gianandrea Noseda, Conductor +
Nicole Cabell, Soprano
Sean Botkin, Piano +
All-Rachmaninoff program
   Vocalise, Op. 34, No. 14
   Piano Concerto No. 4 in G Minor, Op. 40
   Symphonic Dances, Op. 45
Season Sponsor: Serge Rachmaninoff Foundation
Tickets: $70-$40/Lawn $10/ Ticket & dining package $75/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Friday, August 3, 7:30 p.m. —Pavilion
Crosby, Stills & Nash
Season Sponsors: Jenner & Block; PNC Bank
Media Support: WDRV
Tickets: $80/Lawn $33**/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Saturday, August 4, 7 p.m. —Pavilion
Demi Lovato +
Tickets: $50/Lawn $27**/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Sunday, August 5, 5 p.m. —Pavilion
   A Tribute to Harold Arlen
Chicago Symphony Orchestra
Ted Sperling, Conductor
Ann Hampton Callaway, Vocalist
John Pizzarelli Quartet
Program Sponsor: Women’s Board of Ravinia Festival
Media Support: WCIU
3-4:30 p.m. Family Space on the north lawn
   (music-related crafts, storytelling, and “instrument petting zoo”)
Tickets: $70-$40/Lawn $10/Park opens at 3 p.m.

Sunday, August 5, 8 p.m. —Martin Theatre
Martinez-Urioste-Brey Piano Trio +
Beethoven: Trio in D Major, Op. 70, No. 1 (“The Ghost”)
Arensksy: Piano Trio No. 1 in D Minor, Op. 32
Ravel: Piano Trio
Tickets: $60-$40/Lawn $10/Ticket & dining package $75/Park opens at 3 p.m.

Monday, August 6, 8 p.m. – Bennett Gordon Hall
Vocal Artists from Ravinia’s Steans Music Institute
All-French program to include works by Debussy
Tickets: $10/No Lawn Sales/Ticket & dining package $40/Park opens at 6 p.m.

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Tuesday, August 7, 8 p.m. —Pavilion
Chicago Symphony Orchestra
James Conlon, Conductor
Jean Yves Thibaudet, Piano
All-French program

Debussy: Two Nocturnes
Ravel: Piano Concerto in G Major
Piano Concerto for the Left Hand

Debussy: *La Mer*

Season Sponsor: Harriet and Harry H. Bernbaum, in Memory of Keren-Or Bernbaum
Tickets: $70-$40/Lawn $10/Ticket & dining package $75/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Wednesday, August 8, 8 p.m. —Pavilion
Chicago Symphony Orchestra
James Conlon, Conductor
Yefim Bronfman, Piano

Dvořák: Symphony No. 7 in D Minor, Op. 70
Brahms: Piano Concerto No. 2 in B-flat Major, Op. 83

Season Sponsor: Maxine and Tom Hunter
Tickets: $70-$40/Lawn $10/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Thursday, August 9, 8 p.m. —Martin Theatre
Gerald Finley, Baritone
Kevin Murphy, Piano

“Tom der Reimer,” Op. 135a
“Die wandelnde Glocke,” Op. 20, No. 3 *
“Edward,” Op. 1, No. 1 *


Britten: “Lemady” from *Eight British Folksongs* *
*Greensleeves* *
“She’s like the swallow” from *Eight British Folksongs* *
*The Crocodile* *

Tickets: $60-$40/Lawn $10/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Friday, August 10, 2 p.m. —Bennett Gordon Hall
Steans Music Institute Master Class
Gerald Finley, Baritone
Admission: FREE

Friday, August 10, 7 p.m. —Pavilion
Huey Lewis and The News
Joe Cocker
Season Sponsors: Walgreens; Latham & Watkins LLP
Media Support: WILV
Tickets: $60/Lawn $33**/Park opens at 5 p.m.

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Saturday, August 11, 7 p.m. —Pavilion
Train
With special guest Mat Kearney +
Program Sponsors: JPMorgan Chase & Co; Linda and Jeffrey Hammes and Kirkland & Ellis LLP
Media Support: WTMX
Tickets: $65/Lawn $33**/Park opens at 4 p.m.

