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UTAH SYMPHONY ANNOUNCES 2019 DEER VALLEY® MUSIC FESTIVAL

Marie Osmond, Kristin Chenoweth, Chris Botti, Indigo Girls and Renée Elise Goldsberry to be featured with the Utah Symphony

1969 – 2019: 50th anniversary celebration concerts honoring the first lunar landing and two iconic albums by The Rolling Stones

St. Mary's Church performances include Mendelssohn's Violin Concerto, Schumann's Cello Concerto, Beethoven & Dvořák: The Romantic Violin, Mozart's Piano Concerto No. 23 and Schubert's Symphony No. 3

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah (February 19, 2019) – Utah Symphony | Utah Opera (USUO) today announced the lineup for the Utah Symphony's 2019 Deer Valley® Music Festival in Park City, Utah. The seven-week, 19-concert music festival begins on Friday, June 28, 2019 and runs through Saturday, August 10, 2019. Subscriptions, group and VIP tickets are on sale now. Single-concert tickets go on sale to the general public on Tuesday, April 9, 2019 at 10 AM at deervalleymusicfestival.org, 801-533-NOTE (801-533-6683) and through ArtTix outlets.

The 16th annual festival continues the tradition of pairing well-known, popular artists with the Utah Symphony in the beautiful outdoor setting at Park City's Deer Valley® Snow Park Outdoor Amphitheater. This summer includes Utah Symphony performances with Utah-native **Marie Osmond**, Broadway-sensation **Kristin Chenoweth**, folk rock duo **Indigo Girls**, jazz trumpeter **Chris Botti**, and Broadway singer **Renée Elise Goldsberry** from the original cast of "Hamilton."

The schedule at Deer Valley Resort also features the Utah Symphony with the annual **Patriotic Celebration**; **Bravo Broadway: Life is a Cabaret** featuring a tribute to songwriters Kander and Ebb; **America in Space**, a cinematic presentation honoring the 50th anniversary of the first lunar landing; tributes to **Aretha Franklin** and **The Rolling Stones**; **Disney in Concert "A Magical Celebration"** with



music from recent Disney films including “Moana,” “Coco” and “Frozen”; a live-to-picture performance of Steven Spielberg’s cinematic masterpiece “**E.T. The Extra-Terrestrial**,” and the perennial festival favorite, “**1812 Overture**” with live cannon fire on the hillside provided by Cannoneers of the Wasatch and Ukrainian pianist **Anna Fedorova performing Tchaikovsky’s Piano Concerto No. 1**.

Wednesdays at St. Mary’s Church feature the Utah Symphony in an intimate venue with gentle breezes and views of the Wasatch Mountains during five classical concerts. The 2019 Chamber Series includes Russian violinist **Maria Ioudenitch** performing **Mendelssohn’s Violin Concerto**, Utah Symphony’s Principal Cello **Rainer Eudeikis** performing **Schumann’s Cello Concerto**, Utah Symphony’s Associate Principal Concertmaster **Kathryn Eberle** performing **Beethoven’s Romance No. 2 for Violin and Orchestra** and **Dvořák’s Romance for Violin and Orchestra**, 2018 Gina Bachauer International Artists Piano Competition silver medalist **Aristo Sham** performing **Mozart’s Piano Concerto No. 23** and classical guitarist **Bokyung Byun** performing **Rodrigo’s “Fantasia para un gentilhombre.”** Utah Symphony Associate Conductor **Conner Gray Covington**, **David Danzmayr** and **Christian Reif** conduct the performances.

Utah Symphony | Utah Opera continues to focus on community involvement and engagement with a series of “**Pop-up**” **Performances** featuring smaller Utah Symphony and Utah Opera ensembles. The short performances occur around Park City and Summit County at existing events and in collaboration with other local festivals, including the Park Silly Sunday Market and Mountain Town Music, as a way of extending thanks to the community for hosting the Utah Symphony in its summer home.

This summer the festival expands its new **Gallery Series** with small ensembles of Utah Symphony musicians performing at the Susan Swartz Studios and Gallery MAR on Main Street in Park City. Ticket buyers are invited to come early for light refreshments and view the art on display. Musicians performing at these events will be announced at a later date.

