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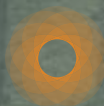
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THE 2020 FALL OPERA SEASON

THE 2021 WINTER OPERA FESTIVAL

Come along for an adventure around the world right from the edge of your seat, featuring world-class opera productions, talks, special events, concerts, and more!

Don Giovanni

by Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart
with words by Lorenzo Da Ponte
October 30–November 15, 2020

Travel to Spain for a tale of obsession, betrayal, crime, and retribution in Mozart's opera—*Don Giovanni*. Leaving a path of broken hearts wherever he goes, the infamous womanizer Don Juan is about to add one more conquest to his list.

The Hobbit

Youth Opera by Dean Burry
November 13 & 14, 2020

Travel to an ancient world of fantasy in this prelude to Tolkien's *The Lord of the Rings*. Follow Bilbo Baggins, a comfort-loving hobbit, who is unwillingly dragged into a heroic quest.



Tosca

by Giacomo Puccini
with poetry by Luigi Illica
and Giuseppe Giacosa
February 6–March 20, 2021

Travel to Rome, where a diva's jealousy plays into the hands of the lecherous chief of police, Baron Scarpia. An escaped political prisoner seeks the help of his friend—the painter Mario Cavaradossi, the lover of the famous diva Floria Tosca. In an attempt to recapture the fugitive, Scarpia plants a seed of suspicion in Tosca and sets a dreadful trap.

The Daughter of the Regiment

by Gaetano Donizetti
with poetry by Jules-Henri Vernoy
de Saint-Georges and Jean-François
Bayard
February 13–March 13, 2021

Travel to Tyrol during the Napoleonic Wars where love for Marie, a girl raised by a French regiment, will lead the young Tonio to unexpected lengths in this colorful comedy.

The Pearl Fishers

by Georges Bizet
with words by Eugène Cormon
and Michel Carré
February 20–March 20, 2021

Travel to legendary Ceylon as long-lost friends Nadir and Zurga are reunited. Their friendship had faltered when they shared the same forbidden love for the priestess Leila—a love they swore to renounce.

Attila

by Giuseppe Verdi
with words by Temistocle Solera
March 6–21, 2021

Travel to the Fifth Century Roman Empire. Attila the Hun has conquered most of Western Europe and is about to take Rome itself, but is brought to his knees by his love for a female warrior, Odabella.

All operas are performed in the original language with real-time English translations displayed above the stage. Opera performances take place at The William E. Schmidt Opera Theatre, Sarasota Opera House.

Performances

A Night In Italy Concert

The William E. Schmidt Theatre
Saturday, November 7, 2020, 7:30 pm
Tickets from \$12

Enjoy a night of Italian opera and song performed by the cast of Sarasota Opera's Fall 2020 season with piano accompaniment onstage at the Sarasota Opera House.

Artists Choice Concert

The William E. Schmidt Theatre
Thursday, February 25, 2021, 7:30 pm
Tickets from \$12

A beloved Sarasota Opera tradition—Principal Artists perform their favorite arias, songs and ensembles with piano accompaniment, onstage at the Sarasota Opera House.



Concerts at Noon

The Lee & Bob Peterson Great Room
Fridays, 12–1 pm
Tickets: \$5 per concert

Hear our Studio and Apprentice Artists perform timeless operatic arias, duets, and ensembles in these hour-long concerts.

Apprentice Artists
November 13, 2020

Apprentice Artists
March 5, 2021

Studio Understudies
March 12, 2021

Apprentice Artists
March 19, 2021

Talks

2021 Meet the Artists

Jonas Kamlet Auditorium
Tuesdays from 5–6 pm
Tickets \$20 per talk

You've experienced the power of live opera from your seat—now get the insider perspective. Directors, designers, conductors and singers from our winter productions will talk about what happens backstage at the opera.

