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The MIM Music Theater Announces Winter/Spring 2023 Concert Series

Tickets on sale to the public on December 8 at 10:00 a.m.

PHOENIX (November 25, 2022) — The MIM Music Theater is excited to announce its Winter/Spring 2023 Concert Series, with tickets on sale to the public on Thursday, December 8, at 10:00 a.m. The new series, which runs January through April, includes more than 40 concerts from multiple genres and features artists from around the world.

This season's highlights include veteran rock group the [BoDeans](#), Canadian singer-songwriter [Steven Page](#) formerly of Barenaked Ladies, Grammy-winning trumpeter and composer [Terence Blanchard](#), and Blues Music Award-winning multi-instrumentalist [Vanessa Collier](#).

The Winter/Spring 2023 Concert Series also welcomes several artists who will perform at the [MIM Music Theater](#) for the first time. New artists include Grammy-nominated bluegrass band [Laurie Lewis and the Right Hands](#), indie rockers the [Magnetic Fields](#), renowned fiddler [Michael Cleveland](#), and [Reunion!](#), a world-class jazz trio, consisting of [Bruce Forman](#), [Jeff Hamilton](#), and [John Clayton](#), performing on the original instruments of their musical mentors.

Concertgoers can also look forward to the return of several favorites to the MIM Music Theater, including Grammy-winning country icons [Riders in the Sky](#), singer-songwriter [Ron Pope](#), blues-rock group [Tommy Castro and the Painkillers](#), and acclaimed traditional Irish folk band [Altan](#).

"The lineup for the 2023 Winter/Spring Concert Series is truly spectacular," says MIM Music Theater manager Patrick Murphy. "The MIM Music Theater draws out the breadth, depth, and vitality of the world's performers in ways that are incomparable, fostering an experience for audiences and artists alike that is filled with the joy for music."

[Circle of Friends members](#) who give \$250 or more annually can buy tickets at the [Winter/Spring 2023 Concert Series Preview Event](#) on Thursday, December 1. Members who give \$250 or more enjoy exclusive member benefits, including advance purchase opportunities for concerts and invitations to Concert Series Preview Events with MIM's artistic director. Members who give \$500 or more annually also receive 10% off concert tickets.

Additional artists will be added to the lineup throughout the season. To get the latest announcements from the MIM Music Theater, sign up for concert newsletters at [MIM.org](#).

2023 Concert Series sponsored by [Sanderson Lincoln](#)

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About MIM and the MIM Music Theater

The Musical Instrument Museum (MIM) enriches our world by collecting, preserving, and making accessible an astonishing variety of musical instruments and performance videos from every country in the world. MIM offers guests a welcoming and fun experience, incomparable interactive technology, dynamic programming, and exceptional musical performances. MIM fosters appreciation of the world's diverse cultures by showing how we innovate, adapt, and learn from each other to create music—the language of the soul.

In addition to hosting performances by renowned artists, the MIM Music Theater introduces guests to emerging talents from around the world. It has been called “the best 300-seat venue in the country” by Grammy winner Shawn Colvin. Each performance is an extension of the museum's exhibits—showcasing the instruments, the people who play them, and the musical language we all share.

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Winter/Spring 2023 Concert Series Lineup

January 2023

Special EFX Allstars

Sat., Jan. 7 | 7:00 & 9:00 p.m.

Extreme Acoustic Guitar

With Bill Dutcher, Rick Cyge,

and Darin Mahoney

Tue., Jan. 10 | 7:00 p.m.

Blind Boys of Alabama

With Special Guest

Charlie Musselwhite

Fri., Jan. 13 | 7:30 p.m.

Sat., Jan. 14 | 7:30 p.m.

Arizona Musicfest

Young Musicians Winter Concert

Sun., Jan. 15 | 2:00 p.m.

Davina and the Vagabonds

Sun., Jan. 15 | 7:30 p.m.

Tatiana Eva-Marie

Tue., Jan. 17 | 7:00 p.m.

Tommy Castro and the Painkillers

Wed., Jan. 18 | 7:00 p.m.

