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Appalachian Chamber Music Festival Announces 2024 Season

ACMF returns for their fourth summer festival with another spectacular line-up of concerts

Harpers Ferry, W.Va. – The Appalachian Chamber Music Festival will host their fourth season in August packed with musical performances sure to please audiences across the region. This year's theme, "Our Different Voices", will be an exploration of musical expression, showcasing the variety of voices of composers, performers, styles, ideas and movements highlighted by the memorable live performances ACMF has become known for. For tickets, programs, and event information visit <u>www.AppalachianChamber.org</u>.

Strings Chamber Music Camp: Masterclass Sessions

August 5 - 8 at 2 - 3 pm daily, Free events

Hillsboro Old Stone School, 37098 Charles Town Pike, Hillsboro, Va. 20132 A great experience for strings students who may be interested in joining camp in the future! Observe students participating in ACMF's Strings Chamber Music Camp selected for the opportunity to experience a masterclass with one of our festival artists.

Strings Chamber Music Camp: Concert

August 9 at 2 pm, Free event Hillsboro Old Stone School, 37098 Charles Town Pike, Hillsboro, Va. 20132

Bach for Brunch: Our Solo Voices

Saturday, Aug 10 at 11 am The Station at Shepherdstown, 111 Audrey Egle Drive, Shepherdstown, W.Va. 25443

Finding a New Voice

Saturday, Aug 10 at 7 pm Barns of Rose Hill, 95 Chalmers Court, Berryville, Va. 22611 Tickets available at barnsofrosehill.org

Voices of the Niagara Movement

featuring world premiere from bassist and composer Rufus Reid and guest artists The Howard Burns Quartet. This free outdoor concert event is presented in partnership with the National Park Service's Harpers Ferry National Historical Park

Sunday, Aug 11 at 3 - 5 pm, Pre-concert lecture about the historical significance of the Niagara Movement with Dr. Ray Smock at 2:45 pm.

The Lawn at Historic Storer College, 51 Mather Place, Harpers Ferry, W.Va. 25425 (outdoor event)

Poetic Voices

Monday, Aug 12 at 6:30 pm 868 Estate Vineyards, 14001 Harpers Ferry Road, Hillsboro, Va. 20132 (outdoor event)

Revolutionary Voices

Tuesday, Aug 13 at 7:30 pm Shepherdstown Opera House, 131 W. German Street, Shepherdstown, W.Va. 25443

The Human Voice: A Celebration of Song

Wednesday, Aug 14 at 7:30 pm Zion Episcopal Church, 301 E. Congress Street, Charles Town, W.Va. 25414

Voices for all Seasons (of life)

Thursday, Aug 15 at 7:30 pm Shepherdstown Presbyterian Church, 100 W. Washington Street, Shepherdstown, W.Va. 25443

Seasonal Voices

Friday, Aug 16 at 7:30 pm St. John the Evangelist Roman Catholic Church, 118 E. 2nd Street, Frederick, Md. 21701

Duo Delights

Saturday, Aug 17 at 11 am The Station at Shepherdstown, 111 Audrey Egle Drive, Shepherdstown, W.Va. 25443

Voices Intimate, Voices Powerful

Saturday, Aug 17 at 7:30 pm Camp Hill-Wesley United Methodist Church, 601 Washington Street, Harpers Ferry, W.Va. 25425

Festival Finale: Voices of Celebration

Sunday, Aug 18 at 3 pm Happy Retreat, 600 Mordington Avenue, Charles Town, W.Va. 25414 (outdoor event)

The Appalachian Chamber Music Festival is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit performing arts organization serving communities in Jefferson County, West Virginia, and the surrounding region. ACMF melds world-class chamber music performances, collaboration and outreach, with the rich and inspiring history, nature and culture of Harpers Ferry, Charles Town, Jefferson County and surrounding areas. We are all about bringing music to audiences in new, meaningful and accessible ways!