



THE NATIONAL
BROADCAST ORCHESTRA

CONDUCTED BY ALAIN TRUDEL

WITH SOLOIST, JONATHAN CROW, VIOLIN

NOVEMBER 19, 2010

message from the president

This series is a great success - for years now we have been sold-out, with a long waiting list. The board and I, and Artistic Director George Zukerman, want to thank you for your loyalty and want to thank our waiting list patrons for their patience. And we want to do that by offering a bonus concert this season.

The concert will take place on January 14th. It will feature the Borealis String Quartet, the magnificent choir Musica Intima, pianists Leslie Janos and Eldon McBride and our own George Zukerman on the bassoon.

Subscribers may attend this concert for no additional charge. And we are delighted to be able to invite our waiting list to the concert as well, along with friends or family of members. Tickets are \$20.

In order to accommodate everyone, we will hold the concert at the 1200 seat, Peace Portal Alliance Church at the intersection of 152nd Street and King George Boulevard.

If the location lives up to our high standards for comfort and most importantly, acoustics, we may have a new home in the future.

If you would like to invite family and friends to this concert., (perhaps as a wonderful Christmas gift) a limited number of tickets will be for sale in the lobby at this concert, or by mail [using the form at the bottom of our "Bonus Concert" announcement in this programme.]

Please join us on January 14th for this exciting bonus event.

Rick Gambrel

Joseph Haydn [1732-1809]

Symphony No. 85 "La Reine"

Adagio-Vivace

Romance: Allegretto

Menuetto: Allegretto

Finale: Presto

Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart [1756-1791]

Rondo for violin and orchestra (K269)

Ludwig van Beethoven [1770-1827]

Romance for violin and orchestra No. 2 (Op.50)

Mr Crow

Intermission

Jacques Hétu [1938-2010]

Adagio and rondo for string orchestra (Op.3b)

David Litke [1977 -]

Aedis

(World Premiere, Galaxie Competition Second Prize)

Joel Balzun [1990 -]

Miracle Ten-Zero-Two-Five-One

(World Premiere, Galaxie Competition First Prize)

Cameron Wilson [1964 -]

Canadian Seasons for violin and orchestra

(Commissioned by the National Broadcast Orchestra and the CBC)

Spring in the Maritimes

Summer on the Prairies

Autumn in Gatineau Park

Winter in Nunavut

Mr. Crow

Musicians of the National Broadcast Orchestra

Alain Trudel, Conductor

Violin I

Mark Ferris, concertmaster
Angela Cavadas
Lawrie Hill
Pat Armstrong
Cameron Wilson

Violin II

Rebecca Whitling, principal
Jennie Press
Anne Cramer
Evelyn Rumley-Creaser

Viola

Neil Miskey, principal
Reg Quiring
Isabelle Roland

Cello

Janet Steinberg, principal
Charles Inkman

Bass

Wilmer Fawcett, principal

Oboe

Roger Cole, principal
Marea Chernoff

Flute

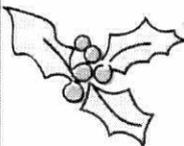
Brenda Fedoruk, principal

Bassoon

Jesse Read, principal
Ingrid Chiang

Horn

Ben Kinsman, principal
Steven Denroche



Vancouver Welsh Men's Choir *Sounds of Christmas*

Friday, December 3rd 7:30 pm

White Rock Baptist Church
1657 140th Street, Surrey

Tickets: \$25 regular, \$22 senior/student

Saturday, December 11th, 8:00 pm

Shaughnessy Heights United
1550 West 33rd Avenue, Vancouver

Tickets: \$25 regular, \$22 senior/student

Sunday, December 5th, 2:30 pm

(with Winter Harp)
Massey Theatre

735-8th Avenue, New Westminster

Tickets: \$22/\$25/\$30 (reserved seating)

Thursday, December 16th, 8:00 pm

St. Andrew's Wesley United Church
1022 Nelson Street (at Burrard),
Vancouver

Tickets: \$25 regular, \$22 senior/student

Buy tickets on line at www.vwmc.ca
or telephone the Choir at 604-878-1190



Tickets for December 5th also available at masseytheatre.com





National Broadcast Orchestra

In November of 2008, as Canadians said goodbye to the 70-year old CBC Radio Orchestra, the National Broadcast Orchestra was established to carry on the legacy of this Canadian cultural institution. Under the direction of Alain Trudel, the new orchestra's mission is to perform, record, and broadcast orchestral music for all Canadians and champion the work of Canadian composers and artists.