The Artists of *Tosca*
Tuesday, February 2, 2021

The Artists of
The Daughter of the Regiment
Tuesday, February 9, 2021

The Artists of *The Pearl Fishers*
Tuesday, February 16, 2021

The Artists of *Attila*
Tuesday, March 2, 2021

NEW SERIES

Opera 101
with Richard Russell
Jonas Kamlet Auditorium
Wednesdays, 4:30 pm–5:30 pm
Tickets \$5 per talk

Are you an opera newcomer?
Enjoy Executive Director Richard Russell's introduction to opera in these entertaining talks.

An introduction to and brief history of opera
January 20, 2021

Singers and Voices
January 27, 2021

Opera Gets Complicated
(Ensembles and Orchestras)
February 3, 2021

Special Events

Taste of Downtown

Sarasota Opera House
Saturday, September 26, 2020, 1 pm
Tickets: \$60 per person
VIP: \$75 (priority admission at noon)

Explore the historic Sarasota Opera house while sampling delectable bites from downtown restaurants paired with fine wines and assorted beers. Proceeds will benefit the Sarasota Youth Opera.

Curtain Raiser Dinner

Michael's on the Bay, Selby Gardens
Sunday, October 25, 2020, 6 pm
Tickets: \$195 per person

Traditionally the start of Sarasota Opera's social season, this event is where long-time patrons reunite, and new friends are made among fellow opera lovers.

2021 Opera Gala

The Ritz-Carlton Sarasota
Sunday, January 24, 2021, 6:30 pm
Tickets: \$350 per person
Prelude Sponsor: \$1,700 (included 2 seats at the Opera Gala)

Save the date for the annual Opera Gala—the premier social event in Sarasota's Winter season.

Salute to the Stars Awards Luncheon

Sarasota Yacht Club
Thursday, March 18, 2021, 11:30 am
Price per person: \$75
Price per person: \$125 (Sponsor)

Come celebrate the outstanding Sarasota Opera artists who will be honored in 2021. You will hear a live performance by the award winners and learn more about our Studio and Apprentice Artist programs.

Special Packages

TOWN Club

Tuesday Opera Women's Network
Don Giovanni—November 10
Tosca—February 9
The Daughter of
the Regiment—February 16
The Pearl Fishers—March 2
Attila—March 9

We invite you to join us for the 4th season of TOWN Club—a diverse community of women who come together in their love of opera to enjoy performances at Sarasota Opera. The program features short introductions to operas, opportunities to mix & mingle with other members, social events, and much more.

Opera Lovers Weeks

March 9–March 21, 2021

The ultimate opera immersion experience—during these weeks, you can see all four Sarasota Opera winter productions in as few as three days.

Subscribing is Easy!

The easiest and fastest way to subscribe is online. To download an order form, go to our website at SARASOTAOPERA.ORG. For live assistance, call (941) 328-1300 or visit our box office.

Stay in Touch

E-Newsletters

Sign up for our e-blasts to receive reminders, traffic updates, and program information for the performances you are attending. You'll also receive special offers and discounts from Sarasota Opera, area restaurant and hotel partners, and other local arts organizations. Go to SarasotaOpera.org to sign up today.

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Subscribers Have Rewards!

Being a season ticket holder is the best way to experience all that Sarasota Opera has to offer. Besides the savings, here are some other benefits—

Meet New Friends & Greet Old Ones

During the Sarasota Opera season, you'll meet new people and see the familiar faces of friends who love opera.

Best Price

All subscriptions are discounted, but you can save 15% off the price of individual tickets by renewing before April 15, 2020.

Same Great Seats

By choosing a fixed 4 or 5-opera subscription, your seat is yours for all your performances. Plus, you get first dibs at keeping or upgrading your seats during renewals.*

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Exchange your tickets for another performance of the same opera title for FREE. You also get unlimited reprints of your tickets if you misplace them or leave them at home.

Be the First to Get Access

Get access to the best seats before the general public for concerts, talks, special events, and more. Plus, get a 10% discount for HD at the Opera House and Classic Movies series.

