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35th Season!

June 12 - September 1, 2025

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The Romantic Era of the Schumanns

Program A

Three Romances, Op. 22 **Clara Schumann**
Violin and Piano

Sextet in G Major, Op. 58 **Friedrich Kalkbrenner**
Piano, Two Violins, Viola, Cello, and Bass

Quintet in E-flat Major, Op. 44 **Robert Schumann**
Piano, Two Violins, Viola, and Cello

Thursday, June 12 • Opening Night Gala, 7:00pm
Special Guest Emcee Norman Gilliland
Kress Pavilion, Egg Harbor

Saturday, June 14, 7:00pm
St. Luke's Episcopal Church, Sister Bay

Sunday, June 15, 4:00pm
MUSE, Sturgeon Bay



Opening Night 2024
Photo: Dan Eggert

Mozart and Dvořák

Program B

Quintet No. 6 in E-flat Major, K. 614 **Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart**
Two Violins, Two Violas, and Cello

Quintet in B-flat Major, Op. 89 **Anton Reicha**
Clarinet, Two Violins, Viola, and Cello

String Sextet in A Major, Op. 48 **Antonin Dvořák**
Two Violins, Two Violas, and Two Cellos

Wednesday, June 18, 7:00pm
Björklunden, Baileys Harbor

Friday, June 20, 7:00pm
Peninsula School of Art, Fish Creek

Sunday, June 22, 4:00pm
Kress Pavilion, Egg Harbor

Wednesday, June 25, 7:00pm
Woodwalk Gallery, Egg Harbor

Big Top Door County 2025

A Grand 35th Anniversary Celebration

Wednesday, July 16, 3:00pm
Berkenfeld Estate

Join us for an unforgettable afternoon of music, artistry, and celebration under a grand white Big Top at the picturesque Berkenfeld Estate in Baileys Harbor.

Enjoy **refreshing beverages, hors d'oeuvres, and a lively program** featuring **Eric Lewis, George Meyer, Kris Saebø**, the **Griffon String Quartet**, and the **Strings of Midsummer's Music**, all led by violinist **David Perry**. From Mozart to bluegrass and the poignant Ashokan Farewell, this event promises a rich variety of musical brilliance.

Adding to the excitement, the **Musical Chairs auction returns**, showcasing hand-painted, music-inspired chairs crafted by talented Door County artists. Bid on these unique creations in a spirited live auction under the Big Top!

Following the performance, indulge in a **delicious catered meal**, rounding out a perfect Door County afternoon where music, art, and community come together. Wednesday, July 16, at 3:00pm Remember your Picknicking Party Clothes!



George Meyer*



Eric Lewis**

Credits:

*Thomas Brunot

**Allison Evans

Extreme weather date: July 17, 3:00pm

Mendelssohn Magic

Program C

Afro American Suite
Flute, Cello, and Piano

Undine Smith Moore

Trio in G Minor, Op. 63
Flute, Cello, and Piano

Carl Maria von Weber

Trio No. 2 in C Minor, Op. 66
Violin, Cello, and Piano

Felix Mendelssohn

Thursday, June 26, 7:00pm

UU Fellowship, Ephraim

Friday, June 27, 7:00pm

MUSE, Sturgeon Bay

Saturday, June 28, 7:00pm

St. Luke's Episcopal Church, Sister Bay

Tuesday, July 1, 7:00pm

Shepherd of the Bay Lutheran Church, Ellison Bay



David Perry
Photo: Dan Eggert

Dvořák, Bruch, and Beethoven 7

Program D

Notturmo in B Major, Op. 40
Two Violins, Viola, Cello, and Bass

Antonin Dvořák

Quintet in A Minor, Op. Posthumous
Two Violins, Two Violas, and Cello

Max Bruch

Symphony No. 7 in A Major,
Op. 92 [Steiner, arr.]
Two Violins, Two Violas, and Cello

Ludwig van Beethoven

Wednesday, July 2, 7:00pm

Björklunden, Baileys Harbor

Saturday, July 5, 7:00pm

St. Luke's Episcopal Church, Sister Bay

Sunday, July 6, 4:00pm

Hope United Church of Christ, Sturgeon Bay

J.S. Bach and Händel

Orchestral and Vocal Baroque Magic

Featuring Soprano Molly Netter

Program E

Orchestral Suite in B Minor, **Johann Sebastian Bach**
BWV 1067

Flute, Strings, and Harpsichord

Schlumert ein from **Johann Sebastian Bach**

Ich habe genug, Cantata, BWV 82a

Soprano, Strings, and Harpsichord

Un pensiero nemico di pace **Georg Friedrich Händel**

from *Il trionfo del Tempo e della Verità*

Soprano, Strings, and Harpsichord

Ei! Wei schmeckt der Kaffee süße **Johann Sebastian Bach**

from Cantata, BWV 211 (Coffee Cantata)

