Fairchild Fanfare 2018

Saturday, September 15, 2018, at 8:00 p.m.
Fairchild Theatre, MSU Auditorium

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PROGRAM

Concert Fanfare
Alessandro Bonotto, trumpet
Willis Dotson, trumpet
Mark Hughes, trumpet
Patrick Oliverio, trumpet
Mason Rorapaugh, trumpet
James Yuhas, trumpet

Impressions
John Coltrane
(1926–1967)
Luther Allison, piano
Timothy Blackmon, trumpet
Randy Gelispie, drums
Diego Rivera, saxophone
Rodney Whitaker, bass

Danny Boy
Mark Hayes
(b. 1953)
Marc Embree, bass-baritone
Walter Verdehr, violin
Elden Little, piano

“Die Lorelei”
from Pardon My English (1933)
George Gershwin
(1898–1937)
Anne Nispel, soprano
Elden Little, piano

“O Mio Babbino Caro”
from Gianni Schicchi
Giacomo Puccini
(1858-1924)
Melanie Helton, soprano
Elden Little, piano

“Nessun dorma!”
from Turandot (1926)
Giacomo Puccini
Richard Fracker, tenor
Elden Little, piano

Polonaise in F-sharp minor, Op. 44
Frédéric Chopin
(1810–1849)
Margarita Shevchenko, piano

INTERMISSION

Book of Grooves
IV. Dance Groove Drifting
Alejandro Vinao
(b. 1951)
Gwendolyn Dease, marimba
Kramer Milan, marimba

Dance of the Ocean Breeze
Roger Kellaway
(b. 1939)
Corbin Wagner, horn
Philip Sinder, tuba
Derek Polischuk, piano

La flûte de Pan, Op. 15
Pan et les bergers (shepherds)
Jules Mouquet
(1867–1946)
Richard Sherman, flute
Zhihuai Tang, piano

Trio in A minor, Op. 114
Adagio
Johannes Brahms
(1833–1897)
Alllegro
Yuri Gandelsman, viola
Suren Bagratuni, cello
Deborah Moriarty, piano
Other upcoming Showcase Series concerts

**Peace, Joy & Songs of the Season**
12/8 Saturday, 8:00 p.m.
St. Thomas Aquinas Church, 955 Alton Rd. East Lansing
Bring home the magic and wonder of the holidays with the uplifting sounds of 200 singers and instrumentalists from Choral Union, University Chorale and the MSU Symphony Orchestra as they perform selections from *Messiah* by George Frideric Handel, Fantasia on Christmas Carols by Ralph Vaughn Williams and Christmas Day by Gustav Holst. Conducted by David Rayl.

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**A Jazzy Little Christmas**
12/15 Saturday, 8:00 p.m.
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Celebrate the season with the MSU Professors of Jazz and friends as they present their festive favorites—a perfect way to swing into the holidays.

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**Eighth Blackbird**
4/10 Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.
Fairchild Theatre, MSU Auditorium
Launched by a group of entrepreneurs from the Oberlin Conservatory in 1996, this Chicago-based super-group has earned its status as “a brand-name—defined by adventure, vibrancy and quality—known for performing from memory, employing choreography and collaborations with theater artists, lighting designers and even puppetry artists” (Detroit Free Press).

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**Piano Monster**
4/20 Saturday, 3:00 p.m.
Fairchild Theatre, MSU Auditorium
A resounding wall of sound from four grand pianos. The collective virtuosity and artistry of the College of Music “Piano Monsters” fills Fairchild Theatre with a beautiful musical experience you will never forget.

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