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2020-21 OPERA SEASON

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Welcome to the 2020-21 Sarasota Opera Season. Whether you are brand new to us, renewing your subscription, or resubscribing after a short lapse, we are so happy you have chosen to join us this season.

Use this form to purchase your opera subscription and to buy concert tickets and other events. The best and easiest way to subscribe is to go online at SARASOTAOPERA.ORG. Remember, only orders placed on or before Wednesday, April 15, 2020 get the full 15% discount. After that date, the subscription discount will drop to 10%. All Build Your Own subscriptions are discounted at 10%.

Individual tickets go on sale online to the general public Saturday, August 1st, 2020, and at the box office Tuesday, September 1st, 2020. An important subscription benefit is the opportunity to purchase individual tickets to all our performances, talks and events before the general public. Make sure to keep an updated email address with us, so we can let you know when you can order additional individual tickets for the 2020-21 Season.

Please refer to the back of this form for a house map with seating sections to help you complete your subscription form. If you need any further assistance, please call us at (941) 328-1300 daily, from 10 am-5 pm.

Best regards,



Carlos Vicente
Director of Marketing

Subscription Order Form

1 First, check the box that applies

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a **Choose your subscription** If you are a new subscriber, or if you are upgrading or changing your subscription, please fill this section out. For TOWN Club members, please make sure to indicate your TOWN Club subscription below.

<p>Fixed Date Subscription (Get the same seats for all your opera performances)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Full Series (Fall & Winter: 5 operas)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Winter Festival (Winter Only: 4 operas)</p>	<p>Series (See package dates below)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Opening</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Tuesday</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> TOWN Club**</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Wednesday</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Thursday</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Weekend</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Roving Mat.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Sunday Mat.</p>	<p>Or ... Choose A Build-Your-Own Subscription (BYO) (Select your dates using the boxes below each opera title. Seats will be in your chosen section, but you may not receive the same seats for all performances.)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Build-Your-Own Full Series (Fall & Winter: 5 operas)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Build-Your-Own Winter Festival Series (Winter Only: 4 operas)</p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse; text-align: center;"> <tr> <th style="width: 15%;">Fall 2020</th> <th style="width: 15%;">2021 Winter Opera 1</th> <th style="width: 15%;">2021 Winter Opera 2</th> <th style="width: 15%;">2021 Winter Opera 3</th> <th style="width: 15%;">2021 Winter Opera 4</th> </tr> <tr> <td>Mozart's <i>Don Giovanni</i></td> <td>Puccini's <i>Tosca</i></td> <td>Donizetti's <i>The Daughter of the Regiment</i></td> <td>Bizet's <i>The Pearl Fishers</i></td> <td>Verdi's <i>Attila</i></td> </tr> </table>	Fall 2020	2021 Winter Opera 1	2021 Winter Opera 2	2021 Winter Opera 3	2021 Winter Opera 4	Mozart's <i>Don Giovanni</i>	Puccini's <i>Tosca</i>	Donizetti's <i>The Daughter of the Regiment</i>	Bizet's <i>The Pearl Fishers</i>	Verdi's <i>Attila</i>
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b **Your seating section** If you are upgrading, changing or purchasing a new subscription, choose your preferred seating here!

Orch/Boxes

A: Aisle Front A: Box Seats B: Orchestra Center B: L/R Side Front B: Aisle Front C: L/R Side Front D: Center Rear

Mezzanine/Balcony

P: Mezzanine Center A: Mezzanine Side C: Balcony Front E: Mid Balcony F: Upper Balcony G: Balcony Rear

Second choice seating In case we are not able to accommodate your first choice of seating section, please indicate a second choice here (*fill this out only if you are upgrading, changing or purchasing a new subscription*):

c **Number of seats, price, and subscription total** Indicate the number of subscription seats you wish to purchase, enter the price, and multiply the two for your total subscription price. Subscription prices listed below include a \$2 Facility Fee per ticket. ** If you are a TOWN Club subscriber, please add the \$25 Membership Fee to your total below. See chart below for pricing and series dates.

