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# FROM THE CONDUCTOR

On behalf of the wonderful musicians of the Oakville Symphony, it is my great pleasure to welcome you to our new 2019-20 concert season – a season of Musical Fantasy.

Our grand opening will feature two melodic and Celtic influenced orchestral works. Bruch's Scottish Fantasy and Mendelssohn's sublime Symphony #3 (The Scottish) are the perfect way to open our 52nd season.

February is the month of Romance and these concerts will feature works inspired by love, particularly Shakespeare's Romeo and Juliet. April brings the excitement and grandeur of the mighty Symphony #5 by Shostakovich, and the melting lyricism of the Glazunov Violin concerto, while Rimsky Korsakov's fiery Capriccio Espagnole brings our season to a triumphant end in May.

As usual, we will have outstanding guest artists joining us for inspired music-making throughout the season. These exceptional musicians include: Montreal violinist Marc Djokic, winner of the prestigious Goyer prize in music, Dublin International Piano Competition first prize winner Sae Yoon Chon, along with distinguished Quebec artists Veronique Mathieu and Maxim Bernard, who are returning to collaborate with the Symphony.

The world will be celebrating the 250th anniversary of Beethoven's birth in 2020. With this in mind, we will be performing his final two piano concerti in February and in May.

Great repertoire, familiar masterpieces, exciting guest artists and your own Oakville Symphony, combine to offer you an unparalleled musical experience.

We look forward to welcoming you.

Solveto

Roberto De Clara Music Director/Conductor, Oakville Symphony





### SCOTTISH FANTASY

Guest Artist: Marc Djokic, violin

Bruch . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Scottish Fantasy Mendelssohn . . . . . . . . . . . . Symphony #3 (Scottish)

### ROMANTIC FANTASY

Guest Artists: Sae Yoon Chon, Piano Stephanie Yelovich, Mezzo Soprano



## **RUSSIAN FANTASY**

Guest Artist: Véronique Matthieu, violin

## **FANTASTIC FINALE**

MAY

Guest Artists: Maxim Bernard, piano Stephanie Omari, Soprano

# ALSO THIS SEASON...

#### A FAMILY CHRISTMAS

Special Guests: The Oakville Choir for Children & Youth

#### Sunday, December 15, 2019 at 1:30 & 4:30pm

This popular one-hour concert is back again for another season. There's holiday fun for the entire family! A full orchestra will perform seasonal favourites while children will get a chance to be part of the action by playing along. Please note this event is separate from the subscription series.

Adults	
Seniors	\$25
Children/Students	\$15
Family Pass	\$75
(includes 4 tickets for any age)	

# SUBSCRIPTION SERIES TICKET PRICES

SINGLE

(4 CONCERTS)	,	TICKETS
Adult	\$190	Adult

Adult \$190	Adult\$59
Senior \$180	Senior\$55
<b>Student</b> \$98	Young Adult* \$41
	Student \$20

\*(up to 35)

#### TO ORDER TICKETS

SUBSCRIPTIONS

Online: oakvillesymphony.com

Phone: 905.815.2021

In-person: Oakville Centre for the Performing Arts

130 Navy Street, Oakville

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