

Once Upon a Time

Sunday, October 30, 2011 – 2:00 PM

Linda Tutas Haugen, Narrator; Keith Bear, Native American Flutes; Sue Radloff, Violin; Phil Burkhart, Guest Conductor

Our opening concert will ignite your memories and imagination! From a salute to the military to a fable about peaceful resolutions, a macabre violin story to a funeral procession, and a new work never heard here before, but not from the movie of the same name!



Linda Tutas Haugen
Narrator



Keith Bear
Native American Flutes



Sue Radloff
Violin

It's Christmastime!

Sunday, December 11, 2011 – 2:00 PM

Austin's own male quartet, Forte

Making their debut appearance with the Austin Symphony, the local male quartet called "Forte" brings their unique and fresh vocal stylings to our concert stage. This concert will include an audience sing-a-long and a featured work by St. Olaf College Orchestra Director Steven Amundson, along with many Christmas favorites.



Brad Weber, Tom Klipfel, Dan Kahl, John Deyo



Roberto Plano
Pianist



Robert Wills
Baritone

Gala 55th Anniversary Celebration

Sunday, February 26, 2012 – 2:00 PM

Roberto Plano, pianist; Robert Wills, Baritone; Austin Symphony Chorus, Sonia Larson Director; Albert Lea Cantori, Eileen Nelson Ness, Director; Riverland Community College Chorus, Scott Blankenbaker, Director

Join us as we celebrate 55 years of music-making with a spectacular work by the composer of "The New World Symphony." With festive orchestral and choral colors, Dvorak paints a picture so vivid you'll think you are marching through the streets of Prague accompanied by ringing church bells. We are particularly proud to present the return of pianist Roberto Plano to our concert stage with Schumann's famous concerto.

Homecoming

Sunday, April 15, 2012 – 2:00 PM

Richard Larson. Guest Conductor; Alumni Orchestra; the winners of the third annual young Artists Competition

Over our 55 year history hundreds of musicians have performed as members of the Austin Symphony Orchestra. Join us for this season finale where former members are invited to return and join us on stage again. We will feature the winners of the third Annual Young Artists Competition, and putting an exclamation point on the event, former Music Director/Conductor Richard Larson joins us to share in our triumphal celebration.

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_____ \$1000 or more MAESTRO (6 free tickets) _____ \$50 Adult Season Ticket
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_____ \$150 - \$249 SPONSOR (1 free ticket) _____ \$40 College Season Ticket
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(Students in grades K-12, no charge; K-5 must be accompanied by an adult)

In gifts of \$250 and up you may claim the full tax deduction by purchasing your tickets in lieu of the free tickets.

Please make checks payable to Austin Symphony Orchestra

Mail to: Austin Symphony Orchestra, 604 13th Ave. SW, Austin, MN 55912

For more information, call 507-433-5647

UPCOMING EVENT

Austin Symphony Children's Concerts:
Monday, October 31, 2011 ~ 9:00 AM and 10:45 AM

Regular concerts are held in the
Knowlton Auditorium of Austin High School.

Our concerts are given in cooperation with the
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the McKnight Foundation and the Minnesota State Legislature.

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Steve Ramsey
Conductor
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