No. of Seats	TOWN Club Membership**	Subscription Price	Section 1 Total
#	<input type="checkbox"/> \$25	x \$	= \$ ➔

Seating	Full Series (5 operas)			Winter Festival (4 operas)		
	Full	15%	10% & BYO	Full	15%	10% & BYO
Premium	\$735.00	\$626.25	\$662.50	\$588.00	\$501.00	\$530.00
A	\$660.00	\$562.50	\$595.00	\$528.00	\$450.00	\$476.00
B	\$535.00	\$456.25	\$482.50	\$428.00	\$365.00	\$386.00
C	\$450.00	\$384.00	\$406.00	\$370.00	\$307.20	\$324.80
D	\$370.00	\$316.00	\$334.00	\$301.00	\$252.80	\$267.20
E	\$240.00	\$205.50	\$217.00	\$296.00	\$164.40	\$173.60
F	\$170.00	\$146.00	\$154.00	\$136.00	\$116.40	\$123.20
G	\$125.00	\$107.75	\$113.50	\$100.00	\$86.20	\$90.80

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Series	Fall	Winter Festival			
	Fall Opera	Winter Opera 1	Winter Opera 2	Winter Opera 3	Winter Opera 4
Open	10/30	2/6	2/13	2/20	3/6
Tue	11/10	2/9	2/16	3/2	3/9
TOWN**	11/10	2/9	2/16	3/2	3/9
Wed	11/4	2/17	3/3	2/24	3/17
Thu	11/12	2/11	2/18	3/4	3/11
Wknd	11/15*	3/5	2/26	3/12	3/19
Rov Mat	11/15*	2/27	3/7	3/20	3/14
Sun Mat	11/1	2/14	2/21	2/28	3/21

* These performances are part of multiple series. While we cannot guarantee same seat locations as the rest of your package for these particular performances, we will do our best to find seats as close as possible to your regular location.

2 Youth Opera, Concerts, and Talks Choose from the list below, then indicate the number of tickets and seating section.

				P	A	B	C	D	E	F	G		
				No. of Seats	\$47	\$47	\$37	\$27	\$17	\$17	\$12	\$12	Price x Seats
a	<input type="checkbox"/> A Night in Italy Concert Saturday, November 7, 7:30 pm			#	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$
	<input type="checkbox"/> Artists Choice Concert Thursday, February 25, 7:30 pm			#	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$
b	Youth Opera	<input type="checkbox"/> Friday, November 13, 7 pm <input type="checkbox"/> Saturday, November 14, 7 pm		#	Premium: \$50 Adults: \$30 Students: \$15 Family Pack: \$65 (2 adults / 4 students)							\$	
c	Concerts at Noon 4 Fridays, 12-1 pm	<input type="checkbox"/> November 13 <input type="checkbox"/> March 12 <input type="checkbox"/> March 5 <input type="checkbox"/> March 19		#	General admission: \$5							\$	
d	Opera 101 3 Wednesdays 4:30-5:30 pm	<input type="checkbox"/> January 20 <input type="checkbox"/> February 3 <input type="checkbox"/> January 27		#	General admission: \$5							\$	
e	Meet the Artists 4 Tuesdays 5-6 pm	<input type="checkbox"/> February 2 <input type="checkbox"/> February 16 <input type="checkbox"/> February 9 <input type="checkbox"/> March 2		#	General admission: \$20							\$	

3 Special Events #

a	<input type="checkbox"/> A Taste of Downtown Saturday, September 26, 1 pm			#	General admission: \$75 VIP admission: \$75							\$
b	<input type="checkbox"/> Curtain Raiser Dinner Sunday, October 25, 2020, 6 pm			#	Price per person: \$195							\$
c	<input type="checkbox"/> Opera Gala Tickets Sunday, January 24, 2021, 6:30 pm			#	Price per person: \$350							\$
	<input type="checkbox"/> Gala with Sponsorship Sunday, January 24, 2021, 6:30 pm			#	\$1,700 (includes 2 seats at the Opera Gala)							\$
d	<input type="checkbox"/> Salute to the Stars Thursday, March 18, 2021, 11:30 am			#	<input type="checkbox"/> Price per person—Ticket: \$75 <input type="checkbox"/> Price per person—Sponsor \$125							\$

