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July 2018 Arts News

Happy 4th of July. Carson Valley Arts Council is proud to partner with **TOCCATA - TAHOE SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA & CHORUS** for their 2018 season here in Carson Valley. Tickets for local concerts are available at Carson Valley Arts Council.

The new Carson Valley Arts Council "Friend" year begins July 1. Become a [Friend](#) of Carson Valley Arts Council or Patron of the Arts! Friends get discounts on Season Tickets and 3 packs. You can support CVAC's outreach to Douglas County schools or other Carson Valley Arts Council projects through tax deductible donations [online](#) or by calling our office at 775-782-8207.

Keep up with the latest news and "Like" our [Facebook page](#). The new 2018-19 Sponsorship information is now online. Your organization can help bring live music and youth arts outreach to Carson Valley. [Sponsorships](#)

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Calendar 2018

May 8 - July 3 – DeLuna & Johnson Art Exhibit

July 1 – TOCCATA – Toccata BOP's – Broadway Opera & Pops – 4pm St. Gall's Catholic Church

July 4 – Carson Valley Pops – Free Concert at Heritage Park 11:30 AM

July 5 – Sept 1 – Tompkins Art Exhibit

Friday, July 13 – 5pm to 7pm
Tompkins Artist Reception

July 23-27 – Young Thespian Theatre Camp – CV Community Theatre

July 29 – TOCCATA – The Romantix – CV United Methodist Church

JULY – NEW CVAC FRIEND YEAR BEGINS

August 10-12 and 17-19 – SUDS – CV Community Theater

Oct 5 – Sextones, CVIC Hall
New 2018-19 Concert Series



TOCCATA RETURNS TO CARSON VALLEY JULY 1st Best of Broadway, Opera & Pops

Kick off your 4th of July with music at the 4 PM July 1st TOCCATA Concert at St. Galls Catholic Church, Centerville Lane, Gardnerville.

Building on its June Beethoven-Mozart Summer MusicFest kickoff series, TOCCATA-Tahoe Symphony Orchestra will continue its 21-concert Summer MusicFest with TOCCATA BOPS, featuring Best of Broadway, Opera, and Patriotic Pops selections, on Sunday, July 1 at 4:00 pm at St. Gall Catholic Church in Gardnerville (1343 Centerville Lane), and opens with a rousing armed forces medley for orchestra and chorus and Leroy Anderson's equally rousing hit, *Bugler's Holiday*. Brad Perry and Stuart Duke, will perform the *Friendship Duet* from Bizet's opera *Pearlfishers*, while sopranos Joy Strotz, Becky Earl, Anne Davidson and Jackie Lengfelder will delight the audience with operatic arias and duets. Guest artist this year from New York is Melody Moore, to perform Broadway hits and a special duet with her sister, Joy Strotz.

The concert continues with hits for the SummerFest chorus: *Amazing Grace*; *Going Home* theme from Dvorak's *9th Symphony*, and *Battle Hymn of the Republic*. The concert concludes with Sousa's *Stars and Stripes*, a new arrangement of *God Bless America*, Tchaikovsky's brilliant *1812 Overture*, and an audience singalong of *America the Beautiful*, featuring the newly formed North Lake Tahoe Children's Chorus. Maestro Rawie's baton will be auctioned off, as well as the bass drum's biggest beater.

Tickets for the July 1 concert here in Gardnerville will be available at the door or at the Carson Valley Arts Council office, 1572 US Hwy 395, Minden, by phone at 775-782-8207 or online at www.cvartscouncil.com. General admission is \$30 adults and \$25 for seniors. Preferred seating is \$40 and \$15 for youth/students. Youth and students with ID under 23 years of age are free, in non reserved seating.

For more information visit or to learn about other venues where TOCCATA will be performing this

summer, go to www.ToccataTahoe.com, call 775-313-9697, or email at ToccataTahoe@gmail.com.

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New Membership Year Begins July 1

CVAC invites you to become a Friend, renew your membership, or make a donation to help support the arts in the Carson Valley and northern Nevada.

Your **Carson Valley Arts Council Friendship** creates shared ownership of a vision for the future. It establishes a partnership that benefits you, the Carson Valley Arts Council, and our community by engaging you in our programs, activities, and decision making.

Friendship Benefits.... Friendship is open to all individuals, businesses, and non-profit organizations on an annual basis ranging from \$25 to \$500. Benefits include: Season Tickets and "3-Packs" at a discount, invitations to visual art openings, fundraisers, annual Friends' Meeting, and entitles you to vote at the annual Friends' meeting. You will also receive Email reminders about upcoming activities. **Be a Patron of the Arts!**

Learn more about Carson Valley Arts Council Friendships at www.cvartscouncil.com, or call 775-782-8207, at the Copeland Cultural Arts Center, 1572 US Hwy 395, Minden. You can also renew your membership or join CVAC online.