Towards this end, in 2010, the National Broadcast Orchestra introduced the Galaxie Rising Star Composers' Competition. The first and second prize winners of this contest are presented as part of the current tour programme, along with a world premiere by Cameron Wilson, commissioned with the support of CBC. The vision of the National Broadcast Orchestra is to reach beyond the boundaries of traditional media, utilizing the Internet as its primary tool for connecting with audiences. The Orchestra makes its official home at the University of British Columbia, and the current tour will conclude with a Chan Centre performance which will be recorded for later broadcast on CBC Radio 2



Alain Trudel, conductor

Alain Trudel is the founding Music Director of the National Broadcast Orchestra and one of the most sought after conductors on the Canadian scene. He is also Music Director of l'Orchestre Symphonique de Laval, and Principal Guest Conductor of the Victoria Symphony Orchestra.

During the current season, Trudel will appear with l'Orchestre Symphonique de Montréal, the Hannaford Street Silver Band, the Gävle Symphony Orchestra in Sweden and in Russia with the Saint Petersburg Symphony Orchestra.

Highly committed to the new generation of musicians, Trudel is the conductor of the Toronto Symphony Youth Orchestra, and has conducted and recorded with the National Youth Orchestra of Canada.

First known to the public as a trombone soloist, Alain Trudel made his debut at the age of 18, with Charles Dutoit with l'Orchestre Symphonique de Montreal.

about the artists



Jonathan Crow, violin

Jonathan Crow burst on the Canadian scene in 1998, as soloist with the Victoria and Vancouver symphonies conducted by Sir Yehudi Menuhin. Shortly after that he became the youngest Concertmaster of a North American Orchestra when he was invited to lead the Montreal Symphony Orchestra.

Born in Prince George, he graduated from McGill University at the age of 19. As soloist, he has appeared under the batons of Charles Dutoit, Sir Yehudi Menuhin, Kent Nagano, and Mario Bernardi. In chamber music, Mr. Crow has performed at major festivals at home and abroad and has collaborated with the Guarneri, Emerson, Vermeer and Tokyo Quartets.

He has premiered works by Michael Conway Baker, Eldon Rathburn, Marjan Mozetich, and Christos Hatzis.

Mr. Crow records for CBC, Skylark, and ATMA labels and is currently Assistant Professor of Violin at the Schulich School of Music.



Cameron Wilson, composer

Cameron Wilson is a composer-arranger-performer whose works have been performed by numerous symphony orchestras and ensembles and soloists across Canada and the U.S.A. As violinist, he plays with the National Broadcast Orchestra, as well as Joe Trio, The Hard Rubber Orchestra and Mariachi del Sol.

He has collaborated with CBC author and storyteller Stuart Mclean and the CBC Radio Orchestra on the *History of Canada* and *I Remember Wayne*. Wilson's first opera, *Supernatural Noir*, premiered at MusicFest Vancouver.



Joel Balzun, composer

Grand Prize winner was 20 year-old Joel Balzun of Calgary, who was also awarded a special Young Composer Prize for his work entitled *Miracle Ten-Zero-Two-Five-One*.

Hailed by the Calgary Herald as "a composer to watch", Balzun's work has been performed by the Alberta Winds, Calgary Civic Symphony, Calgary Philharmonic Orchestra, Dallas Wind Symphony. He is currently studying in California at Biola University.

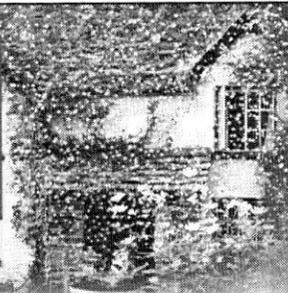


David Litke, *composer*

Second prize winner of the Galaxie Competition was 32-year-old David Litke of St. John's Newfoundland. Litke studied at the University of Toronto and at UBC where he received a Doctorate in 2008. His works have been performed by the *Ensemble Contemporain de Montréal*, *l'Orchestre de la Francophonie Canadienne* and the Turning Point Ensemble. Litke is also involved in research on the interactions between live performers and electronic music.

