

#### **ABOUT THE MSO**

The Mississauga Symphony Orchestra is recognized as Canada's leading hybrid orchestra, combining professional musicians with highly skilled amateurs. Under the direction of Maestro Denis Mastromonaco, the MSO presents ambitious and engaging programs performed to the highest artistic standards. Since welcoming the Mississauga Symphony Youth Orchestra in 2014, the organization has become the cornerstone of classical music in Mississauga, rooted in music education, performance, and community engagement.

2025/26 Concert Season

#### THE MSO EXPERIENCE

Under the banner of *The MSO Experience*, our 2025-26 concert season offers soul-stirring music, powerful performances, and opportunities to experience communal moments of joy.

Our **Masterworks** series highlights the depth and brilliance of symphonic music with landmark works such as Beethoven's **Pastoral Symphony**, Ravel's **Pictures at an Exhibition**, Sibelius's **First Symphony**, and Mahler's monumental **Symphony No. 5**. We continue our beloved **Holiday** series with **A Merry Little Christmas**—a heartwarming, festive tradition that is perfect for friends and family.

This year's **Pops** series brings two outstanding guest ensembles to the stage: the virtuosic and thoroughly entertaining **Quartetto Gelato**, and **Brass Transit**—the world's leading tribute to the legendary band, Chicago. Not to be outdone, the incredible musicians of the **MSYO** will perform a season of blockbuster works such as Dvořák's **Symphony No. 8**, and Tchaikovsky's electrifying **Symphony No. 4**.

Join us in the Living Arts Centre and experience the thrill, the wonder, and the communal connection that only live music can offer.

I look forward to welcoming you to the hall!



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MASTERWORKS

# THE PASTORAL EXPERIENCE

BRAHMS HAYDN VARIATIONS DVOŘÁK In nature's realm BEETHOVEN Symphony No. 6

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 18, 8PM LIVING ARTS CENTRE





HOLIDAY - MATINÉE

# A MERRY LITTLE CHRISTMAS

**HOLIDAY FAVOURITES** AND SING-ALONGS 1 HOUR CONCERT

SATUBDAY, DECEMBER 13, 4PM Living arts centre

**ALL TICKETS \$25** 

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**HOLIDAY - EVENING** 

## A MERRY LITTLE CHRISTMAS

A Concert for All-Ages

HOLIDAY FAVOURITES AND SING-ALONGS 2 HOUR CONCERT

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 13, 7:30PM LIVING ARTS CENTRE

TICKETS START AT \$35 Family Pack of Four \$100



DENIS MASTROMONACO





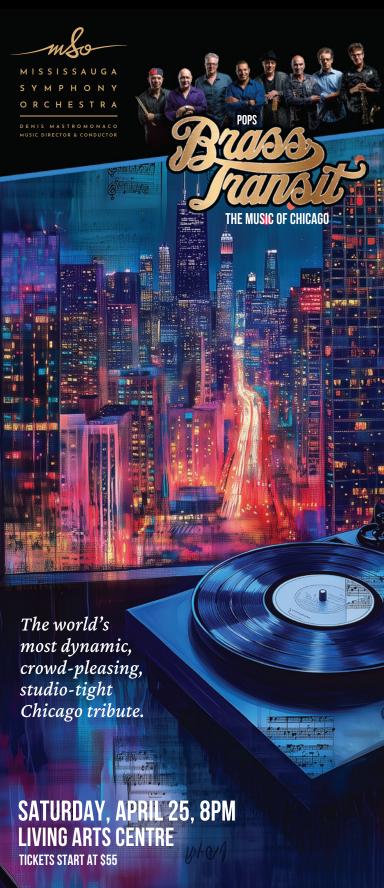
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Quartetto Gelato
has enchanted audiences
and critics worldwide
with their exotic blend of
musical virtuosity, artistic
passion, and humour.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 8PM LIVING ARTS CENTRE

1210000 MASTERWORKS SATURDAY, MARCH 28, 8PM LIVING ARTS CENTRE



#### 2025/2026 CONCERT SEASON

#### TICKET PRICING

Ticket pricing for all MSO concerts, except A Merry Little Christmas

ADULT A \$65

ADULT B \$55

ADULT C \$40

SENIOR A \$58

SENIOR B \$50

SENIOR C \$36

16-26 \$30

15 & UNDER \$25

FAMILY OF 4 **\$100** 

GROUPS (10 or more)

A: \$58.50

B: \$49.50

C: \$36.00

ADULT "Pick 7" (50% Discount)

A: \$32.50

B: \$27.50

C: \$20.00

SENIOR "Pick 7" (50% Discount)

A: \$29.00

B: \$25.00

C: \$18.00

ADULT "Pick 6" (40% Discount)

A: \$39.00

B: **\$33.00** 

C: \$24.00

SENIOR "Pick 6" (40% Discount)

A: \$34.80

B: \$30.00

C: \$21.60

ADULT "Pick 5"

(30% Discount)

A: \$45.50

B: \$38.50

C: \$28.00

SENIOR "Pick 5"

(30% Discount)

A: \$40.00

B: \$35.00

C: \$25.20

ADULT "Pick 4"

(20% Discount)

A: \$52.00 B: \$44.00

C: \$32.00

SENIOR "Pick 4"

(20% Discount)