“There’s no better venue than the Deer Valley® Music Festival for experiencing some of the world’s greatest musical artists performing with our very own Utah Symphony under the stars,” said Utah Symphony | Utah Opera President and CEO Paul Meecham. “In our 16th festival, we are thrilled to be able to increase the number of concerts presented at Snow Park Amphitheater and St. Mary’s to 19, and to



continue the community pop-up performances begun last year. Thank you to all the many supporters who help to make the festival possible in this unique location. We are deeply grateful.”

In- and out-of-state visitors to the Utah Symphony’s Deer Valley® Music Festival boost the Summit County tourism economy through activities surrounding their concert attendance. A 2018 post-festival survey of visitors from outside Summit County found 86 percent of respondents indicated that they had eaten at a local restaurant in conjunction with a Deer Valley® Music Festival concert, 54 percent went shopping, 45 percent visited Park City’s historic Main Street and 54 percent participated in a recreational outdoor activity such as hiking or biking. An overwhelming 70 percent of respondents said that the Deer Valley® Music Festival influenced their decision to visit Summit County. The festival has grown to an annual attendance of more than 45,000.

Ticket Information

Subscription, group and VIP tickets for the Utah Symphony’s Deer Valley® Music Festival are on sale now. The Park City Locals Sale for Summit and Wasatch County residents takes place on Saturday, April 6, 2019 at a time and location to be announced at a later date. Single-concert tickets for the general public will go on sale on April 9, 2019 at 10 a.m. Lodging packages, which can include tickets to performances, are available through lodging partners starting in May. Programming and guest artists are subject to change. Performance tickets and lodging information are available by calling (801) 533-6683 or online at deervalleymusicfestival.org.

VIP Packages

VIP packages for the Utah Symphony’s Deer Valley® Music Festival can include premium reserved seating, VIP parking, pre-concert gourmet dinners at Deer Valley Resort, playbill recognition and intermission receptions. VIPs have first access to Salon events featuring intimate performances in luxurious private residences by festival artists. VIP packages are available at varying levels and all include a charitable contribution. For more information, please call (801) 869-9011, email vipevents@usuo.org, or visit <https://deervalleymusicfestival.org/tickets/vip-packages/>.

Volunteer Information

Volunteers for the Utah Symphony’s Deer Valley® Music Festival are needed in multiple positions: ushers, ticket takers, backstage, etc. Benefits include a complimentary ticket voucher, T-shirt and the



opportunity to work closely with guest artists. Visit <https://usuo.org/support-live-music/volunteer/> for more information.

2019 DEER VALLEY® MUSIC FESTIVAL SCHEDULE

MAIN STAGE – DEER VALLEY SNOW PARK OUTDOOR AMPHITHEATER

2250 Deer Valley Dr. S, Park City, UT

Chris Botti with the Utah Symphony

June 28, 2019 (Friday) | 7:30 p.m.

Conner Gray Covington, conductor

Chris Botti, trumpet

Utah Symphony

Grammy Award-winning trumpeter Chris Botti returns to kick off the Utah Symphony's 2019 Deer Valley® Music Festival with an evening of jazz under the stars.

Marie Osmond with the Utah Symphony

June 29, 2019 (Saturday) | 7:30 p.m.

Jerry Williams, conductor

Marie Osmond, vocalist

Utah Symphony

Marie Osmond has spent five decades entertaining audiences throughout the world. Her iconic talent is showcased with the Utah Symphony in this concert featuring "Paper Roses," "Somewhere" from "West Side Story" and selections from her latest album.

Patriotic Celebration with Broadway star Hugh Panaro

July 5, 2019 (Friday) | 7:30 p.m.

Michael Krajewski, conductor

Hugh Panaro, vocalist

Utah Symphony

Hugh Panaro is best known for playing the coveted role of Phantom in Broadway's "The Phantom of the Opera" over 2,000 times. Audiences are invited to celebrate America as he performs hits from Broadway and patriotic favorites at this performance.