Sunday, August 12, 2 p.m. —Bennett Gordon Hall
Steans Music Institute Master Class
Kiri Te Kanawa, Soprano
Admission: FREE

Sunday, August 12, 7 p.m. —Pavilion
Train
With special guest Mat Kearney
Featured Sponsor: Discover
Media Support: WTMX
Tickets: $65/Lawn $33**/Park opens at 4 p.m.

Monday, August 13, 8 p.m. —Bennett Gordon Hall
Vocal Artists from Ravinia’s Steans Music Institute
Program to include songs by American composers
Program Sponsor: Madeleine P. and Harvey R. Plonsker
Tickets: $10/No Lawn Sales/Ticket & dining package $40/Park opens at 6 p.m.

Thursday, August 14, 8:30 p.m. —Martin Theatre
Kiri Te Kanawa, Soprano
Kevin Murphy, Piano
Vivaldi: “Vedro con mio diletto” from Giustino *
“Sposa son disprezzata” from Bajazet *
“Io son quel gelsomino” from Arsilda

Liszts: “Pace non trovo” from Three Petrarch Sonnets, S. 270, No. 1
Oh! quand je dors, S. 282, No. 1

R. Strauss: Ständchen, Op. 17, No. 2
Morgen, Op. 27, No. 4
Cäcilie, Op. 27, No. 2

Barber: “Do Not Utter a Word” from Vanessa *

Berlioz: Three selections from Les nuits d'été, Op. 7
No. 1: Villanelle
No. 2: Le spectre de la rose
No. 6: L’île inconnue

Massenet: “Adieu, notre petite table” from Manon *

Korgold: “Marietta’s lied” from Die tote Stadt

Heggie: Monologue from Masterclass *

Featured Sponsor: Negaunee Foundation
Tickets: $90/Lawn $10/Park opens at 5 p.m.
Wednesday, August 15, 8:30 p.m. —Martin Theatre

**Vladimir Feltsman**, Piano
- Mozart: Fantasy in D Minor, K. 397
- Schubert: Four Impromptus
- Schumann: *Kreisleriana*, Op. 16
- Scriabin: Sonata No. 4, Op. 30

Program Sponsor: Sharon and Eden Martin
Tickets: $60-$40/Lawn $10/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Thursday, August 16, 6 p.m. —Bennett Gordon Hall

*The Passion of Romantic Music, the Mystique of the Paganini Legend, the Magic of Variations*

**Jade Simmons**, Piano +
- Rachmaninoff: Prelude in C-Sharp Minor, Op. 3, No. 2
- Variations on a Theme by Corelli, Op. 42
- Etude-Tableaux in A Minor, Op. 39, No. 6
- Liszt: Grand Etude de Paganini in A Minor, S. 141, No. 6 (Theme & Variations)
- Muczynski: *Desperate Measures* (“Paganini Variations”) *
- Fazel Say: *Jazz Phantasy Paganini* (“Paganini Jazz), Op. 5b *
- Simmons/Reynolds: Electronic Improvisations on a Tune by Rachmaninoff *

Tickets: $10/No Lawn Sales/Park opens at 4 p.m.

Thursday, August 16, 6 p.m. —Mirabelle, Dining Pavilion

*Pre-Concert Discussion*

**James Conlon**
- Conlon discusses Mozart's *Die Zauberflöte* (“The Magic Flute”)

Admission: FREE with paid ticket for evening concert
Thursday, August 16, 7 p.m. —Martin Theatre
Chicago Symphony Orchestra
Chicago Symphony Chorus
James Conlon, Conductor
Michael Ehrman, Director +
Michael York, Narrator
Ailyn Pérez, Pamina
Charles Castronovo, Tamino +
Nathan Gunn, Papageno
Erika Miklosa, Queen of the Night +
Morris Robinson, Sarastro
Lauren McNeese, Second Lady
Alex Mansoori, Monostatos
Brian Mulligan, Speaker of the Temple/Second Priest/Second Armored Man
Lei Xu, Papagena
Janai Brugger, First Lady +
Ronnita Miller, Third Lady
TBD, First Priest
TBD, Three Genii
TBD, First Armored Man
Mozart: Die Zauberflöte ("The Magic Flute") *
Featured Sponsors: Negaunee Foundation; Mozart Opera Consortium
Tickets: $80/Lawn $10/Park opens at 4 p.m.