A: \$46.40

B: \$40.00

C: \$28.80

TICKETS ON SALE JULY 28, 2025

#### CHRISTMAS CONCERTS

#### A Merry Little Christmas –Matinée

Saturday, December 13 at 4pm A concert for young families

ALL TICKETS \$25

#### A Merry Little Christmas - Evening

Saturday, December 13 at 7:30pm A concert for all-ages

ADULT A \$50 SENIOR A \$25 16-26 \$25

ADULT B \$45 SENIOR B \$25 15 & UNDER \$25 ADULT C \$35 SENIOR C \$25 FAMILY \$100

#### **MSYO TICKET PRICING**

**ADULT: \$30** CHILD: **\$25** FAMILY OF 4: \$100

#### **MSYO CONCERTS**

#### The Dvořák Experience Sunday, November 9 at 3pm

The Opera Experience Sunday, March 1 at 3pm

The Tchaikovsky Experience Sunday, May 3 at 3pm



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# THE MAHLER EXPERIENCE

MAHLER Symphony No. 5

SATURDAY, MAY 23, 8PM LIVING ARTS CENTRE



#### **ABOUT THE MSYO**

The MSYO offers exceptional education and performance opportunities to young classical musicians. Led by Artistic Director and Conductor Maestro Denis Mastromonaco, the MSYO has rapidly earned its place as Mississauga's premier youth orchestra, inspiring the next generation of musicians through a commitment to musical excellence.

#### SINFONIA

#### Strings:

Violin, Viola, Cello, Double Bass

#### Age:

10 to 14 years

#### **Experience Level:**

Intermediate knowledge of the instrument, some previous ensemble experience isrecommended.

#### Outcome:

To learn the musical and ensemble skills necessary to progress to the Symphony Orchestra.

#### SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

Full component of orchestral winds, brass, strings, and percussion.

#### Age:

14 to 21 years

#### Experience Level:

Intermediate to advanced knowledge of the instrument – some previous orchestral experience required.

#### Outcome:

To provide young musicians exposure to symphonic music in a professional and educational environment.

For application information, contact: info@mississaugasymphony.ca



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## THE OPERA EXPERIENC

Famous opera overtures and arias

SUNDAY, MARCH 1, 3PM LIVING ARTS CENTRE

ADULT: \$30 CHILD: \$25 Family of 4: \$100

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## THE TCHAIKOVSKY EXPERIENCE

TCHAIKOVSKY Symphony No. 4

SUNDAY, MAY 3, 3PM LIVING ARTS CENTRE

ADULT: \$30 CHILD: \$25 Family of 4: \$100

#### MEET THE MAESTRO

Explore the rich history behind the music of each Masterworks concert with Maestro Denis Mastromonaco and special guests. Join them in the Screening Room at the Living Arts Centre for this fascinating pre-concert feature—a fantastic addition to your MSO experience.

#### The Pastoral Experience

Saturday, October 18 at 7:15pm Living Arts Centre - Screening Room

#### The Ravel Experience

Saturday, November 22 at 7:15pm Living Arts Centre - Screening Room

#### The Nordic Experience

Saturday, March 28 at 7:15pm Living Arts Centre - Screening Room

#### The Mahler Experience

Saturday, May 23 at 7:15pm Living Arts Centre – Screening Room



#### MAESTRO'S FIRESIDE CHATS

Learn about iconic composers and symphonic masterpieces in the intimate setting of a candlelit theatre. Whether you're new to symphonic music or a seasoned listener, these free, informal, one-hour chats are designed to deepen your appreciation of the artform.

To book your seat, visit: mississaugasymphony.ca



#### **Music and Nature**

Monday, October 3 at 7pm Living Arts Centre – Screening Room

#### The Life and Music of Ravel

Monday, November 10 at 7pm Living Arts Centre – Screening Room

#### History of the Orchestra

Monday, January 19 at 7pm Living Arts Centre – Screening Room

#### The World of Opera

Monday, February 9 at 7pm Living Arts Centre – Screening Room

#### The Life and Music of Sibelius

Monday, March 23 at 7pm Living Arts Centre – Screening Room

#### The Life and Music of Mahler

Monday, May 11 at 8pm Living Arts Centre – Screening Room

Our Fireside Chats are made possible through the generous support of the **Mississauga Foundation**.

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SUMMER CONCERT SERIES

### SYMPHONY IN THE PARK

SUNDAY, JULY 6, 6:30 PM Port Credit Memorial Park Free

Welcome the warmth of summer with a lakeside concert featuring light classical, pops, and popular movie themes – a perfect way to start the City of Mississauga's Summer Concert Series.

Please bring a lawn chair or blanket from home.



#### **BOOK SALE**

#### 30th Annual Giant Used Book Sale

Revenue generated from each book sale is used to present and support each concert season, fund the rapidly growing Mississauga Symphony Youth Orchestra, and assist with incredible projects like fully-staged opera.

**Thursday, September 18, 2025** 5pm – 9pm

Friday, September 19, 2025 10am – 8pm

**Saturday, September 20, 2025** 10am - 4pm

**Sunday, September 21, 2025** All items 1/2 price

#### DONATIONS

The book sale accepts books, records (33s & 45s), DVDs, puzzles, games, and sheet music in good condition.

Donation hours are Tuesdays from 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm, and Thursdays from 9 am to noon.

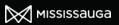
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