Bravo Broadway! Life is a Cabaret

July 6, 2019 (Saturday) | 7:30 p.m.

Randall Craig Fleischer, conductor

Morgan James, vocalist

Debbie Gravitte, vocalist

Hugh Panaro, vocalist

Utah Symphony

"Chicago." "Cabaret." "New York, New York." The songwriting duo Kander and Ebb collaborated for more than 40 years and delivered hit after hit on the stage and screen. In Life is a Cabaret, the Utah Symphony salutes their contribution to the Great American Songbook while also featuring other Broadway favorites from musicals like "Hairspray," "Les Misérables," "Mamma Mia" and "Cats."



A Tribute to Aretha, Queen of Soul

July 12, 2019 (Friday) | 7:30 p.m.

Lucas Waldin, conductor

Capathia Jenkins, vocalist

Ryan Shaw, vocalist

Utah Symphony

Aretha, the "Queen of Soul," created a legacy that spanned six decades. This concert features Capathia Jenkins and three time Grammy Award®-nominee Ryan Shaw performing her iconic hits like "Respect," "Think," "A Natural Woman," "Chain of Fools" and "Amazing Grace." Created in conjunction with Lucas Waldin and Lesley Sabol

"E.T. the Extra-Terrestrial" –Film in Concert with the Utah Symphony

July 13, 2019 (Saturday) | 7:30 p.m.

Conner Gray Covington, conductor

Utah Symphony

Director Steven Spielberg's heartwarming masterpiece is one of the brightest stars in motion picture history. Filled with unparalleled magic and imagination, "E.T. The Extra-Terrestrial" follows the moving story of a lost little alien who befriends a 10-year-old boy named Elliott. Experience all the mystery and fun of their unforgettable adventure in the beloved movie that captivated audiences around the world, complete with John Williams' Academy Award®-winning score performed live by the Utah Symphony in sync to the film shown on the big screen. E.T. The Extra-Terrestrial is a trademark and copyright of Universal Studios. Licensed by Universal Studios. All Rights Reserved.

Disney in Concert – A Magical Celebration

July 19, 2019 (Friday) | 7:30 p.m.

Conner Gray Covington, conductor

Utah Symphony

The magic of Disney comes to Deer Valley® in this multimedia showpiece featuring music from Disney's "Coco," "Frozen," "Moana," "Beauty and the Beast," "The Little Mermaid," "Aladdin" and more. Presentation licensed by Disney Concerts © All rights reserved

Renée Elise Goldsberry with the Utah Symphony

July 20, 2019 (Saturday) | 7:30 p.m.

Renée Elise Goldsberry, vocalist

Utah Symphony

An evening of music with "Hamilton's" Tony and Grammy Award-winning star Renée Elise Goldsberry. Her spiritually uplifting set includes music from "Rent" and "The Lion King" in addition to tributes to some of the strongest ladies to ever grace a stage such as Aretha Franklin, Nancy Wilson and Sarah Vaughan.

America in Space: A Cinematic Celebration

July 26, 2019 (Friday) | 7:30 p.m.

Amy Andersson, conductor

Utah Symphony

America in Space honors the 50th Anniversary of NASA's moon landing featuring film scenes and music from beloved Hollywood films about astronauts, as well as new symphonic music from a NASA Exhibit and NASA documentary footage.



July 27, 2019 Concert

The program and artist for the July 27, 2019 concert at Deer Valley® Snow Park Amphitheater will be announced at a later date.

Tchaikovsky's 1812 Overture and Piano Concerto No. 1

August 2, 2019 (Friday) | 7:30 p.m.

Conner Gray Covington, conductor

Anna Fedorova, piano

Utah Symphony

Cannoneers of the Wasatch

Tchaikovsky's explosive "1812 Overture" is paired with live cannon fire and a program that also features Ukrainian pianist Anna Fedorova performing Tchaikovsky's Piano Concerto No. 1

An Intimate Evening with Kristin Chenoweth and the Utah Symphony

August 3, 2019 (Saturday) | 7:30 p.m.

