

Help Support The ISO

Over the course of its 65-year history, the International Symphony Orchestra has established itself as a highly visible cultural and educational resource.

The downtown ISObar space offers numerous cultural services and activities far removed from the traditional concert hall.

El Sistema

In Spring 2022 the ISO began El Sistema, the completely community supported violin instruction program for at-risk youth that originated in Venezuela in 1975 and has spread its musically empowering message across the globe since. The program is focused in our First Nations communities and continues through summer and into fall 2023.

Community Partnerships

The ISO is connected in community projects with diverse businesses in Canada and Michigan, including the Sarnia Sting hockey club, the Bluewater Convention Center and several other partners. How can the ISO help achieve community goals for your business?

Livestream Project

For the 2023-24 season ISO hopes to stream our concerts into as many retirement homes & communities as possible on both sides of the Canada-US border. Community support for this project is essential to help it continue for future orchestra seasons.

WE ALSO SPONSOR:

The International Symphony Singers St. Cecilia's Conservatory of Music Youth Orchestra ...and numerous educational activities

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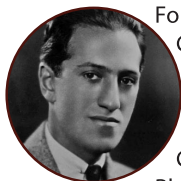
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Please note that of necessity—dates, artists, venues and repertoire may be subject to change prior to final brochure



“All Gershwin”



For our Season Opener celebrating Gershwin's 125th birthday, we unveil our new concert grand piano with double soloists Sean Sutherland and Thompson Egbo-Egbo performing Gershwin's Piano Concerto and Rhapsody In Blue!

GERSHWIN, G *Rhapsody In Blue*
Porgy and Bess
Lullaby For Strings
Piano Concerto in F

Friday, October 20, 2023, 7:30 pm Great Lakes Auditorium, Sarnia
Saturday, October 21, 7:30 pm McMorran Theater, Port Huron

“The Messiah”



Join Orchestra, Symphony Singers, and soloists for our second Messiah-only Christmas program!

Friday, December 8 2023, 7:30 pm
St. Andrews Church, Sarnia

Saturday, December 9, 7:30 pm
TBA Port Huron

“At The Movies”



The ISO returns with our ONE NIGHT ONLY film festival with a celebration of great film music, featuring an original work for orchestra by Sarnia-born soundtrack composer Erica Proconier!

Great Lakes
Untamed Suite **PROCUNIER**
The Day The Earth Stood Still **HERRMANN**
Seahawk Suite **KORNGOLD**
Romeo & Juliet Suite **PROKOFIEV**
.....and more!

Saturday, January 20 2024, 7:30 pm
Northern High School Theatre, Port Huron
Sunday, January 21, 3 pm, Imperial Theatre Sarnia

“Cook County Celtic”



Our ever-popular Celtic extravaganza welcomes back Shane Cook his and Woodchippers!
Also orchestral selections will include:

4 Scottish Dances **ARNOLD**
Cornish Rhapsody **BATH**
Danny Boy **WEATHERLY**
.....and much more fun!

Saturday, February 24 2024, 7:30 pm McMorran Theater, Port Huron
Sunday, February 25, 3 pm Imperial Theatre Sarnia

“Shost & Fire”



Orchestra and Symphony Singers come together for one of the most musically challenging programs in ISO's storied history: the legendary Shostakovich 5th Symphony and the Faure Requiem. Starting things off is Glinka's seldom-heard Ruslan & Ludmila Overture.

Overture:
Colas Breugnon **KABALEVSKY**
Passacaglia For Orchestra **WEBERN**
Symphony 5 **SHOSTAKOVICH**
Requiem **FAURE**
.....and more!

Saturday, March 23 2024, 7:30 pm McMorran Theater, Port Huron
Sunday, March 24, 3 pm Imperial Theatre Sarnia



“Rach The Imperial”



This thrilling Season Finale brings you one of the 20th century's most loved & frequently performed symphonies, the monumental Rachmaninov 2. Together with Kabalevsky's Colas Breugnon Overture and an original work by Canadian-American composer Grant Stewart, it's an explosive and unforgettable end to a remarkable ISO season!

Sinfonia Concertante In B Flat **HAYDN**
Notturmo for Clarinet & Orchestra **STEWART**
Symphony 2 **RACHMANINOV**
.....and more!

Saturday, April 27 2024, 7:30 pm
McMorran Theater, Port Huron
Sunday, April 28, 3 pm Imperial Theatre, Sarnia

THE ISO BAR

Downtown Sarnia's cultural hub, The ISObar is an art gallery, licensed performance venue and teaching facility.
Visit us anytime!

CALL: (519) 337-7775
to book an event!

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