

Program Notes

Young People's Concerts — The El Paso Symphony Orchestra presents its 79th season of free programs for 5th grade students at 10:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. Wednesday through Friday, **Jan. 30-Feb. 1**, at the Abraham Chavez Theatre. This year's program, "The Orchestra Moves," is presented in collaboration with Carnegie Hall's Weill Music Institute Link Up program. The public is invited on a space-available basis; call for availability. Information: 532-3776 or epsos.org.

Break in Reality — El Paso Pro-Musica concludes its annual Chamber Music Festival with the rock cello ensemble 7:30 p.m. Friday, **Feb. 1**, at the Rio Grande Theatre in Las Cruces, and Saturday, **Feb. 2**, at Fox Fine Arts Recital Hall. Break the Reality has covered such songs as the theme song from HBO's hit show "Game of Thrones." Tickets: \$25; \$20 seniors, military; \$5 youth. Information: 747-8163 or eppm.org.

Forbidden Music of the Third Reich — Acclaimed concert pianist Sophia Hase performs at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, **Feb. 5**, at Temple Mount Sinai, 4408 N. Stanton, with a dessert reception following. Admission is free, RSVPs encouraged at Temple Mount Sinai 532-5959 or templemountsinai.com, and El Paso Holocaust Museum, 351.0048 or elpasoholocaustmuseum.org.

NMSU Department of Music — Most performances are at 7:30 p.m. at the Atkinson Music Recital Hall. Admission is free. Information: (575) 646-2304 or music.nmsu.edu.

The 37th annual Southwest Honor Band and Orchestra Festival is Friday through Sunday, **Feb. 8-10**, with guest conductors Paul Popiel of University of Kansas and Ricky Brooks of University of Central Arkansas, with guest composer James Grant.

UTEP Department of Music — Performances are at Fox Fine Arts Recital Hall. Performance at 7:30 p.m. unless otherwise listed. Tickets prices vary. Information: 747-5606 or utep.edu/liberalarts/music/.

- Atlantic Piano Duo of Sophia Hase and Eduardo Ponce perform "Night Music," Wednesday, **Feb. 6**. The also will lead a Master Class at 10:30 a.m. Friday, **Feb. 8**, in Room 402 (call for details).
- Percussion/Chorale Collaboration Concert is 5 p.m. Sunday, **Feb. 10**.
- UTEP Wind Symphony performs Tuesday, **Feb. 19**.
- A Horn Choir Concert is 3 p.m. Sunday, **Feb. 24**.
- UTEP Symphony Orchestra performs Tuesday, **Feb. 26**.
- UTEP Choirs perform Thursday, **Feb. 28**.

Mesilla Valley Jazz and Blues Society — The society presents the Canyon Jazz Quintet at its monthly concert series 7 p.m. Sunday, **Feb. 17**, at First Christian Church, 1809 El Paseo in Las Cruces. The music begins after a short business meeting. Admission: \$10 (\$5 members; \$1 students with ID). Coffee and dessert reception precedes the concert at 6:30 p.m. in the foyer. Information: Larry Brooks, (575) 640-8752 or mvjazzblues.net.

EPSO's 'The Emperor' — El Paso Symphony Orchestra, conducted by Bohuslav

Rattay, presents guest pianist Daria Kiseleva, at 7:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday, **Feb. 22-23**, in the Plaza Theatre. Selections include Beethoven's Piano Concerto No. 5 in E-flat major, op. 73 "Emperor", and Prokofiev's - Symphony No. 5 in B-flat major, op. 100. Tickets: \$16-\$45; \$9 and \$11 for students (Ticketmaster). Information: 532-3776 or epsos.org.

Opening notes with Dr. James Welsch are presented at 6:30 p.m. each night in the Philanthropy Theatre next to the Plaza.

Kiseleva is the Gold Medalist in Solo and Concerto Division of the 2016 International Keyboard Odyssey & Festival. On May 1, 2017, she became the first Grand Prize Laureate of the Impromptu! Drozdoff Audition, and was featured in a four-city recital tour in the 2017-2018 Impromptu! Classical Music Recital Series season.