Your tax-deductible contribution will strengthen and support CVAC programs and help enhance the area's cultural environment. Thank you!

Mark Tompkins' Exhibit at Gallery



Carson Valley Arts Council (CVAC) presents local artist Mark Tompkins. Mark's inspiration and painting style was influenced by the early renaissance artists as well as artists like Andrew Wyeth and Maxfield Parrish. Mark prefers to paint with oils, watercolors, and acrylics. He enjoys painting landscapes, wildlife and portraits.

Mark will be displaying his art at the Copeland Gallery in Minden from July 5, 2018 through September 1, 2018. The exhibit can be viewed Monday through Saturday 10am to 5pm. Some of Mark's paintings are available for purchase. Also included in the exhibit will be some of his student's work.


CVAC will be hosting an artist's reception on Friday, July 13, 5 pm to 7 pm. Refreshments will be served and it is free to the public. Come and meet Mark and preview his amazing work.

Mark Tompkins attended night classes at the Art Center College of Design in Los Angeles, California, where he studied life drawing and illustration. After working as a graphic artist for a number of years, Mark moved to Northern Nevada where he worked as a picture framer at a local art store and frame shop. There he began teaching painting classes for children and adults, and ended up teaching art classes at Western Nevada College in Minden for fifteen years, and also through the Parks and Recreation Department. Mark teaches private lessons out of his studio and also teaches a class on Thursday

mornings from 9 am to 12 noon at the Copeland Gallery. Mark also teaches art classes at the Brewery Arts Center in Carson City. Mark teaches oils, watercolors, and acrylics in his classes. If you would like information about Mark's classes, please call Mark at 775-783-4046.

Mark has won numerous awards in group competitions and continues to paint his favorite Sierra landscapes.

Feel free to contact us for additional information or questions by calling the Carson Valley Arts Council office at 782-8207. Visit our website at www.cvartscouncil.com to learn more about CVAC and upcoming events. The Copeland Gallery is located at 1572 US Hwy 395, Minden (corner of Hwy 395 and County Road).



Lake Tahoe's Classical Music At Its Best

TOCCATA Returns to Carson Valley July 29

TOCCATA—Tahoe Symphony Orchestra and Chorus continues its 13th Summer MusicFest in Carson Valley with **The ROMANTIX: Beethoven-Rossini-Dvorak** on Sunday, July 29, 4:00pm at Carson Valley United Methodist Church in Gardnerville (1375 Centerville Lane). General admission is \$30 adults, \$25 senior for this concert are available at the door or at Carson Valley Arts Council office, 1572 Highway 395, Minden, NV, Carson Valley Arts Council [website](http://www.cvartscouncil.com) or call 775-782-8207.

The program opens with Gioacchino Rossini's Overture to *The Barber of Seville*, and continues with Beethoven's *Symphony No. 1 in C major*. The program concludes with Anton Dvorak's *Cello Concerto Opus 104*, performed by Peter Lenz, the principal cellist of the Reno Philharmonic Orchestra. Jeff Lindhorst serves as concertmaster. Maestro James Rawie will conduct all performances.

Other performances are July 28 at Cornerstone Church in Incline Village (300 Country Club Dr), Sunday, July 29, 4:00pm at Carson Valley United Methodist Church in Gardnerville (1375 Centerville Lane) and

Friday, August 3, 7:00pm at St. Theresa Catholic Church in South Lake Tahoe (1041 Lyons Ave./96150). The final performance will be on Sunday, August 5, 4:00pm, St John's Presbyterian Church in Reno at 4:00 PM (1070 W. Plumb Lane/89509).

General admission is \$30 adults, \$25 senior for this concert are available at the door or at Carson Valley Arts Council. Preferred seating is \$40 and \$15 for youth/students. Students with ID under 25 years of age and youth are free, in non reserved seating, at most regular season concerts in 2018. Tickets for this series are available at the door or online at www.ToccataTahoe.com.

TOCCATA's 13th Summer MusicFest continues September 3-11 with the 16th anniversary of the 9/11 Memorial Concert series, featuring Alex Eisenberg performing Bruch's *Violin Concerto #1* in G minor. TOCCATA Symphony Chorus will perform selections from Verdi's *Requiem*.

For more information or preferred seating, email ToccataTahoe@gmail.com, call 775-313-9697, or visit www.ToccataTahoe.org.

Thank you Sponsors!

Please thank them for supporting the arts! Without them Carson Valley Arts Council can not provide the quality concerts or special projects for our community. Call 775-782-8207 or [email](mailto:ToccataTahoe@gmail.com) if you would like information about [sponsoring](#) next year's Concert Series that begins in October, 2018.

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