

DEAR FRIENDS OF THE PSO,

We are thrilled to present you the 2021–22 season! We cannot wait to share the beauty and emotion of music with a live audience—you.

The PSO's ability to make music this past season was a blessing, and it would not have been possible without your support. We embraced the challenges and became one of the few orchestras in the country to provide a full digital season. We filled your homes with music by Vivaldi, Mozart, Márquez, Debussy, Walker, Tchaikovsky, Kats-Chernin, and other greats.

We have missed your presence and the energy that only live concerts can bring. We cannot wait to get together again this new season—to celebrate music, our musicians, and the resilience of our community. The sounds of Bach, Price, Dvořák, Brahms, Berlioz, and many others will lift our spirits and provide nourishment to our souls.

RENEW BY MAIL: Complete the enclosed subscription renewal form and return it in the envelope provided.

> **CALL PortTIX:** 207-842-0800 MON-THURS • 11 AM-3 PM*

* Box office hours subject to change.



FULL PASSPORT

Choose this level if you are planning to attend live, in-person concerts at Merrill Auditorium in the 2021–22 season.

With a FULL PASSPORT Subscription you receive:

- Your saved seats for your specific subscription series at full-capacity concerts in the 2021–22 season!
- First priority seating for any socially distanced concerts in your specific subscription series
- Digital access to all filmed Classical and POPS! concerts for 30 days after the digital concert premiere'
- Exclusive invitations to join virtual lifelong learning
- Advance purchase of single tickets • Ticket add-ons at a 20% discount during pre-sale period
- (10% add-on discount all season long)[‡] Free ticket exchanges for the 2021–22 season[‡]
- Access to our monthly E-notes
- Interactive, digital program books

* Seating at socially distanced concerts is not guaranteed, however we will do our best to accommodate all Full Passport subscribers while following all current state health restrictions and guidelines. Please note, we will not be able to guarantee your specific subscription seats for any socially distanced concerts.

** Excludes Magic of Christmas and Discovery Concerts ‡ For in-person concerts only

BASIC PASSPORT

Choose this level if you DO NOT PLAN TO ATTEND live, in-person concerts at Merrill Auditorium in the 2021–22 season, but would like to save your seats for the 2022-23 season, hear our concerts online, and help the PSO Play On!

With a BASIC PASSPORT Subscription you receive: • The ability to save your current subscription seats for

- the 2022–23 season renewal period at half the price of a normal subscription.§ This will allow you to renew in the 2022–23 season with those same seats.† Please note, you will NOT have access to your seats in the 2021–22 season, nor will you have seating to any socially distanced concerts.
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- for 30 days after the digital concert premiere* • Access to our monthly E-notes
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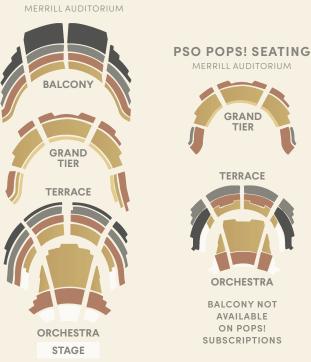
† Please be advised, you will be required to pay the subscription renewal price for the 2022–23 season to ensure access to your seats for that series.

- **DIGITAL PASSPORT** With a DIGITAL PASSPORT Subscription you receive:
- seats for the 2022–23 season or beyond.
- for 30 days after the digital concert premiere.** Please note: Digital Passport does not allow you to save your Access to our monthly E-notes

• Digital access to all filmed Classical and POPS! concerts

• Interactive, digital program books ** Excludes Magic of Christmas and Discovery Concerts

CLASSICAL SEATING



PASSPORT SEATING & PRICING

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	AA	Α	В	С	D	E
	CLASSICAL COMPLETE"					
FULL	\$652	\$548	\$436	\$344	\$268	\$192
BASIC	\$332	\$280	\$224	\$178	\$140	\$102
	TUESDAY CLASSICAL"					
FULL	\$498	\$447	\$363	\$282	\$216	\$147
BASIC	\$255	\$231	\$189	\$147	\$114	\$81
	SUNDAY CLASSICAL**					
FULL	\$392	\$347	\$287	\$227	\$182	\$122
BASIC	\$202	\$182	\$152	\$122	\$97	\$67
	PSO POPS!"					
FULL	\$392	\$342	\$292	\$242	\$192	\$127
BASIC	\$202	\$177	\$152	\$127	\$102	\$72
	DIGITAL PASSPORT"					
DIGITAL	\$90 PER YEAR (does not allow you to save your seats)					

Ticket handling fees of \$12 (for Full & Basic Passport) and \$9 (for Digital Passport) are included the in pricing chart for all PSO Passports. The

following sections have limited availability so please provide a 2nd option if choosing these: Classical and POPS!: AA and E; and Grand Tier for Classical. Please note: You must renew by August 14 to save your seats. Seats will be available when we return to full-scale, full-capacity concerts at Merrill Auditorium. Per health and safety guidelines, if we provide in-person

concerts with socially distanced seating, we will not be able to guarantee your specific seats for those concerts. ** Excludes Maaic of Christmas and Discovery Concerts