Ilya Yakushev — Las Cruces Civic Concert Association presents the award-winning Russian pianist at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, **Feb. 28**, at the Rio Grande Theatre, 211 N. Main in the Las Cruces Downtown Mall. The program features compositions by Beethoven, Tchaikovsky and Gershwin as well as Mussorgsky's Pictures at an Exhibition, plus a multi-media presentation. Tickets: \$25; \$5 students 18 and older with I.D. (available at the door only); free for age 17 and younger with paying adult. Information: (575) 405-7429 or lascrucescca.org.

EPSMF OM/NI applications — El Paso Society for Musicians of the Future will take applications online for its 2019 OM/NI (Original Music/New Ideas) project **through March 15**. This call for composers is open to original scores for solo piano. Junior division open to age 9-16; Emerging division open to age 17-25. Cash awards in each division, plus an "Audience Choice Award." Information: sjackson@epsmf.org, 449-0619 or epsmf.org.

The Art of Entertainment — The Art of the Arts Society presents a performance by pianist Laurie Koval at 2 p.m. Sunday, **March 3**, at International Museum of Art parlor, 1211 Montana, with a Name That Tune and requests

session. Admission is free; donations welcome. Museum membership encouraged. Information: 543-6747.

Las Cruces Symphony Orchestra — Grant County Community Concert Association, Mimbres Region Arts Council and WNMU hosts the orchestra's annual performance at 7:30 p.m. Friday, **March 8**, at WNMU Fine Arts Auditorium in Silver City. Conductor is Lonnie Klein. Admission: \$20 (\$5 students 17 and younger). Information: (MRAC), (575) 538-2505 or mimbresarts.org, or Grant County Community Concert Association, (575) 538-5862 or gconcerts.org.

Sungold Chorus — The El Paso Sungold Chorus of the Sweet Adelines rehearses four-part harmony 7 to 9:30 p.m. Mondays at All Saints Church, 3500 McRae. Information: 740-3216 or epsungold.org.

Border Chorders — The El Paso men's barbershop and a cappella group rehearses at 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesdays at El Paso Amateur Radio Club: W5ES, 2100 San Diego. Directed by John Eby. Singers in all male vocal ranges welcome. Information: Mitch Wilson 309-6954 or barber-shop.org

THE PATH OF SPIRITUAL FREEDOM

ECK Light & Sound Service
Community Service of Eckankar
 Topic: *Life is Spiritual Wake-up Calls*
 Time: Sat. Feb. 2nd 2:30 pm
 Place: Dorris Van Doren Library
 Family Meeting Room
 551 E. Redd. El Paso, TX 79912

Info at: (703)434-1196
www.Eckankar-Texas.org

Spiritual Book Discussion
 Books written by Harold Klemp
 Spiritual Leader of ECKANKAR
 Theme: *ECK Wisdom on Inner Guidance*
 Date: Sat. Feb. 16th 2:30 pm
 Place: Dorris Van Doren Library
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The Path of Spiritual Freedom

100 Helping Hands,
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WHO: Sponsored by: El Paso Chapter, The Links, Incorporated
WHAT: 100 Helping Hands, Linked to Halt Human Trafficking

The Guest Speakers are Dr. Stephany Powell, Executive Director of Journey Out*, and Angelica Gomez, Survivor. Music provided by Pro Musica.

Ticket Cost: \$100 (A portion of the proceeds will be donated to El Paso Center for Children and a portion of the cost is tax deductible.)

Tickets can be purchased on EventBrite: 100helpinghands.eventbrite.com

For sponsorship levels and additional information, please contact ElPasoLinks@gmail.com

*Journey Out fights for the freedom and survival of victims in Los Angeles

whose lives have been destroyed by commercial sexual exploitation and human sex trafficking

WHEN: Thursday, March 21, 2019 at 12:00 p.m. (Doors open at 11:30 a.m.)

WHERE: Wyndham El Paso Airport Hotel, 2027 Airway Boulevard, El Paso, TX 79925

WHY: The El Paso Chapter, The Links, Incorporated will host a luncheon focused on bringing further awareness to the issue of human trafficking.

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The problem of human trafficking requires further awareness because over 70,000 minors and youth are victims of sex trafficking in Texas. Getting "100 Helping Hands, Linked To Halt Human Trafficking" is our goal.



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