Friday, August 17, 6 p.m. —Bennett Gordon Hall
David Greilsammer, Piano +
Program to include:
Helmut Lachenmann: Wiegenmusik ("Cradle Music") *
Mozart: Rondo in A Minor, K. 511
F. Couperin: Les baricades mistérieuses
Ligeti: Musica Ricercata No. 8 *
Schubert: Impromptu No. 3 in G-Flat Major, D. 899
Feldman: Piano Piece 1964 *
Froberger: Tombeau de Monsieur Blancrocher *
Mozart: Fantasia in C Minor, K. 396
Matan Porat: Whaam! *

Tickets: $10/No Lawn Sales/Park opens at 4 p.m.

Friday, August 17, 6 p.m. —Mirabelle, Dining Pavilion
Pre-Concert Discussion
James Conlon
Conlon discusses Mozart's Idomeneo
Admission: FREE with paid ticket for evening concert

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Friday, August 17, 7 p.m. —Martin Theatre
Chicago Symphony Orchestra
Chicago Symphony Chorus
James Conlon, Conductor
David Lefkowich, Director
Miah Im, Harpsichord +
Richard Croft, Idomeneo
Susanna Phillips, Ilia +
Tamara Wilson, Elettra +
Ruxandra Donose, Idamante
Morris Robinson, Voice of the Oracle
Rodell Rosell, Arbace
Brian Mulligan, High Priest of Neptune
TBD, Two Cretan Women
TBD, Two Trojans
Mozart: Idomeneo *
Featured Sponsors: Negaunee Foundation; Mozart Opera Consortium
Tickets: $80/Lawn $10/Park opens at 4 p.m.

Saturday, August 18, 11 a.m. —Pavilion
Kraft Great Kids Concert
Justin Roberts & The Not Ready For Naptime Players
Featured Sponsor: Kraft Foods Foundation
Tickets: $10/Lawn $5/Park opens at 10 a.m.

Saturday, August 18, noon —Bennett Gordon Hall
Pre-Concert Discussion
James Conlon
Conlon discusses Mozart's Die Zauberflöte ("The Magic Flute")
Admission: FREE with paid ticket for afternoon concert

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Saturday, August 18, 1 p.m. —Martin Theatre
Chicago Symphony Orchestra
Chicago Symphony Chorus
James Conlon, Conductor
Michael Ehrman, Director
Michael York, Narrator
Ailyn Pérez, Pamina
Charles Castronovo, Tamino
Nathan Gunn, Papageno
Erika Miklosa, Queen of the Night
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Lei Xu, Papagena
Janai Brugger, First Lady
Ronni Miller, Third Lady
TBD, First Priest
TBD, Three Genii
Mozart: \textit{Die Zauberflöte} (“The Magic Flute”)  
Featured Sponsors: Negaunee Foundation; Mozart Opera Consortium
Tickets: $80/Lawn $10/Park opens at 12 p.m.

Saturday, August 18, 6:30 p.m. —Bennett Gordon Hall
Zuill Bailey, Cello
Awadagin Pratt, Piano
All-Brahms program

Cello Sonata No.1 in E minor, Op. 38  
Songs Transcriptions
- \textit{Feldeinsamkeit}, Op. 86, No.2
- \textit{Wie Melodien}, Op. 105, No.1
- \textit{Liebestreu}, Op. 3, No.1
Scherzo in C Minor, WoO2 (\textit{Sonatensatz})  
Cello Sonata No. 2 in F major, Op. 99  
Song Transcriptions
- \textit{Sapphische Ode}, Op. 94, No. 4
- \textit{Minnelied}, Op. 71, No. 5*
- \textit{Wiegenlied}, Op. 49, No. 4

Tickets: $10/No Lawn Sales/Park opens at 5:30 p.m.