Soprano, Flute, Strings, and Harpsichord

Heute noch from Cantata, **Johann Sebastian Bach**

BWV 211 (Coffee Cantata)

Soprano, Strings, and Harpsichord

Da tempeste il legno infranto **Georg Friedrich Händel**

from *Guilio Cesare*, HWV 17

Soprano, Strings, and Harpsichord

Brandenburg Concerto **Johann Sebastian Bach**

No. 5 in D Major, BWV 1050

Flute, Violin, Harpsichord, and Strings

Wednesday, July 9, 7:00pm

Woodwalk Gallery, Egg Harbor

Thursday, July 10, 7:00pm

Peninsula School of Art, Fish Creek

Saturday, July 12, 7:00pm

Björklunden, Baileys Harbor

Sunday, July 13, 4:00pm

Kress Pavilion, Egg Harbor



David Perry, Allyson Fleck, Jeannie Yu, Cole Randolph, Fritz Foss, JJ Koh
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The Language of Love

French Piano Trios

Program F

Appassionato, Romance sans paroles
Violin, Cello, and Piano

Félix Fourdrain

Trio No. 3 in A Minor, Op. 26
Violin, Cello, and Piano

Édouard Lalo

Trio in G Minor, Op. 3
Violin, Cello, and Piano

Ernest Chausson

Saturday, July 19, 7:00pm

St. Luke's Episcopal Church, Sister Bay

Sunday, July 20, 4:00pm

Hope United Church of Christ, Sturgeon Bay

Friday, July 25, 7:00pm

UU Fellowship, Ephraim

Saturday, July 26, 7:00pm

Shepherd of the Bay Lutheran Church, Ellison Bay



Allyson Fleck, David Perry, Sally Chisholm, Ann Palen, Jeannie Yu, Cole Randolph, Jeremy Attanaseo, Fritz Foss, Lindsay Flowers, JJ Koh, Judith Farmer, Jim Berkenstock.

Octet Excitement

*David Perry Leads the Strings of
Midsummer's Music and the Griffon String Quartet*

Program G

Ciaccona in Memoriam
Giovanni Paolo II (2005)

Krzysztof Penderecki

Two Violins, Two Violas, and Two Cellos

Octet in E Major, Op. 23

Carl Schuberth

Four Violins, Two Violas, Cello, and Bass

Octet in B-flat Major, Op. Posthumous

Max Bruch

Four Violins, Two Violas, Cello, and Bass

Sunday, July 27, 4:00pm

Kress Pavilion, Egg Harbor

Wednesday, July 30, 7:00pm

Sister Bay Moravian Church, Sister Bay

Friday, August 1, 7:00pm

MUSE, Sturgeon Bay

Saturday, August 2, 7:00pm

St. Luke's Episcopal Church, Sister Bay

César Franck Piano Quintet

Program H

Theme and Variations **Amy Marcy Beach**
in A Minor, Op. 80
Flute, Two Violins, Viola, and Cello

Quintet in F Minor **César Franck**
Piano, Two Violins, Viola, and Cello

Sunday, August 24, 4:00pm
Hope United Church of Christ, Sturgeon Bay

Wednesday, August 27, 7:00pm
Shepherd of the Bay Lutheran Church, Ellison Bay

Monday, September 1, 3:00pm – Labor Day Gala
Björklunden, Baileys Harbor

The Majesty of Schubert's Octet

Program I

Impressions (2002) **Gernot Wolfgang**
Clarinet, Bassoon, Horn, Violin,
Viola, Cello, and Bass

Octet in F Major, D. 803 **Franz Schubert**
Clarinet, Bassoon, Horn, Two Violins,
Viola, Cello, and Bass

Tuesday, August 28, 7:00pm
Björklunden, Baileys Harbor

Friday, August 29, 7:00pm
MUSE, Sturgeon Bay

Saturday, August 30, 3:00pm
The Clearing Folk School, Ellison Bay

Sunday, August 31, 4:00pm
Kress Pavilion, Egg Harbor

Labor Day Gala September 1, 3:00pm

Join us for an unforgettable afternoon of spectacular music, delicious food, and end-of-season celebration at beautiful Björklunden! Our Labor Day Gala is the perfect way to toast another incredible season of Midsummer's Music—filled with breathtaking performances, great company, and a shared love of music.

Enjoy an inspiring concert featuring world-class musicians, engaging entertainment, and the chance to support the music that brings our community together. With special guest emcee Geoffrey Sandler, it's sure to be a joyful and memorable event.

We'd love to celebrate with you! Sponsorship opportunities are available—contact the office at (920) 854-7088 for details.

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Please indicate the number of premium tickets per concert.

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On the cover (left to right, top to bottom): Jeannie Yu, piano; David Perry, violin; Sally Chisholm, viola; Judith Farmer, Bassoon; Ann Palen, violin; Heather Zinninger, flute; JJ Koh, clarinet; Mara McClain, cello; George Meyer, violin/fiddle.