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Mark Your Calendars for the Concerts in our 2012-2013 Season

"Symphonic Masterpieces"

Free Concerts

Wednes., Oct. 3 3 PM

Pre-concert Talk
Green Valley Library
601 North La Canada Dr.
Green Valley

Saturday, Oct. 6 7 PM

Ascension Lutheran Church
1220 W Magee Rd, Tucson

Sunday, Oct. 7 3 PM

Sahuarita District Auditorium
350 W Sahuarita Rd,
Sahuarita

"Humor in Music"

Free Concert

Sunday, Dec. 2 3 PM

Rincon High School
421 N Arcadia Blvd, Tucson

Nutcracker Ballet with Dancing in the Streets Arizona

Saturday, Dec. 22 7 PM

Sunday, Dec. 23 3 PM

Tickets available at the
[Fox Tucson Theatre](#).

Dear Dorothy,

We are ready for our **October 6** and **7** concerts. Have you marked them on your calendar? See the information at the left for dates, times, and locations for the concert nearest you. Our concerts continue to remain **free of charge**, but we encourage you to please consider a \$10 donation.

Free October Concerts and Other Events

This week is busy for our musicians and we hope you will participate in our events. Please come to our Concert Preview on Wednesday and one of our free concerts this weekend.

Tuesday, October 2 (all day)

Four orchestra members will present seven programs for over 1,100 Sahuarita students in grades K-12 at no charge to the school district. They will demonstrate their instruments and perform a Mozart Flute Quartet and other classical pieces. Playing for the students are Dorothy Fitch (flute), Amy Osmun (violin), Patricia Thoresen (viola) and Sylvia Payne (cello).

Wednesday, October 3 at 3:00 pm ~ Concert Preview

Dr. Herschel Kreloff will give a free pre-concert talk at the Green Valley Library (address at left).

"Symphonic Masterpieces" ~ Mozart's #40 and Rachmaninoff's #2 Saturday, October 6 at 7:00 pm

Free concert at the Ascension Lutheran Church (details at left).

Sunday, October 7 at 3:00 pm

Free concert at the Sahuarita District Auditorium (details at left).

Vehicle Donation Program

Do you have a car or other vehicle that you no longer use? You can now donate it to the Civic Orchestra of Tucson. Our program doesn't cost you anything. It's easy and hassle-free. Your donation will support our free concerts and youth outreach programs and you will receive a nice tax benefit (if you itemize your deductions).

Call **1-855-24MUSIC** (1-855-246-8742) and speak with our representative.



**"All-American
Program"**

Free Concerts

Saturday, Feb. 9 7 PM

Crowder Hall
UA School of Music
1017 N Olive Rd, Tucson

Sunday, Feb. 10 3 PM

Canyon Del Oro High School
25 W Calle Concordia
Oro Valley

Pops at Quail Creek

Sunday, April 21 3 PM

Madera Clubhouse
2055 E Quail Crossing
Green Valley
(ticketed event)

Pops in the Park

Free Concert

Sunday, May 5 7 PM

DeMeester Outdoor
Performance Center
Reid Park, Tucson

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Orchestra Wish List

Would you like to fund a specific orchestra need? Here are a couple of items on our wish list. Barbara Freischlad, Zookeeper of our Musical Instrument Petting Zoos and COT timpanist, is looking for the following:

- A bow for a 1/4 size cello -- This doesn't need to be a bow specific to that size instrument, and it doesn't even need to be a cello bow or a bow in great condition. We just need some kind of bow so that young people can try getting a sound out of a cello we have that is currently bow-less. Give an extra bow you might have to any orchestra member, or call Barbara at (520) 884-7849 to arrange to get it to her.
- A gong -- Barbara also notes that our percussion section could use a gong. We don't have a "proper" gong with a suitable sound. Your gift of \$200-\$300 would ensure that we have a quality gong sound when we need one. You can send us a check or donate online. Reply to this e-mail if you would like to do this, so we know whom to thank for the gong.

Reminder: Bring your Recyclables to our Concerts!

We are collecting a variety of recyclable items through an eScrip program that will benefit the COT. Don't throw away these items--bring them to our concerts! We'll send them in to be recycled and the orchestra will receive a small check. There is no cost to us and the program will help you safely recycle your unneeded items.



Bring your empty inkjet and laser printer cartridges, small electronics (GPS devices, digital cameras, laptops, MP3 players) and media (CDs, DVDs, Blu-rays, video games) to our October 6 and 7 concerts. Place them in our labeled recycling box in the lobby. No cans, bottles, or paper, please! [Click to see a complete list of qualifying items.](#)

Thank you for your support!

Mozart Symphony No. 40, led by "Sebastian the Cyber Conductor"

[Check out this unique rendition](#) of Mozart's Symphony No. 40, one of the pieces on our upcoming concert program.

I don't want to give too much away, but consider a conductor who is operated by a remote control, with buttons for volume and mute, not to mention fast-forward and rewind. It's quite an entertaining performance.

Kudos to the Upper Austrian Youth Orchestra, for their magnificent live performance of this challenging arrangement.

We hope to see you at our free concerts this year.

With your help, we can continue to perform free classical concerts in the Tucson area for another 37 years. We couldn't do it without you.

Sincerely,

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