Saturday, August 18, 8:30 p.m. —Pavilion
Tony Bennett
Program Sponsors: FirstMerit Bank; Grant Thornton, LLP
Media Support: WLS-AM
Tickets: $91/Lawn $28**/Park opens at 5:30 p.m.

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Sunday, August 19, noon — Bennett Gordon Hall
Pre-Concert Discussion

James Conlon
Conlon discusses Mozart's Idomeneo
Admission: FREE with paid ticket for afternoon concert

Sunday, August 19, 1 p.m. — Martin Theatre
Chicago Symphony Orchestra
Chicago Symphony Chorus
James Conlon, Conductor
David Lefkowich, Director
Miah Im, Harpsichord
Richard Croft, Idomeneo
Susanna Phillips, Ilia
Tamara Wilson, Elettra
Ruxandra Donose, Idamante
Morris Robinson, Voice of the Oracle
Rodell Rosell, Arbace
Brian Mulligan, High Priest of Neptune
TBD, Two Cretan Women
TBD, Two Trojans
Mozart: Idomeneo

Featured Sponsors: Negaunee Foundation; Mozart Opera Consortium
Tickets: $80/Lawn $10/Park opens at 12 p.m.

Sunday, August 19, 6:30 p.m. — Bennett Gordon Hall
Daniil Trifonov, Piano +

Scriabin: Sonata No. 3, Op. 23 *
Medtner: Three Fairy Tales, Op. 9
Stravinsky/Agosti: Three Dances from The Firebird
Debussy: Images, Book 1
Chopin: 12 Etudes Op. 25

Tickets: $10/No Lawn Sales/Park opens at 5:30 p.m.

Sunday, August 19, 7:30 p.m. — Pavilion
Happy 100th Birthday Woody Guthrie

Mary Chapin Carpenter
Arlo Guthrie
Program Sponsor: The PrivateBank
Media Support: WCIU
Tickets: $55/Lawn $22**/Park opens at 5:30 p.m.

Monday, August 20, 8 p.m. — Martin Theatre
Soloists from the Chicago Symphony Orchestra
James Conlon, Conductor

Spohr: Nonet in F Major, Op. 31
Schubert: Octet in F Major, D. 803

Program Sponsor: Joan Wing and Family, in Memory of Jack Wing
Tickets: $60-$40/Lawn $10/Ticket & dining package $75/Park opens at 5 p.m.

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Tuesday, August 21, 1 p.m. —Pavilion
Kraft Great Kids Concert
River North Dance Chicago
Featured Sponsor: Kraft Foods Foundation
Tickets: $10/Lawn $5/Park opens at noon

Tuesday, August 21, 8 p.m. —Pavilion
Ruth Page Festival of Dance
River North Dance Chicago
Tickets: $45/Lawn $10/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Tuesday, August 21, 6 p.m. —Bennett Gordon Hall
Sara Davis Buechner, Piano +
Mozart: Sonata
Weber: Sonata No. 1 in C Major, J. 138 *
Turina: Danzas gitanas ("Gypsy Dances"), Books I and II
Yukiko Nishimura: Ten Etudes (American premiere) *
Tickets: $10/No Lawn Sales/Ticket & dining package $40/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Wednesday, August 22, 6 p.m. —Bennett Gordon Hall
Wolfgang Emanuel Schmidt, Cello +
Marta Aznavoorian, Piano
Debussy: Cello Sonata
Schnittke: Cello Sonata No. 1
Rachmaninoff: Cello Sonata in G Minor, Op. 19
Tickets: $10/No Lawn Sales/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Wednesday, August 22, 7:30 p.m. —Pavilion
The Dukes of September Rhythm Revue
Donald Fagen
Michael McDonald +
Boz Scaggs
Season Sponsor: RBC Wealth Management
Media Support: WDRV
Tickets: $85/Lawn $27**/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Thursday, August 23, 6 p.m. —Bennett Gordon Hall
Rachel Barton Pine, Violin
Matthew Hagle, Piano
Mozart: Sonata in A Major, K. 305
Montsalvatge: Poema Concertante *
Villa-Lobos: Sonata No. 3 *
Debussy: Violin Sonata
Brahms: Sonata No. 3 in D Minor, Op. 108
Tickets: $10/No Lawn Sales/Park opens at 5 p.m.
Thursday, August 23, 8 p.m. — Pavilion

