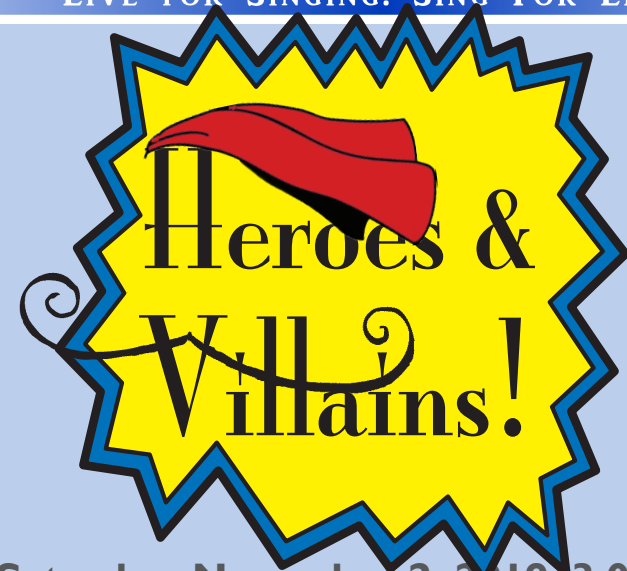


The Arizona Senior Academy
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present



The Vail Chorale

LIVE FOR SINGING. SING FOR LIFE.



Saturday, November 2, 2019, 3:00 p.m.
The Academy Village
Arizona Senior Academy Building

Sunday, November 3, 2019, 3:00 p.m.
Del Webb Community Center Lodge
Rancho del Lago

Brianna Petty, Director
Melissa Hale, Assistant Director
Shantell Funckes, Accompanist

Donations gratefully accepted

Program

- Be the Hero *from Big Fish*.....Andrew Lipka, arr. by Mark Brymer
(Soloist: Mike DePaso)
- Dentist..... Howard Ashman, Alan Menken
(Performers: Suzette and the Molarettes: Suzette Sommerer,
Melissa Hale, Leslie Nitzberg, Mary Webb; Drummer: Rene Cañez)
- The Music of the Night *from The Phantom of the Opera*.....
Andrew Lloyd Weber, Charles Hart; additional lyrics by Richard Stilgoe
(Soloist: Jim Gacey)
- The Pirate King *from The Pirates of Penzance*.....
William S. Gilbert, Arthur Sullivan; arr. by Emily Crocker
(Performers: The Vail Chorale Tenors & Basses)
- Mother Knows Best *from Tangled* Alan Menken, Glenn Slater
(Soloist: Melissa Hale)
- Children Will Listen *from Into the Woods*..... Stephen Sondheim
(Soloist: Renata Kennedy)
- What is This Feeling? *from Wicked* Stephen Schwartz; arr. by Roger Emerson
(Conducted by Melissa Hale; Performers: The Vail Chorale Sopranos & Altos;
Drummer: Rene Cañez)
- This is the Moment *from Jekyll & Hyde* Frank Wildhorn, Leslie Bricusse;
arr. by Teena Chin
- HEROES & VILLAINS IN THE MOVIES!**
- James Bond Theme Monty Norman; arr. by Jay Althouse
(Conducted by Melissa Hale)
- The Pink Panther..... Henry Mancini; arr. by Jay Althouse
- Ghost Busters..... Ray Parker, Jr.; arr. by Roger Emerson
(Performers: The Vail Chorale Small Ensemble; Drummer: Rene Cañez)
- Funny Honey *from Chicago*..... John Kander
(Soloist: Janet Cañez; Drummer: Rene Cañez)
- Heaven's Light & Hellfire *from The Hunchback of Notre Dame*.....
Alan Menken, Stephen Schwartz
(Soloist: Jake Taylor)
- Requiem for a Soldier *from Band of Brothers*..... Frank Musker, Michael Kamen
(Performers: Jim Gacey, Mar-Kay Petty, Julie Dawson, Brianna Petty;
Second Accompanist: Melissa Hale; Drummer: Rene Cañez)
- For Good *from Wicked* Stephen Schwartz; arr. by Mac Huff
(Conducted by Melissa Hale)
- Stronger *from Finding Neverland* Elliot Kennedy & Gary Barlow;
arr. by Mark Brymer
(Performers: Small Ensemble Sopranos & Altos; Drummer: Rene Cañez)

The Vail Chorale Singers

Sopranos

Caryn Aring
Erika Brand
Janet Cañez*
Cinda Danner
Melissa Hale*
Renata Kennedy
Martie Maierhauser*
Roxie Mitchem-Horn
Katelyn McCrae
Margaret Nesse
Leslie Nitzberg*
Ashley Payne*
Mary Webb*

Altos

Mindi Bennett*
Danielle Carlson
Julie Dawson*
Mary Ann Gillespey
Nicole Herington
Amber Jackson
Jeanne Osgood
Heather Redmon
Reneé Roberts
Gina Valverde*


Tenors

Bill Smith*
Suzette Sommerer*
Karen Sullivan
Adrianna Walker*

Basses

Butch Bryant*
Rene Cañez
Mike DePaso*
Jim Gacey
Mar-Kay Petty*
Jake Taylor
Jim Wood

*Singers in The Vail Chorale Small Ensemble




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Our conductor, Brianna Petty, is happy to call Tucson home; her family has been in Arizona for eight generations. She studied Choral Music Education at the University of Arizona, where she received her Bachelor of Arts Education in 2004, and later a Master's degree in Education: Curriculum and Instruction. She taught choir at Sabino and Salpointe Catholic High Schools, where her choirs always took the highest honors. She has taught beginning piano and voice lessons since 1997. Music will always be a focal point of her life.


Our assistant conductor, Melissa Hale, was involved in music throughout her youth, starting with church choir at the age of 8 and piano lessons at 10. At University of Alabama in Huntsville and Birmingham Southern College, she studied Voice Performance, accompanied the Women's Chorus, and continued singing in the College Choir, the Village Singers, and Music Ambassadors (a scholarship program). She has performed with choirs and ensembles in the U.S., Mexico, Guatemala, and Europe.

Our accompanist, Shantell Funckes, began her career as a collaborative pianist at age 6, accompanying vocalists from Sabino High School for Regional and All-State auditions. Since then she has acquired a vast repertoire and graduated from the University of Arizona with a Bachelor of Music in Piano Performance. Shantell has accompanied local choirs ranging from the UA Symphonic Choir and the University Singers to the Tucson Boys Chorus. She offers her talents to her church choir and several solo vocalists. Shantell's desire is to collaborate with other musicians to bring the gift of music to those around her.


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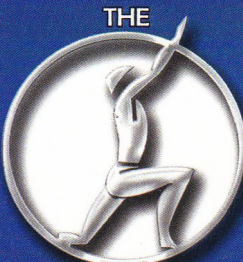
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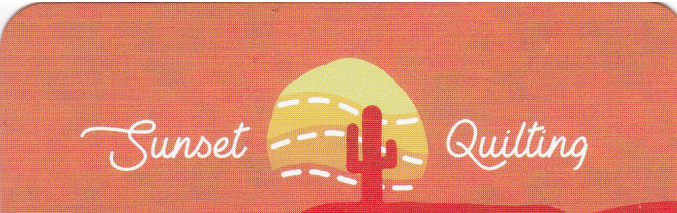


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