



ROCKY RIVER CHAMBER MUSIC SOCIETY
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58th SEASON ANNOUNCEMENT
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The Rocky River Chamber Music Society is pleased to announce its 58th season of presenting professional chamber music concerts to the Northeast Ohio community. Concerts take place at 7:30 p.m. on Monday evenings (except for this season's children's concert) in the outstanding acoustical environment of West Shore Unitarian Universalist Church, 20401 Hilliard Boulevard, Rocky River. Our concerts showcase an outstanding mix of international, national, and local talent. They are open to all who enjoy live high-quality classical music. As always, there is no admission charge!

Monday, October 3, 7:30 p.m. - Brazilian Guitar Quartet

Praised by the *Washington Post* for its "seductive beauty" and "virtuosic gusto," the Brazilian Guitar Quartet has established itself as one of the world's leading classical guitar ensembles. The Quartet hails from São Paulo and has performed on international stages. In 2011 it won the Latin Grammy Award in the "Best Classical Album Category."

Monday, November 7, 7:30 p.m. – Les Délices French Baroque Ensemble

Bringing together artists with national reputations, Les Délices gives polished, expressive and dynamic performances of masterpieces from the French Baroque period. "Concerts and recordings by Les Délices are journeys of discovery," extolled the *New York Times*.

Saturday, February 18, 11:00 a.m. - Factory Seconds Brass Trio Children's Concert

Monday, February 20, 7:30 p.m. - Factory Seconds Brass Trio

Consisting of The Cleveland Orchestra's Second Chair Trumpet, Horn, and Trombone players (Jack Sutte, Jesse McCormick, and Richard Stout), Factory Seconds Brass Trio will perform a Saturday morning children's concert AND a Monday night concert. With an affinity for both early and contemporary music, the ensemble brings a distinctive voice into brass chamber music.

Monday, March 20, 7:30 p.m. - Carpe Diem String Quartet

Known as a boundary-breaking ensemble, the Carpe Diem String Quartet is lauded for its innovative programming and electrifying performances. The *Washington Post* noted, "Among the contemporary quartets who speak in different tongues, the Carpe Diem is the best one out there."

Monday, May 8, 7:30 p.m. - "Cincinnati Meets Cleveland"

Players from two great orchestras in two great cities featuring the Cincinnati Symphony's principal horn, Elizabeth Freimuth and her guests from the clarinet, piano, and string sections of both orchestras. A highlight of the concert will be Ernst von Dohnányi's thrilling Sextet in C Major for Violin, Viola, Cello, Clarinet, Horn, and Piano.