*Breakfast in America with the Legendary Voice of Supertramp*

Roger Hodgson +
Media Support: WDRV
Tickets: $55/Lawn $16**/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Friday, August 24, 6 p.m. — Bennett Gordon Hall

Lincoln Trio
Masumi Per Rostad, Viola +
Yuan-Qing Yu, Violin

Brahms: Trio No. 2 in C Major, Op. 87
Misha Zupko: Piano Quartet (“Occupy”) *
Arensly: Piano Quintet in D Major, Op. 51 *

Tickets: $10/No Lawn Sales/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Friday, August 24, 8 p.m. — Pavilion

Lyle Lovett
Tickets: $65/Lawn $27/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Saturday, August 25, 6 p.m. — Bennett Gordon Hall

Reginald Robinson, jazz/stride/ragtime piano +
Media Support: WVON
Tickets: $10/No Lawn Sales/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Saturday, August 25, 7:30 p.m. — Pavilion

Anita Baker +
Tickets: $60/Lawn $27**/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Sunday, August 26, 6 p.m. — Bennett Gordon Hall

Inon Barnatan, Piano +

Debussy: *Suite bergamasque*
Thomas Adès: *Darkness Visible*
Ravel: *Gaspard de la nuit*
Britten/Stevenson: *Peter Grimes Fantasy*
Schubert: Sonata in A Major, D. 959

Tickets: $10/No Lawn Sales/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Sunday, August 26, 7 p.m. — Pavilion

John Hiatt and Combo
With special guest Steve Earle +
Tickets: $55/Lawn $22**/Park opens at 4 p.m.

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Tuesday, August 28, 6 p.m. — Bennet Gordon Hall

Sean Botkin, Piano
All-Rachmaninoff program:
- Prelude in C Major, Op. 32, No. 1
- Prelude in F-sharp Minor, Op. 23, No. 1
- Prelude in B-flat Major, Op. 23, No. 2
- Prelude in D Major, Op. 23, No. 4
- Prelude in C Minor, Op. 23, No. 7
- Prelude in G Major, Op. 32, No. 5
- Prelude in B Minor, Op. 32, No. 10
- Prelude in F Minor, Op. 32, No. 6 *
- Prelude in D-flat Major, Op. 32, No. 13
- Sonata No. 1 in D Minor, Op. 28

Season Sponsor: Serge Rachmaninoff Foundation
Tickets: $10/No Lawn Sales/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Tuesday, August 28, 8 p.m. — Pavilion

Ruth Page Festival of Dance

Momix
- Pendleton: Botanica
Tickets: $45/Lawn $10/Ticket & dining package $60/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Wednesday, August 29, 7:30 p.m. — Pavilion

Duran Duran +
Program Sponsor: Aaron Alt and Jennifer Konz-Alt
Media Support: WILV
Tickets: $85/Lawn $38**/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Friday, August 31, 6 p.m. — Bennet Gordon Hall

Behzod Abduraimov, Piano +
- Schubert: Sonata in A Major, D. 664
- Beethoven: Sonata No. 23 in F Minor, Op. 57 ("Appassionata")
- Saint-Saëns/Liszt/Horowitz: Danse macabre, Op. 40 *
- Liszt: Harmonies poétiques et religieuses, S. 173, No. 3: Bénédiction de Dieu dans la solitude
- Mephisto Waltz No. 1

Tickets: $10/No Lawn Sales/Park opens at 5 p.m.