About the Galaxie Competition

The first annual *Galaxie Rising Star Composers' Competition* was generously sponsored by Stingray Digital Group. The competition jury was chaired by NBO music director Alain Trudel and include esteemed Canadian composers Linda Bouchard, Brian Current, and John Estacio. The competition prize involves performances on the British Columbia tour.



MAGNIFICAT!
A Festive 40th Anniversary Christmas
8pm • Friday, December 3, 2010
Orpheum Theatre
Vancouver Chamber Choir, Pacifica Singers, Martha Guth (soprano), Vancouver Chamber Choir Alumni Chorus, Vancouver Chamber Orchestra
Chatman world premiere • Vivaldi
Washburn • Wilcocks

A DYLAN THOMAS CHRISTMAS
A Child's Christmas in Wales
8:00pm • Friday, December 17
(NEW! Family concert)
3:30pm • Saturday, December 18
3:00pm • Sunday, December 19, 2010
Ryerson United Church
The famous Welsh poet's story will be read by Bard-on-the-Beach actor Russell Roberts, with Christmas carols and songs.

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and wait-list members to attend.

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(see form) or at the door \$20.

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To: White Rock Concerts, c/o Community Arts Council, Suite 90, 1059 - 152nd St., Surrey, BC V4A 9E3

All guest admissions \$20 (taxes included)

I/We request ticket(s) for the January 14 Bonus Concert

Name _____ Phone _____

Number of tickets _____ Address _____

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Gala Bonus Concert



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message from the artistic director

In 1956, White Rock Concerts presented three events in the Elementary School on Oxford St. In that first season, we had 225 subscribers and membership cost \$6 plus a 10% Provincial sales tax.

As our membership grew, we moved first to the United Church, and then in 1991 to our present concert venue at the Baptist Church. We are one of the few volunteer-operated subscription audiences in North America [let alone in Canada] that is steadily sold-out.

Well, we've come a long way since that beginning in 1956. And now, if the acoustics are good, it looks as if we may move to Peace Portal to accommodate our wait-list of over 250.

Much of the success can be attributed to our hard working Executive committee, and with the possible move to Peace Portal we have the unique opportunity to expand our Board from the present nine members. If any of you would be interested in working with us as White Rock Concerts moves into its next stage of growth, we would be happy to hear from you. Please take the opportunity to chat with Rick Gambrel or me at intermission.

Enjoy tonight's concert, and don't forget to pencil in that bonus event for January 14, when we will collectively make the crucial decision whether or not to move to a larger venue starting in the 11-12 season.

George Zukerman, O.C., O.B.C.
Artistic Director



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Musica Intima Borealis String Quartet

Bonus event at
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Friday, January 14, 2011



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White Rock Baptist Church

Friday, January 28, 2011

The Surrey Symphony Society presents:

An Afternoon of Classical Music

With award-winning ensembles:

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Sunday, December 5th, 3pm
Seaquam Secondary School Theatre, Delta
(11584 Lyon Rd., Delta)

Tickets \$15 adults, \$8 students, \$35 family. 604.572.9225 (Msg)

VANCOUVER
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Christmas with the Bach Choir

Sunday December 5, Orpheum Theatre 2:00pm

Celebrate the season with the **Bach Choir**, the **Children's Chorus** and the **Youth choirs**! Hear the mighty Orpheum organ, trumpets and trombones and **400 voices in a traditional holiday program**.

Leslie Dala, Marisa Gaetanne, conductors.

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Handel's Messiah

Saturday December 11

Orpheum Theatre 8:00pm

Messiah on a grand scale in the fabulous Orpheum!

Leslie Dala, conductor

Alison Angelo, soprano

Lauren Segal, alto

Colin Ainsworth, tenor

Alexander Dobson, bass

Vancouver Symphony

The Sing-Along Messiah

Sunday December 12, Orpheum Theatre 2:30pm

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