



2016 Summer Solstice Music Festival

June 20 - 28

Convocation Hall | University of Alberta campus
All Saints' Anglican Cathedral | 10035 103 Street
Yellowhead Brewery | 10229 105 Street

Edmonton Chamber Music Society

is pleased to announce the Summer Solstice Music Festival, with the legendary **Fine Arts Quartet** in residence for three concerts, performing with guest artists violinist **Gil Sharon** and cellist **Matt Haimovitz**. **Charles Richard-Hamelin**, who recently made headlines as the first Canadian prizewinner in the Chopin International Piano competition, will present a solo recital, and the Festival will end with a celebration of music for opera with tenor **John Tessier**, soprano **Sherry Steele**, ESO concertmaster **Robert Uchida**, ESO Principal Cellist **Rafael Hoekman**, and U of A pianists **Jacques Després** and **Patricia Tao**.

About the Fine Arts Quartet

Founded in Chicago in 1946, they have recorded over 200 works and toured throughout the world. They have been called the "The Dream Team" and were declared by the *Washington Post*, "one of the gold-plated names in chamber music." But these statements seem inadequate when you consider the American first violinist Ralph Evans was a prizewinner in the International Tchaikovsky Competition, that Russian-born second violinist Efim Boico was chosen by Daniel Barenboim to be concertmaster of the Orchestre de Paris, that Canadian violist Juan-Miguel Hernandez recorded with Norah Jones and Chick Corea and the British cellist Robert Cohen, in the words of *New York Stereo Review*, "plays like a God."

FINE ARTS QUARTET #1

Monday, June 20, 2016 at 7:30 PM

All Saints' Anglican Cathedral

Program:

Mozart Sonata for violin and piano in e minor, K. 304

Beethoven Trio in E-flat major, Op. 1, No. 1

Mendelssohn String Quintet No. 1, Op. 18
(with violist Gil Sharon)

Fine Arts Quartet; Gil Sharon, violin and viola;
Rafael Hoekman, cello; Patricia Tao, piano;
Jacques Després, piano

FINE ARTS QUARTET #2

Wednesday, June 22, 2016 at 7:30 PM

Convocation Hall, U of A campus

Program:

Haydn String Quartet Op. 71, No. 2

Shostakovich String Quartet No. 7

Schubert String Quintet in C major
(with cellist Matt Haimovitz)

FINE ARTS QUARTET #3

Friday, June 24, 2016 at 7:30 PM

All Saints' Anglican Cathedral

Program:

Tailleferre String Quartet

Ravel String Quartet

Fauré Piano Quartet No. 1 in c minor, Op. 15
(with pianist Patricia Tao)

CHARLES RICHARD-HAMELIN

Sunday, June 26, 2016 at 7:30 PM

All Saints' Anglican Cathedral

Charles Richard-Hamelin, piano

A NIGHT AT THE OPERA

Tuesday, June 28, 2016 at 7:30 PM

Convocation Hall | U of A campus

Program:

Arias by Handel, Mozart, Donizetti

Paganini Variations on a theme from Rossini's *Moses*

Beethoven Seven Variations on *Bei Männern, welche Liebe fühlen* from Mozart's *The Magic Flute*

Massenet Méditation from *Thaïs*

Sarasate Carmen Fantasy, Op. 25

John Tessier, tenor; Sherry Steele, soprano; Robert Uchida, violin; Rafael Hoekman, cello; Jacques Després, piano; Patricia Tao, piano

Yellowhead Brewery Concerts

MATT HAIMOVITZ

Tuesday, June 21, 2016 at 8 PM

Yellowhead Brewery

Cellist Matt Haimovitz brings his pioneering spirit to Edmonton with a solo concert at the Yellowhead Brewery.

"The solo cello recital is a Haimovitz trademark, both inside and outside the concert hall."

ROBERT UCHIDA AND FRIENDS

Thursday, June 23, 2016 at 8 PM

Yellowhead Brewery

The ESO's concertmaster presents a program of works ideal for the intimate atmosphere of Yellowhead Brewery.



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Order Form

Festival Passes

Admission to Fine Arts Quartet Concerts #1, #2, #3, Charles Richard-Hamelin, and A Night at the Opera

Regular Pass \$135 x _____ = \$ _____

Senior Pass \$120 x _____ = \$ _____

Student Pass \$60 x _____ = \$ _____

Please note that the passes are transferable.

Single Tickets

Fine Arts Quartet #1 | Mon., June 20 at 7:30 PM

Regular \$35 x _____ = \$ _____

Senior \$30 x _____ = \$ _____

Student \$15 x _____ = \$ _____

Fine Arts Quartet #2 | Wed., June 22 at 7:30 PM

Regular \$35 x _____ = \$ _____

Senior \$30 x _____ = \$ _____

Student \$15 x _____ = \$ _____

Fine Arts Quartet #3 | Fri., June 24 at 7:30 PM

Regular \$35 x _____ = \$ _____

Senior \$30 x _____ = \$ _____

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Charles Richard-Hamelin | Sun., June 26 at 7:30 PM

Regular \$35 x _____ = \$ _____

Senior \$30 x _____ = \$ _____

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A Night at the Opera | Tue., June 28 at 7:30 PM

Regular \$35 x _____ = \$ _____

Senior \$30 x _____ = \$ _____

Student \$15 x _____ = \$ _____

Yellowhead Brewery Concert Tickets

Matt Haimovitz | Tuesday, June 21 at 8 PM

Single ticket for Festival Pass holder:

\$10 x _____ = \$ _____

Single concert ticket: \$15 x _____ = \$ _____

Robert Uchida and Friends | Thursday, June 23 at 8 PM

Single ticket for Festival Pass holder:

\$10 x _____ = \$ _____

Single concert ticket: \$15 x _____ = \$ _____

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