

SHEPHERD UNIVERSITY MUSIC

Spring 2024



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Jazz at Shepherd—Jazz Ensemble Concert Friday, January 12 at 7:30 p.m.

Shepherd University Jazz Ensembles present a thrilling evening of varied repertory featuring special guest artist Kevin Woods. Frank Arts Center Theater. Tickets \$

19th Annual Honor Music Festival Concert Sunday, January 14 at 1 p.m.

Performance featuring outstanding high school students from the four-state region, with special guest conductors Dr. Thomas Caneva for the Honor Wind Ensemble, Kevin Woods for the Honor Jazz Ensemble, and Dr. Jeremy Mims for the Honor Choir. Frank Arts Center Theater. Frank Arts Center Theater. \$5 general admission. Purchase tickets at the door.

Into the Woods—Musical Theater production Friday, February 9 & Saturday, February 10 at 7:30 p.m. Sunday February 11 at 3:00 p.m.

Under the direction of kb saine and musical direction of Dr. Bobb Robinson, the Broadway musical with music and lyrics by Stephen Sondheim and book by James Lapine intertwines the plots of several Brothers Grimm fairy tales, exploring the consequences of the characters' wishes and quests. Frank Arts Center Theater. Tickets \$

Global Harmony—Wind Ensemble Concert Friday, February 23 at 7:30 p.m. Pre-concert lecture begins at 7 p.m.

An evening of music inspired by cultures from countries around the planet including: Argentina, Armenia, Canada, England, France, Germany, Japan, and Scotland. Frank Arts Center Theater. Tickets \$

Fairy Tales and Folk Songs—Symphonic Band Concert Friday, March 22 at 7:30 p.m. Pre-concert lecture begins at 7 p.m.

The Shepherd Symphonic Band embarks on a fantastic voyage of story and song with the Brothers Grimm, Vaughan Williams, Colonna, Bigelow, Wilson, Chambers, Sondheim, Hazo, and Blackshaw. Frank Arts Center Theater. Tickets \$

Spring Choral Concert Saturday, March 23 at 7:30 p.m.

Shepherd University Chamber Singers and Camerata choir present a splendid spring concert of varied repertory. Frank Arts Center Theater. Tickets \$

Composition Recital Tuesday, April 2 at 7:30 p.m.

Come hear the work of distinguished young composers as they present their vision of tomorrow's music. W. H. Shipley Recital Hall. *Free and open to the public.*

Piano Ensemble Recital Wednesday, April 10 at 7:30 p.m.

Shepherd piano ensemble, under the direction of Dr. Yu-Hsuan Liao, present a range of selections. W. H. Shipley Recital Hall. *Free and open to the public.*

American Spirit—Wind Ensemble Concert Friday, April 12 at 7:30 p.m. Pre-concert lecture begins at 7 p.m.

Shepherd University Wind Ensemble will feature works by all American composers who capture various scenes, dances, places, and moods from across our diverse nation. Frank Arts Center Theater. Tickets \$

Small Ensembles Recital Tuesday, April 16 at 7:30 p.m.

Come hear the best of our small ensembles. W. H. Shipley Recital Hall. *Free and open to the public.*

Jazz at Shepherd—Jazz-n-Java Thursday, April 18 at 7 p.m.

Come out for a concert in a makeshift coffee house with an evening of hot coffee and even hotter jazz that includes a mix of Shepherd's jazz ensemble and jazz combos. Coffee and refreshments available. Marinoff Theater. Tickets \$

Come Away to the Skies—Masterworks Chorale Saturday, April 20 at 7:30 p.m.

The Masterworks Chorale, under the direction of Dr. Steven Grives, presents *Come away to the skies: a High Lonesome Mass*, a choral setting of the Catholic Mass incorporating traditional Southern hymns, by Tim Sharp and Wes Ramsay. Frank Arts Center Theater. Tickets \$

Shepherd Youth Chorus and Shepherd Recorder Ensemble Tuesday, April 23 at 7:30 p.m.

The Shepherd Youth Chorus directed by Dr. Austin Showen and the Shepherd Community Recorder Ensemble directed by Andrea Diggs, present their spring concert in the Frank Arts Center Theater. Tickets \$

Shepherd Community Orchestra and Shepherd Sinfonia Wednesday, April 24 at 7:30 p.m.