OPENING NIGHT ONWARD: A PSO HOMECOMING

TUES, OCT 19, 2021 | 7:30 PM

Eckart Preu, Music Director Michelle Cann, piano COPLAND: Fanfare for the Common Man SONENBERG: First Light: A Fanfare for Maine PRICE: Piano Concerto in One Movement GROFÉ: Grand Canyon Suite

PIANO MEN

SAT, NOV 6, 2021 | 7:30 PM SUN, NOV 7, 2021 | 2:30 PM Eckart Preu, Music Director Joe Boucher, piano and vocals

Local music legend Joe Boucher returns to your PSO with the wildly successful Piano Men! Don't miss this tribute to the generation-defining music of Billy Joel and Elton John.

MAGIC OF CHRISTMAS

Eckart Preu, Music Director James Kennerley, organ Magic of Christmas Chorus

FRI, DEC 10, 2021 | 2:00 PM (PREVIEW) & 7:30 PM SAT, DEC 11, 2021 | 2:00 PM & 7:30 PM SUN, DEC 12, 2021 | 1:00 PM & 5:00 PM FRI, DEC 17, 2021 | 2:00 PM & 7:30 PM SAT, DEC 18, 2021 | 2:00 PM & 7:30 PM SUN, DEC 19, 2021 | 1:00 PM & 5:00 PM

ECKART CONDUCTS BARTOK

SUN, FEB 20, 2022 | 2:30 PM TUES, FEB 22, 2022 | 7:30 PM Eckart Preu, Music Director Silver-Garburg Piano Duo BACH: Concerto for Two Pianos No. 3 in C minor POULENC: Concerto for Two Pianos in D minor BARTÓK: Concerto for Orchestra



SUN, MAR 13, 2022 | 2:30 PM

Ruth Reinhardt, guest conductor Robert deMaine, cello BARBER: Concerto for Cello and Orchestra BRAHMS: Symphony No. 2 in D major

ST MATTHEW PASSION

SUN, APR 10, 2022 | 2:30 PM TUES, APR 12, 2022 | 7:30 PM Eckart Preu Music Director ChoralArt

Gene Stenger, tenor Kevin Deas, bass-baritone J.S. BACH: St Matthew Passion

PACHO FLORES PLAYS MÁRQUEZ

TUES, MAY 17, 2022 | 7:30 PM Josep Caballé-Domenech,

guest conductor Pacho Flores, trumpet PALOMAR: Danza, Cantiga y Finale MÁRQUEZ: Concierto de Otoño SHOSTAKOVICH: Symphony No. 6 in B minor

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ORGAN CONCERTO MON, JAN 31, 2022 | 7:30 PM

Eckart Preu, Music Director James Kennerley, organ

John Tanzer, timpani

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2021-22 SEASON

CELTIC SPIRIT

SAT, OCT 23, 2021 | 7:30 PM SUN, OCT 24, 2021 | 2:30 PM Eileen Ivers, violin

Escape to Ireland with the music star of Riverdance and nine-time All-Ireland Fiddle Champion, Eileen Ivers. Described by The New York Times as "the Jimi Hendrix of the violin" Eileen Ivers and your PSO will take you on an unforgettable journey through Celtic music and tradition.

DVOŘÁK & ELGAR

SUN, NOV 21, 2021 | 2:30 PM

Eckart Preu, Music Director Maja Bogdanović, cello ELGAR: Cello Concerto in E minor DVOŘÁK: Symphony No. 8 in G major

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Organ and Timpani in G minor BRUCKNER: Symphony No. 6 in A major (Cahis 12)

MUSIC OF MOTOWN

SAT, FEB 26, 2022 | 7:30 PM SUN, FEB 27, 2022 | 2:30 PM William Waldrop, guest conductor Shayna Steele, vocalist Chester Gregory, vocalist Michael Lynche, vocalist

Dance the night away with the magic of MOTOWN! This program features smash hits made famous by artists like Marvin Gaye, Michael Jackson, Diana Ross, The Temptations, and Stevie Wonder.

SINGERS & SONGWRITERS WITH MICHAEL CAVANAUGH

THE MUSIC OF PAUL SIMON, JAMES TAYLOR, AND NEIL DIAMOND

> SAT, MAR 19, 2022 | 7:30 PM SUN, MAR 20, 2022 | 2:30 PM Walt Straiton, guest conductor Michael Cavanaugh, piano,

vocals, guitar The legendary music of James Taylor, Paul Simon, and Neil Diamond is brought to vivid life by Broadway's own Michael Cavanaugh.

CLASSIC BROADWAY SAT, MAY 7, 2022 | 7:30 PM

SUN, MAY 8, 2022 | 2:30 PM Lisa Vroman, soprano Doug LaBrecque, tenor Sing along with Broadway's own Lisa Vroman and Doug LaBrecque as they join your PSO for an evening of unforgettable songs from the Golden Age

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of musical theatre and beyond.

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