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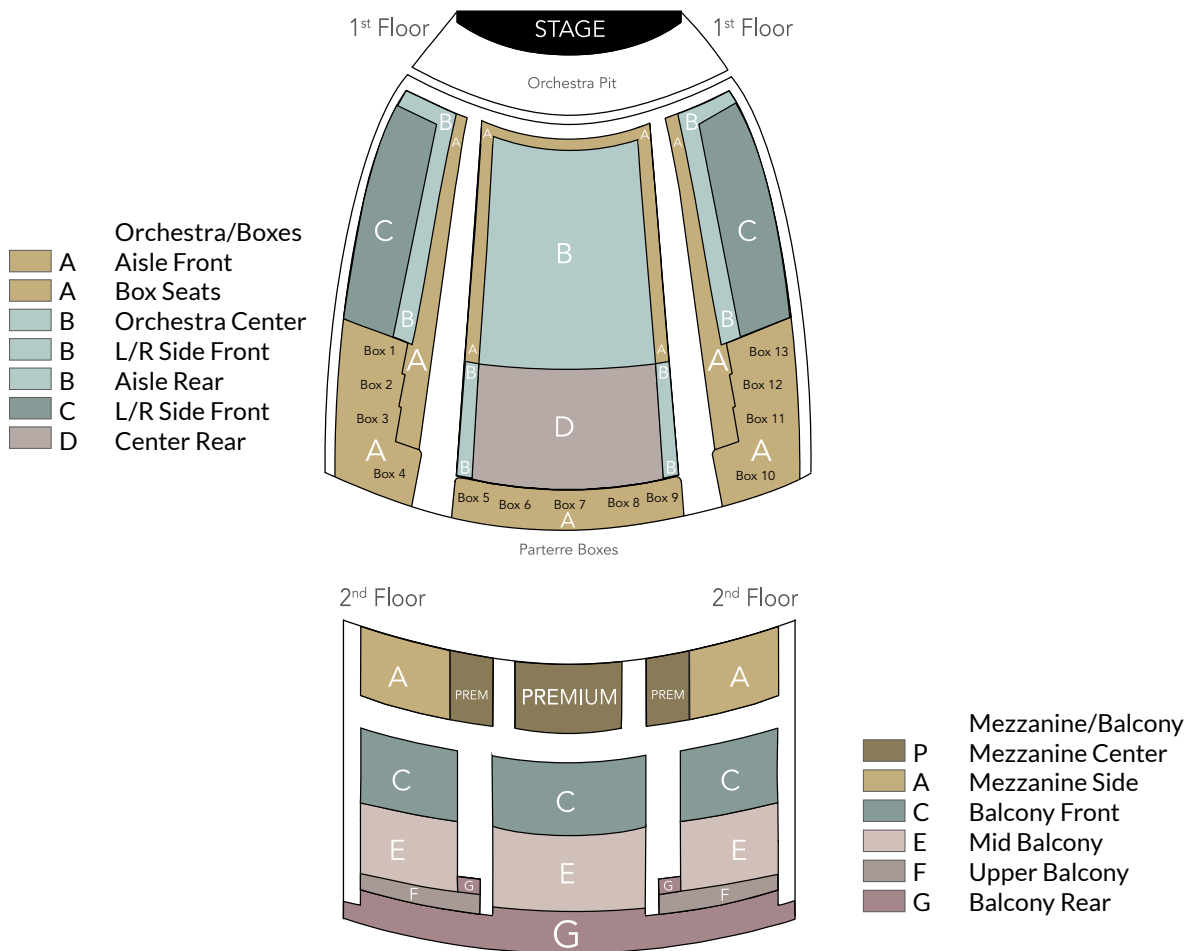
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