Mary Campbell, conductor

Kristin Chenoweth, vocalist

Damien Bassman, drums

Utah Symphony

Kristin Chenoweth shares her memorable songs and show tunes from "Wicked," "Glee" and more in this performance with the Utah Symphony.

The Music of The Rolling Stones: Circa 1969

August 9, 2019 (Friday) | 7:30 p.m.

Brent Havens, conductor

Tony Vincent, vocalist

Utah Symphony

A multi-media celebration of the 50th Anniversary of two iconic albums—"Beggars Banquet" and "Let It Bleed."

Indigo Girls with the Utah Symphony

August 10, 2019 (Saturday) | 7:30 p.m.

Conner Gray Covington, conductor

Indigo Girls

Utah Symphony

This concert features the Indigo Girls' and the Utah Symphony performing larger-than-life arrangements of their songs that don't sacrifice the emotional intimacy and honesty that have defined the Indigo Girls' music for decades.

CHAMBER ORCHESTRA SERIES – ST. MARY'S CHURCH

1505 White Pine Canyon Road, Park City UT

Mendelssohn's Violin Concerto

July 10, 2019 (Wednesday) | 8 p.m.

Conner Gray Covington, conductor



Maria Ioudenitch, Violin
Utah Symphony

STRAVINSKY	"Danses concertantes"
MENDELSSOHN	Violin Concerto
FAURÉ	Suite from "Pelléas et Mélisande"
DEBUSSY	"Suite bergamasque"

Schumann's Cello Concerto

July 17, 2019 (Wednesday) | 8 p.m.

Christian Reif, conductor
Rainer Eudeikis, cello
Utah Symphony

BEETHOVEN	"Coriolan Overture"
HONEGGER	"Pastorale d'été"
R. SCHUMANN	Cello Concerto
BEETHOVEN	Symphony No. 2

Beethoven & Dvořák: The Romantic Violin

July 24, 2019 (Wednesday) | 8 p.m.

Conner Gray Covington, conductor
Kathryn Eberle, violin
Utah Symphony

BEETHOVEN (arr. Mahler)	String Quartet No. 11, "Serioso"
BEETHOVEN	Romance No. 2 for Violin and Orchestra
DVOŘÁK	Romance for Violin and Orchestra
RAVEL	"Pavane for a Dead Princess"
MOZART	Symphony No. 36, "Linz"

Mozart's Piano Concerto No. 23

July 31, 2019 (Wed) | 8 p.m.

Conner Gray Covington, conductor
Aristo Sham, piano (2018 Gina Bachauer International Artists Piano Competition Silver Medalist)
Utah Symphony

MOZART	Piano Concerto No. 23
ARVO PÄRT	"If Bach had been a Beekeeper"
BRAHMS	Serenade No. 2

Schubert's Symphony No. 3

August 7, 2019 (Wed) | 8 p.m.

David Danzmayr, conductor



Bokyung Byun, Guitar
Utah Symphony

MOZART Divertimento No. 1
RODRIGO “Fantasia para un gentilhombre”
TAUSKY Coventry (Meditation for String Orchestra)
SCHUBERT Symphony No. 3

GALLERY SERIES

Small ensembles from the Utah Symphony performing at these concerts will be announced at a later date.

Gallery MAR

436 Main St, Park City, Utah
Monday, July 15, 2019 | Doors 6 p.m. | Performance 6:30 p.m.

Susan Swartz Studios

260 Main St, Park City, Utah
Monday, July 22, 2019 | Doors 6 p.m. | Performance 6:30 p.m.

About Deer Valley Music Festival

The Deer Valley® Music Festival (DVMF) is Utah Symphony’s summer home in the mountain resort town of Park City, Utah. The 2019 festival marks the 16th season of providing chamber music, classical, and pops offerings in several venues: the Deer Valley Resort Snow Park Outdoor Amphitheater, St. Mary’s Church, and salon events in private homes in the Park City area. The goal of the Deer Valley® Music Festival is to be renowned for consistently delivering a high quality and musically diverse experience in casual settings of unparalleled natural beauty. For more information, visit www.deervalleymusicfestival.org.

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