



# Colorado Music Festival

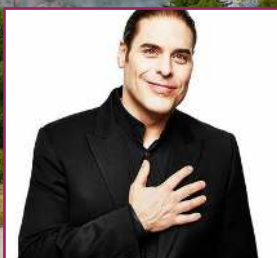
2017 CONCERT SEASON

JUNE 29 - AUGUST 4

AT CHAUTAUQUA IN BOULDER

Jean-Marie Zeitouni, Music Director

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Week One

## THURS. JUNE 29 - OPENING NIGHT OLGA KERN, PIANO

**Shostakovich:** Festive Overture, op. 96  
**Prokofiev:** Piano Concerto No.1 in D-flat major, op. 10  
**Rachmaninoff:** Rhapsody on a Theme of Paganini, op. 43  
**Rachmaninoff:** Symphony No.2 in E minor, op. 27

## SAT. JULY 1 - CMF PRESENTS PIANIST OLGA KERN

Olga Kern loves Boulder, and Boulder loves Olga Kern! This electrifying Van Cliburn competition-winning pianist returns for an intimate and unforgettable recital.

## SUN. JULY 2 - MAGNIFICENT MOZART GIORA BERNSTEIN, CONDUCTOR

**Mozart:** Symphony No. 35 in D major, K. 385 (Haffner)  
**Marcello:** Oboe Concerto in D minor  
**Bach:** Concerto for Two Violins in D minor, BWV 1043  
**Mozart:** Symphony No. 38, K. 504 in D major (Prague)

Week Two

## THURS. JULY 6 RED VIOLIN - NEW WORLD - BERNSTEIN CRISTIAN MĂCELARU, CONDUCTOR ELINA VĂHĂLĂ, VIOLIN

**Bernstein:** On the Town, Three dance episodes  
**Corigliano:** Concerto for Violin and Orchestra, "The Red Violin"  
**Dvořák:** Symphony No. 9, in E minor, op. 95 "From the New World"

## SAT. JULY 8 - 10AM YOUNG PEOPLE'S CONCERT

Introduce young children (ages 4+) to the excitement of live orchestral music with a program that engages audience members young and old!

## SAT. JULY 8 - 7:30PM CMF PRESENTS: CHAMBER MUSIC

**Schubert:** String Quartet No. 12 in C minor, D. 703 "Quartettsatz"  
**Schubert:** Cello Quintet in C major, D. 956

Week Three

## TUES. JULY 11 HAPPY HOUR @CHAUTAUQUA CHRISTOPHER O'RILEY, PIANO; PABLO ZIEGLER, PIANO

Join us for Happy Hour @Chautauqua! Enjoy complimentary food and drink samples from local restaurants before the concert, plus Two to Tango with Christopher O'Riley, Pablo Ziegler and members of the CMF Orchestra.

## THURS. JULY 13 - BEETHOVEN'S NINTH MARY WILSON, SOPRANO; MICHELLE DE YOUNG, MEZZO-SOPRANO; JASON BALDWIN, TENOR; KEITH MILLER, BASS-BARITONE; CMF CHORUS

**Betsy Jolas:** A Little Summer Suite (North American premiere)  
**Mahler:** Lieder eines fahrenden Gesellen (Songs of a wayfarer)  
**Beethoven:** Symphony No. 9, op. 125 in D minor

## FRI. JULY 14 - BEETHOVEN'S NINTH 6:30PM "FRESH FRIDAYS"

## SUN. JULY 16 STEWART GOODYEAR, PIANO

**Vaughan-Williams:** Fantasia on a Theme by Tallis  
**Shostakovich:** Concerto No.1 in C minor for Piano, Trumpet and Strings  
**Britten:** Young Apollo, op. 16  
**Strauss:** Metamorphosen for 23 Strings

*"Symphony Sampler" - a fresh approach to Friday Nights! It's a concert experience - reimagined. Start at 6:30pm with a short, hour-long concert featuring some of the world's greatest music, and still have time for post-concert dinner and drinks - the night is still young!*

Week Four

## TUES. JULY 18 HAPPY HOUR @CHAUTAUQUA STEVE HACKMAN, CONDUCTOR TIME FOR THREE

Join us for Happy Hour @Chautauqua! Enjoy complimentary food and drink samples from local restaurants before the concert, plus music by Time for Three and the CMF Orchestra.

## THURS. JULY 20 FRENCH MINI-FESTIVAL BENEDETTO LUPO, PIANO

**Debussy:** Prélude à l'après-midi d'un faune  
**Ravel:** Piano Concerto in G major  
**Ravel:** Piano concerto in D major (for the Left Hand)  
**Debussy:** Iberia  
**Ravel:** La Valse

## FRI. JULY 21- FRENCH MINI-FESTIVAL 6:30PM "FRESH FRIDAYS"

## SAT. JULY 22 - FRENCH MINI-FESTIVAL CMF PRESENTS PIANIST BENEDETTO LUPO

**Debussy:** A selection of solo piano music  
**Fauré:** Piano Quartet No. 1 in C minor, Op. 15



Week Five

## SUN. JULY 23 - FRENCH MINI-FESTIVAL FAURÉ'S FRENCH SOIREE BENEDETTO LUPO, PIANO

**Fauré:** Selections from Masques et bergamasques  
**Dukas:** Villanelle for Horn and Orchestra  
**Saint-Saëns:** Romance, op. 36  
**Fauré:** Ballade, op. 19  
**Chaminade:** Concertino for Flute and Orchestra in D major, op. 107  
**Saint-Saëns:** Introduction & Rondo Capriccioso  
**Offenbach:** Orpheus in the Underworld (excerpts)

## TUES. JULY 25 HAPPY HOUR @CHAUTAUQUA STEVE HACKMAN, CONDUCTOR CLASICALAPALOOZA

Join us for Happy Hour @Chautauqua! Enjoy complimentary food and drink samples from local restaurants before the concert, plus a music-mash-up by Steve Hackman and the CMF Orchestra like you have never heard before!

## THURS. JULY 27 - THE PLANETS

**Julian Wachner:** Click! Commission (World Premiere)  
**Scriabin:** Le Poème de l'extase, op.54 "Poem of Ecstasy"  
**Holst:** The Planets, op. 32  
*featuring choreographed, visual animation*

## FRI. JULY 28 - THE PLANETS 6:30PM "FRESH FRIDAYS"

Week Six

## SAT. JULY 29 CMF PRESENTS: CHAMBER MUSIC BORIS ALLAKHVERDYAN, CLARINET MEMBERS OF THE CMF ORCHESTRA

**Brahms:** Clarinet Quintet in B minor, op. 115  
**Tchaikovsky** (arr. Takemitsu): Autumn Song  
**Mozart:** Quintet for Piano and Winds in E-flat major, K. 452

## SUN. JULY 30 - CLASSICALLY JAZZ BORIS ALLAKHVERDYAN, CLARINET

**Weill:** Suite from Three Penny Opera  
**Copland:** Clarinet Concerto  
**Joplin:** Two Ragtimes:  
*The Entertainer, Maple Leaf Rag*  
**Bernstein:** Prelude, Fugue and Riffs  
**Gershwin:** Lullaby for Strings  
**Milhaud:** Creation of the World

## THURS. AUG 3 - MAHLER'S NINTH

**Mahler:** Symphony No. 9 in D major



## FRI. AUG 4 - FESTIVAL FINALE - VIOLINIST GIL SHAHAM - ONE NIGHT ONLY!

Violin Concerto: TBD | **Beethoven:** Symphony No. 7



Programs & guest artists subject to change.

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