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PEORIA SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA ANNOUNCES #PSOATHOME PROGRAMMING

PEORIA, IL – The Peoria Symphony Orchestra (PSO) is excited to announce **#PSOAtHome**, a new digital series that brings music from our talented musicians and guest artists into your home. From live performances to recorded educational content, **#PSOAtHome** is a part of the PSO's mission to entertain, educate, and inspire through music.

Maestro George Stelluto notes,

"In this unusual time, the arts are even more important for keeping your spirits up and your minds engaged. So enjoy our wonderful online series #PSOAtHome—featuring our guest artists and PSO musicians bringing you music and creative messages of encouragement from around the world and around the corner."



A new webpage, peoriasymphony.org/psoathome, contains links to upcoming and past Facebook live events, #PSOAtHome YouTube videos, and links to other educational and live music content. Recent content includes a performance of the theme from *Mission Impossible* by Chicago Symphony Orchestra cellist and PSO Guest Artist Richard Hirschl and his family, story time with PSO violinist Rosemary Ardner, a live "driveway" performance by PSO Concertmaster Marcia Henry Liebenow, and more!

You can stay informed about upcoming #PSOAtHome content by visiting peoriasymphony.org/psoathome, the PSO's Facebook page (facebook.com/peoriasymphony), and Instagram account (@peoriasymphony).

The PSO also recently announced that the postponed March and April concerts, *Mozart and Tchaikovsky* and *Beethoven @ 250: #1*, respectively, have been rescheduled:

- Mozart & Tchaikovsky, Saturday, June 27, 2020, Grace Presbyterian, Rt. 91, 7:30 PM, with George Stelluto, conductor and Richard Hirschl, cello
- Beethoven @ 250: #1, Tuesday, August 4, 2020, 7:30 PM, Peoria Civic Center Theater, with George Stelluto and Robert Chen, violin

Single tickets for these concerts are now on sale at peoriasymphony.org.

During this time, the PSO Box Office location at 101 State Street, Peoria, is not open to the public. We are, however, handling requests online, by phone, and by email. For more information, please contact the PSO's Patron Services Manager at patronservices@peoriasymphony.org or call 309.671.1096 during PSO Box Office hours (Monday-Friday, 10:00 AM – 4:00 PM).

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Founded in 1897, the Peoria Symphony Orchestra (PSO) is a 501(c)(3) tax-exempt, not-for-profit organization whose mission is to entertain, educate, and inspire through music. The PSO presents excellent live musical performances, innovative music education programs, and engaging community outreach efforts, which significantly impact the cultural and economic vitality of Central Illinois.

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