Saturday, September 1, 7:30 p.m. — Pavilion

Daryl Hall & John Oates
 Featured Sponsor: Camping World/Good Sam
Media Support: WILV
Tickets: $88/Lawn $27**/Park opens at 5 p.m.

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Monday, September 3, 6 p.m. — Bennett Gordon Hall

**Orion Weiss**, Piano

- Bach: Toccata in C Minor, BWV 911
- Brown: *Constellations and Toccata*
- Liszt: Toccata S.197a *
- Brahms: Variations on a Theme by Schumann, Op. 9 *
- Martinu: Fantasie and Toccata *

Tickets: $10/No Lawn Sales/Park opens at 5 p.m.

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Tuesday, September 4, 6 p.m. — Bennett Gordon Hall

**Johannes Moser**, Cello +

**Orion Weiss**, Piano

- Debussy: Sonata No. 1 in D Minor
- Takemitsu: *Orion*
- Poulenc: Sonata
- Brahms: Cello Sonata No. 1 in E Minor, Op. 38

Tickets: $10/No Lawn Sales/Park opens at 5 p.m.

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Thursday, September 6, 8 p.m. — Martin Theatre

**Juilliard String Quartet**

- Beethoven: Quartet in C-Sharp Minor, Op. 131
- Quartet in A Minor, Op. 132

Tickets: $60-$40/Lawn $10/Park opens at 5 p.m.

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Friday, September 7, 8 p.m. — Pavilion

**The Knights**

**Eric Jacobsen**, Conductor

**Yo-Yo Ma**, Cello

- Wagner: *Siegfried Idyll*
- Schumann: Cello Concerto in A Minor, Op. 129
- Debussy: *Prélude À L’après-Midi D’un Faun*
  (“Prelude to the Afternoon of a Faun”)
- Adès: *Three Studies After Couperin*
- Persian Trad./arr. Jacobsen and Aghaei: *Ascending Bird*

Featured Sponsors: Negaunee Foundation; Ravinia Orchestral Consortium

Tickets: $75/Lawn $15/Sept. 7, 8, 9 reserved ticket package $150/Park opens at 5 p.m.

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Saturday, September 8, 11 a.m. — Bennett Gordon Hall

**Kraft Great Kids Concert**

**Ruth Page Civic Ballet** +

Program will include excerpts from classic ballets such as *Coppélia* and
*A Midsummer's Night's Dream*, as well as the contemporary work
*Sway, Swing, Swing*

Featured Sponsor: Kraft Foods Foundation

Tickets: $10/No Lawn Sales/Park opens at 10 a.m.

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Saturday, September 8, 7:30 p.m. —Pavilion

**The Knights**

Eric Jacobsen, Conductor

Itzhak Perlman, Violin

Feldman: *Madam Press Died Last Week at Ninety*

Tchaikovsky: Violin Concerto in D Major, Op. 35

Beethoven: Symphony No. 5 in C Minor, Op. 67

Season Sponsor: Katten Muchin Rosenman LLP

Tickets: $75/Lawn $15/Sept. 7, 8, 9 reserved ticket package $150/Park opens at 5 p.m.

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Sunday, September 9, 1 p.m. —Pavilion

*Kraft Great Kids Concert*

Tom Chapin & Friends

Featured Sponsor: Kraft Foods Foundation

Tickets: $10/Lawn $5/Park opens at noon

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Sunday, September 9, 7 p.m. —Martin Theatre

**The Knights**

Eric Jacobsen, Conductor

Dawn Upshaw, Soprano

Program to include a French work for The Knights and Dawn Upshaw, as well as:

- Debussy: *Syrinx*
- Satie: *Gymnopédie* No. 1
- Couperin: *Les Nations*
- Stravinsky: *Three Japanese Lyrics*
- Ravel: Trois Poems De Stéphane Mallarmé (“Three Poems of Mallarmé”) *
- Ravel: *Chansons Madécasses*
- Milhaud: *La Création Du Monde* (“The Creation of the World”) *

Tickets: $75/Lawn $10/Sept. 7, 8, 9 reserved ticket package $150/Park opens at 4 p.m.

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