Trio Éclat

Sally Arai (clarinet), Catharine Dochstader (flute), and Dimiter Terziev (piano)



With Special Guests: Heidi Muendel and Gray Edwards



Dramatic soprano Heidi Muendel MMus has recently returned to Canada after 10 years singing and teaching in Europe. Some of Heidi's operatic credits include: *the title roles of Turandot, Ariadne auf Naxos* and *Norma*, Leonora from *Fidelio*, Amelia in *Un Ballo in Maschera*, and Santuzza from *Cavalleria rusticana*. Her concert credits include: Verdi's *Requiem*, Beethoven's 9th Symphony and solo concerts with the Vancouver, Victoria, and Winnipeg Symphony orchestras. Heidi is stepping back on to the performance stage after a short pause and continues to teach both her European and Canadian students, conduct two local choirs, and offer vocal workshops internationally.

"I am excited to be discovering the current musical climate here in Kamloops. Reconnecting with colleagues after many years as well as meeting so many new, fabulous musicians is thrilling. I am very much looking forward to performing with the Chamber Musicians of Kamloops." Gray Edwards is a 15-year old Drama Major at Kamloops School of the Arts. Recent performance credits include the Youth Ensemble for WCT's *Shrek The Musical*, Ensemble in Wishing Well Parties & Events' *Cinderella*, and various Stage One Theatre School shows including *30 Reasons Not To Be In A Play, Fairy Tale Courtroom, The Alibis*, and *Hallmark of Horrors*. Most recently, Gray participated in 6 classes in the Kamloops Festival of Performing Arts where he was awarded three First Place rankings and three Second Place rankings. In his spare time, Gray runs his own jewelry business with his mum (Gray's Crafts), and he enjoys playing soccer, basketball and volleyball for his school teams.

Concert Program

Von Dir, Op.127 Six German Songs (No.1, 2, 6) Country Waltz and Party Games The Cuckoo Song of the Lark Skylark Kaspar Kummer (1795 - 1870) Louis Spohr (1784 - 1859) Stefan Hintersteininger (1980 - present) Louis-Claude Daquin (1694 - 1772) Peter Tchaikovsky (1840 - 1893) Johnny Mercer (music), Hoagy Carmichael (lyrics)

INTERMISSION

Hootie from Two Cats Monk and His Cat Concertino for Flute, Clarinet and Piano Allegro Comodo Andante Allegro

Dog Chronicles

A Starving Dog The Dog's Book of Virtues Puppy Love Boys, Dogs, and Mothers Dog Heaven Daniel Dorff (1956 - present) Samuel Barber (1910 - 1981) Ernest Bloch (1880 - 1959)

Catherine McMichael (1954 - present)

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Saturday, April 20, 2024

