

CLASSICS SPECIAL SERIES EVENTS

90TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION SPONSOR: Mr. & Mrs. G. Richard Eykamp

OPENING NIGHT! Sat. September 21, 2024 • 7 pm

Anne Akiko Meyers, Violin • Roger Kalia, Conductor



OVERTURE TO ROSAMUNDE* Franz Schubert *Performed on first FPO concert in 1934

ORCHARD IN FOG, CONCERTO FOR VIOLIN & ORCHESTRA Adam Schoenberg

SYMPHONY NO. 4 Peter Ilyich Tchaikovsky

MUSIC SPONSOR: Anonymous

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CELEBRATING WOMEN IN MUSIC Sun. November 17, 2024 • 4 pm

Roger Kalia, Conductor Andrea Drury, Conductor Women of the EP Chorus Mayor Stephanie Terry, Narrator



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OVERTURE IN C Fanny Mendelssohn

BY NIGHT Elaine Hagenberg

KAUYUMARI Gabriela Ortiz

THE BATTLE FOR THE BALLOT Stacy Garrop

CONCERT CO-SPONSOR: Phil & Linda Palmer Fassett

CONCERT CO-SPONSOR: Dr. Marcus Obeius CHORUS SPONSOR: Friends of the Chorus

BEETHOVEN & RAVEL Sat. January 18, 2025 • 7 pm

Roger Kalia, Conductor • Parker Van Ostrand, Piano

PIANO CONCERTO IN G Maurice Ravel

SYMPHONY NO. 3, "EROICA" Ludwig van Beethoven



CONCERT SPONSOR: Dr. Lee & Kirsten Wagmeister GUEST ARTIST SPONSOR: Koch Foundation

MUSIC SPONSOR: Anonymous

SYMPHONY OF COLOR SPONSOR: Droste's Jewelry Shoppes

CARMINA BURANA Sat. February 22, 2025 • 7 pm

Roger Kalia, Conductor • Alfred Savia, Conductor Laureate Evansville Philharmonic Chorus and Evansville Children's Choir Alisa Jordheim, Soprano • Christopher Pfund, Tenor Christòpheren Nomura, Baritone



"TRIUMPHAL MARCH" FROM AIDA Giuseppi Verdi

SYMPHONIC **METAMORPHOSIS** ON THEMES BY CARL MARIA VON WEBER Paul Hindemith

CARMINA BURANA Carl Orff

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NEW WORLD & TIME FOR THREE Sat. April 5, 2025 • 7 pm

Roger Kalia, Conductor Time for Three

CONTACT Kevin Puts



SYMPHONY NO. 9, "FROM THE NEW WORLD" Antonin Dvořák

CONCERT SPONSOR: Neal A. Franklin

GUEST ARTIST SPONSOR: Martha & Merritt deJong Foundation

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SPECIAL EVENTS

CELEBRATE! GALA September 7, 2024 ORCHESTRA SPONSOR: Baird Private Wealth Mgt

UNCORKED SERIES #1: October 10, 2024 #2: March 13, 2025

MRS. PHYLLIS R. GRIMM **PRESENTS** HANDEL'S MESSIAH December 20, 2024 CHORUS SPONSOR: Friends of the Chorus

JASPER MESSIAH December 21, 2024 **CHORUS SPONSOR:** Friends of the Chorus

EPYO CONCERTS Fall: November 10, 2024 Spring: May 17, 2025

SPRING CHORAL CONCERT April 27, 2025 **CHORUS SPONSOR:** Friends of the Chorus



POPS SERIES

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RAGTIME - THE MUSICAL Sat. October 19, 2024 • 7 pm

A Semi-Staged Production

Roger Kalia, Conductor Evansville Philharmonic Chorus

This Tony Award-winning musical depicts an African-American family, a Jewish immigrant family, and a wealthy white suburban family who collide in pursuit of the American Dream

GUEST ARTIST SPONSORS: William E. Schmidt Foundation Nancy & Tom Traylor Foundation Santi and Martha Vibul Traylor Bros., Inc.

Book by Music by TERRENCE MCNALLY STEPHEN FLAHERTY

Lyrics by LYNN AHRENS

Based on the novel "RAGTIME"

Presented through special arrangement with Music Theatre International (MTI). All authorized performance materials are also supplied by MTI.

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PEPPERMINT POPS

Sat. December 7, 2024 • 7 pm Sun. December 8, 2024 • 2 pm

Roger Kalia, Conductor • Evansville Philharmonic Chorus Evansville Children's Choir • North High School Huskettes

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GUEST ARTIST SPONSORS:

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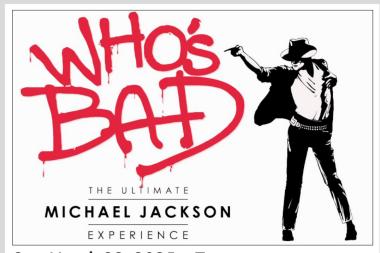


Sun. February 2, 2025 • 2 pm

Roger Kalia, Conductor

Featuring the songs of Rosemary Clooney, Judy Garland, Ella Fitzgerald, Peggy Lee, Doris Day, Lena Horne & Eydie Gorme and more!

GUEST ARTIST SPONSOR: John & Robyn Musgrave



Sat. March 22, 2025 • 7 pm

Roger Kalia, Conductor

CONCERT SPONSOR: Robert & Marianna Wright GUEST ARTIST SPONSOR: Danny & Pat Bateman

STAR WARS: A NEW HOPE Sat. May 3, 2025 • 7 pm

Roger Kalia, Conductor

Full Film with Live Orchestra



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