The Shepherd Community Orchestra directed by Camilo Pérez-Mejía, Shepherd Sinfonia directed by Renee Shaw Nutwell, present their spring concert in the Frank Arts Center Theater. Tickets \$

CONCERT TICKET PRICING*

TICKETED CONCERTS

- \$15 General admission
- \$10 Shepherd faculty, staff, alumni, senior citizens, active duty military, and students age 18 and under
- FREE Shepherd students with Rambler ID

COMMUNITY MUSIC ENSEMBLES CONCERTS

- \$7 General admission
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SENIOR RECITALS

Free and open to the public.

Logan Jackson, Trumpet Recital Sunday, February 18 at 3:00 p.m. W. H. Shipley Recital Hall

Alexander Lalumondiere, Clarinet Recital Sunday, March 24 at 3:00 p.m. W. H. Shipley Recital Hall

Amelia Rampersad, Community Recital Sunday, March 24 at 5:00 p.m. W. H. Shipley Recital Hall

Jackson Cohen, Composition Recital Sunday, April 14 at 3:00 p.m. W. H. Shipley Recital Hall

Mike Cantley, Guitar Recital Sunday, April 14 at 5:00 p.m. W. H. Shipley Recital Hall

2023-2024 Music Salon Series



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All performances will take place in W. H. Shipley Recital Hall
and are free and open to the public!

A Night of Storytelling through Song Adam and Wendi Griffiths Tuesday, February 27 at 7:30 pm

Husband-and-wife duo, tenor Adam and soprano Wendi Griffiths present an evening of engaging stories from opera, art song, and musical theater.



Two Rivers Trio Tuesday, March 5, 2024 at 7:30 p.m.

Richard Polonchak and his identical twin sons, Matthew and Michael, are The Two Rivers Trio. The program will include one of the Mozart Serenades, a Haydn trio and some rags and waltzes, The Beatle's *Yesterday* or Morricone's *Gabriel's Oboe* or Brian Crain's *Andantino*.



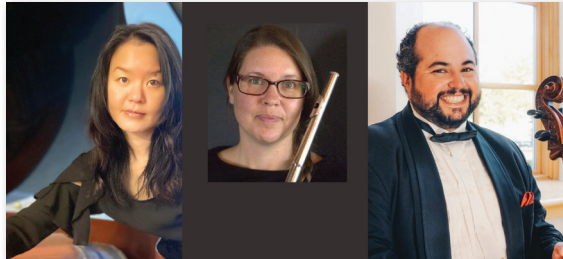
Robin Rhodes Tuesday, March 26, 2024 at 7:30 p.m.

Robin Rhodes presents a solo bass recital with exclusively 21st-century works, woven together with improvisations! Repertoire includes *Figment III* by Elliott Carter, original works by Robin Rhodes, and more!



Chamber Music for Earth Day—Yu-Hsuan Liao, Andrea Diggs and Camilo Pérez-Mejía Sunday, April 21 at 7:30 p.m.

Celebrate nature with Shepherd faculty members Andrea Diggs on flute, Camilo Pérez-Mejía on cello, and Dr. Yu-Hsuan Liao on piano, featuring *Vox Balaenae* (The Voice of the Whale) by George Crumb and *Voices of the Rainforest* by Elisenda Fábregas.



A Musical Showcase for Scholarships

**Saturday, April 6, 2024
at 7:00 pm
Frank Arts Center Theater**

The program will highlight the exceptional alumni, students, and faculty of the School of Music.

All proceeds from this event will provide scholarships for current and future music students at Shepherd University.

<https://www.shepherd.edu/music/musicshowcase>

COMMUNITY MUSIC at SHEPHERD

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**String Orchestra Camp
June 24-28, 2024**

**Summer Jazz Camp
June 24-28, 2024**

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PEP BAND

Catch the Ram Spirit!

The Ram Pep Band performs for Shepherd double-header women's and men's basketball games in the Butcher Center.

Monday, January 29
5:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday, February 14
5:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Saturday, March 2
1:00 p.m. and 3:00 p.m.