

Portland Chamber Music Newsletter



Get ready to groove to a new program – American Music with Portland Chamber Music!

This Spring Season we have prepared an eclectic program featuring well-known American composers, such as Aaron Copeland and George Gershwin, as well as some lesser-known composers. You'll be delighted with the music of African American composers William Grant Still, Margaret Bonds, Mark Fax and Undine Smith Moore. Still's Suite for Violin and Piano is humorous and brilliant, sure to put a smile on your face, while Moore's Afro-American Suite for flute, cello, and piano will take you back in time on an emotional journey.

Music and Illustration: Bringing Stories to Life

PCM is excited to announce a weekend of concerts in April presented at three of your local public libraries. We will be collaborating with author/illustrator Brett Helquist (best known for his illustrations in the Lemony Snicket series) to present two of his children's books, "Roger, the Jolly Pirate" and "The Grumpy Goat". The music is composed by our violinist, Regina Sadowski, and will feature our wonderful narrator, Deborah Gitlitz. Mr. Helquist will be travelling from NY for the events and will be signing books as well as giving a drawing tutorial and participating in an informal Q and A.

This project is funded in part by the *Regional Arts & Culture Council*. Spread the word to all the artists and youngsters in your life!



Upcoming Events

Saturday, March 9, 2019 at 7 pm
Vernon Neighborhood Concert
Leaven Community Center
5431 NE 20th Avenue,
Portland, Oregon 97211

Saturday, April 27, 2019 at 7 pm
Forest Grove Neighborhood Concert
Forest Grove United Methodist Church
1726 Cedar Street,
Forest Grove, Oregon 97116

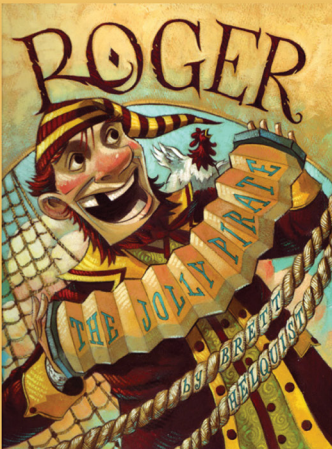
Sunday, May 19, 2019 at 3 pm
Astoria Outreach Concert
Grace Episcopal Church
1545 Franklin Avenue,
Astoria, Oregon 97103

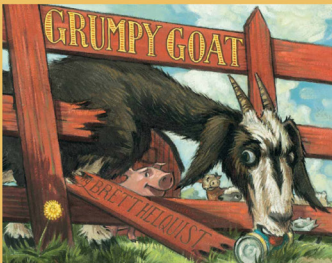
Portland Chamber Music presents Music and Illustration: Bringing Stories to Life with Brett Helquist


April 6 @ 2 pm Wilsonville Public Library
8200 SW Wilsonville Rd,
Wilsonville, OR 97070

April 7 @ 12 pm Tigard Public Library
13500 SW Hall Blvd,
Tigard, OR 97223

April 7 @ 3 pm Cedar Mill Library
12505 NW Cornell Rd #13,
Portland, OR 97229








Presents:
Music and Illustration:
Bringing Stories to Life

with **Brett L. Helquist**,
an American illustrator best known for his work in the children's books
A Series of Unfortunate Events
and **Regina Sadowski**, composer of original score to
Grumpy Goat and *Roger the Jolly Pirate*

Deborah Gitlitz, narrator;
Lynda Hess, flute;
Dr. Jonathan Cheskin, cello;
Regina Sadowski, violin;
Anyia Kalina, soprano

At the end of the performance,
join us for a short drawing
tutorial with Brett Helquist!

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Public Library
April 7 @ noon Tigard
Public Library
April 7 @ 3 pm Cedar Mill
Library

more information on pdxchambermusic.org

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Paradigm High School Students from Salt Lake City Visit Portland!

As part of our education outreach program, PCM will be hosting music students from the Paradigm High School from Salt Lake City, Utah. Students will travel to Portland to work with the musicians of Portland Chamber Music during the event, which will include master classes and a joint concert. The concert will be open to the public and will take place on March 18th, 2019 at 7:30pm at St. Mark's Lutheran Church. PCM is thrilled to have the opportunity to work with these pre-professional students! We hope you can join us for the concert.

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Michael Liu, piano
Lynda Hess, flute
Jennifer Crockett, clarinet
Regina Sadowski, violin
Jonathan Cheskin, cello
Jonah Thomas, cello
Anya Kalina, soprano
Deborah Gitlitz, storyteller

We Ask for Your Support

All of us in Portland Chamber Music are honored to share our love of music with our spirited audiences. Of course, we could not do what we do without your support. Please consider [donating to our mission](#) to bring free quality music to all, especially those in underserved communities. Thank you!

We are anticipating an exciting season with you! Be well until we can entertain you again.

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Become a Supporter!

If you believe music is important to the life of a community, we invite you to support us with a tax-deductible contribution.

You can make a one-time donation or give us the best gift possible by becoming our [Sustaining Donor](#) at a bridge level of your choosing:

Sellwood Bridge -	\$10
Ross Island Bridge -	\$25
Hawthorne Bridge -	\$40
Burnside Bridge -	\$50
Steel Bridge -	\$75
Broadway Bridge -	\$100
St. Johns Bridge -	\$150

Don't see the donation level that you want? That's OK, too. Just pick the amount you would like to contribute on a recurring basis.

If you would rather write a check, please make your check payable to Portland Chamber Music and mail it to:
3519 NE 15th Ave. #239, Portland OR 97212.

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If you have questions, please contact Executive Artistic Director Anya Kalina or Board President Kimberly Sieffert.

We thank you from the bottom of our hearts!

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