Ann Hampton Callaway:

The Linda Ronstadt Songbook

With Billy Stritch

Thu., Jan. 19 | 7:00 p.m. & 9:00 p.m.



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Michael Kaeshammer
Fri., Jan. 20 | 7:30 p.m.

Terence Blanchard
Featuring the E-Collective and
the Turtle Island Quartet
Sat., Jan. 21 | 7:00 p.m. & 9:00 p.m.

Steven Page
Formerly of Barenaked Ladies
Sun., Jan. 22 | 7:00 p.m.

Gretchen Menn and Daniele Gottardo
Tue., Jan. 24 | 7:00 p.m.

Legends of Hawaiian Music
Featuring Keola Beamer and Henry Kapono
Thu., Jan. 26 | 7:00 p.m.

BLKBOK
Fri., Jan. 27 | 7:30 p.m.

February 2023

Paris Chansons
Fri., Feb. 3 | 7:00 p.m.

Leo Kottke
Sun., Feb. 5 | 7:00 p.m.
Mon., Feb. 6 | 7:00 p.m.

BoDeans
Fri., Feb. 10 | 7:00 p.m. & 9:00 p.m.
Sat., Feb. 11 | 7:00 p.m. & 9:00 p.m.

The Hot Club of Cowtown and Tyler Hilton
Celebrating Elvis Presley's Records from
Sun Studio
Thu., Feb. 16 | 7:00 p.m.

DeVotchKa
Fri., Feb. 17 | 7:30 p.m.

Dave Holland, Kevin Eubanks, and Eric Harland
Sat., Feb. 18 | 7:00 p.m. & 9:00 p.m.

Riders in the Sky
Tue., Feb. 21 | 7:00 p.m.

The Sadies
Fri., Feb. 24 | 7:30 p.m.

Mnozil Brass
Tue., Feb. 28 | 7:00 p.m.

March 2023

Pokey LaFarge
Wed., Mar. 1 | 7:00 p.m.

MusicaNova Orchestra
Contrasts for Strings: Barber, Farina, Cohen
Sun., Mar. 5 | 2:00 p.m.

Michael Cleveland and Flamekeeper
Mon., Mar. 6 | 7:00 p.m.

MIM and the Phoenix Chamber Music Society
Present: Curtis on Tour
Fri., Mar. 10 | 7:30 p.m.

Poi Dog Pondering
Sat., Mar. 11 | 7:30 p.m.

Altan
Sun., Mar. 12 | 6:00 p.m. & 8:00 p.m.

AJ Lee and Blue Summit
Wed., Mar. 15 | 7:00 p.m.



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Thu., Mar. 16 | 7:30 p.m.

Spyro Gyra

Fri., Mar. 17 | 7:00 p.m. & 9:00 p.m.

Walter Trout

Sat., Mar. 18 | 7:00 p.m. & 9:00 p.m.

True Heart Troubadours

Tim O'Brien and Mary Gauthier

Sun., Mar. 19 | 7:00 p.m.

The Magnetic Fields

Mon., Mar. 20 | 7:00 p.m.

Beth Orton

Tue., Mar. 21 | 7:00 p.m.

Vanessa Collier

Sat., Mar. 25 | 7:00 p.m.

Arizona Musicfest

Young Musicians Spring Concert

Sun., Mar. 26 | 2:00 p.m.

Reunion!

Bruce Forman, Jeff Hamilton, and John Clayton

Thu., Mar. 30 | 7:00 p.m.

Rob Ickes and Trey Hensley

Fri., Mar. 31 | 7:30 p.m.

April 2023

Steve Smith and Vital Information

Sun., Apr. 2 | 7:00 p.m.

Classic Albums Live

Featuring Fleetwood Mac's *Rumours*

Wed., Apr. 5 | 7:00 p.m.

Thu., Apr. 6 | 7:00 p.m.

The Anderson Brothers Play Gershwin

Sat., Apr. 8 | 7:00 p.m.

Laurie Lewis and the Right Hands

Fri., Apr. 14 | 7:30 p.m.

Ron Pope

Thu., Apr. 20 | 7:30 p.m.

Morgan James

Sun., Apr. 30 | 7:00 p.m.

And many more! Programming subject to change.