

Livermore-Amador Symphony

2024–2025 Preview

Lara Webber, Music Director & Conductor



Pops on the Green September 28, 2024

Concert at 3 p.m.

For the fourth year in a row, our annual Pops concert will be al fresco on the Shea Stage in the Bankhead Plaza on an autumn afternoon. Bring a picnic or snack and maybe something to sit on. No need for tickets, but donations will be accepted happily! Pops is sponsored by the Livermore-Amador Symphony Guild, with all donations going to the Symphony. Join us for Pops on the Green on Saturday Sept. 28 at 3 o'clock!

Family Concert December 7, 2024

Concert at 3 p.m.

Our family concert is full of holiday fun for everyone just before Livermore's holiday parade. Presented in coordination with Livermore Arts and in partnership with Valley Dance Theatre, this concert lasts less than an hour and is free of charge.

Festive Fairy Tales December 7, 2024

Concert at 8 p.m. (no preconcert talk)

Join us for an evening full of joyful sounds of the holiday season. You'll hear familiar holiday carols in the music of both Georges Bizet and Samuel Barber, and Maurice Ravel's *Mother Goose Suite* brings magical fairy tales to life with excitement and poignant beauty. This music will warm your heart for the holidays.

Expressions of Youth February 15, 2025

Inside the Music, 7–7:15 p.m.; concert at 7:30 p.m.

The talented winners of our annual Competition for Young Musicians are featured soloists in this evening packed with musical inspiration and variety. Johannes Brahms caused a sensation with his marvelous "Academic Festival Overture," using raucous melodies sung by students. The sweeping sounds of young Samuel Coleridge-Taylor's "Symphonic Variations on an African Air" embellish a rarely performed masterwork you won't want to miss!

Romantic Masterpieces April 12, 2025

Inside the Music, 7–7:15 p.m.; concert at 7:30 p.m.

Violin virtuoso Elizabeth Pitcairn returns to Livermore to perform Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky's thrilling violin concerto, playing her legendary 1720 *Red Mendelssohn* Stradivarius. The concert concludes with one of the most deeply spiritual and exciting symphonies of the Romantic era, César Franck's Symphony in D minor. Join us for an evening loaded with virtuosity and beautiful familiar melodies.

Celestial Sounds May 31, 2025

Inside the Music, 7–7:15 p.m.; concert at 7:30 p.m.

Lift off with the symphony as we explore the universe in all its celestial wonder. You'll hear music inspired by planets, comets, moons, and stars accompanied by images from our galaxy and beyond. "Claire de Lune," selections from Gustav Holst's *Planets* and John Williams's *Star Wars Suite*, and so much more will bring our season to a spectacular conclusion.

Programs subject to change.

Season Tickets

Dec., Feb., April, and May concerts.

Live at The Bankhead

Section	A	B	C
ADULT	<input type="checkbox"/> \$158	<input type="checkbox"/> \$133	<input type="checkbox"/> \$108

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Early Purchase: by July 15, 2024

YOUTH (under age 22) \$0 in all sections

Tickets: \$ _____

I want to retain my seat(s) from the 2023–2024 season.

Retention of seats is guaranteed only for renewals received by July 31, 2024.

Payment

Write a check payable to **LVPAC**, or pay by credit card:

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Contact Information

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Email _____ Seat(s) in the 2023–2024 season

Bring or mail this form to the Bankhead Theater Box Office, 2400 First St., Livermore CA 94550, or email its image to boxoffice@bankheadtheater.org (no subscription orders by phone)

Donation Please consider a tax-deductible contribution.

Donations may be made directly to **LAS**:

write a check payable to **Livermore-Amador Symphony** and send it to **PO. Box 1049, Livermore CA 94551-1049;** or pay by credit card at livermoreamadorsymphony.org.

Donor levels: Angel, \$1500 or more; Patron, \$1000–\$1499;

Benefactor, \$500–\$999; Sustainer, \$300–\$499;

Supporter, \$200–\$299; Contributor, \$100–\$199; Friend, \$50–\$99.

(The Livermore Valley Performing Arts Center is no longer processing donations to LAS with ticket orders.)

The Symphony and the Bankhead Theater follow applicable Alameda County Public Health Department protocols and CDC recommendations. See livermorearts.org FAQs. We prioritize the health and well-being of our audience and musicians over all else.

Single-concert tickets go on sale **August 1, 2024**, at \$44, \$37, or \$30 for adults, and free for youth under age 22.

For further information please call **925.447.6454** or see livermoreamadorsymphony.org.

