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Event Schedule (English)

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2022 4/28^{Fri} → 5/5^{Fri} Main Concerts 5/3^{Wed} → 5/5^{Fri}

Venues

- Ishikawa Ongakudō
- Kanazawa Art Hall
- Hokkoku Shimbun Akabane Hall
- Hokuriku Area
(Fukui/Ishikawa/Toyama)

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2023.3.16

Main Concert Schedule

5/3
Wed

C ... Concert Hall **A** ... Art Hall **AK** ... Akabane Hall
H ... Hōgaku Hall **K** ... Kōryū Hall

Admission restricted to elementary school students and older (some exceptions)
Discounts for children when spending more than ¥1,000 ♪
High school students and younger → ¥500 off

Ishikawa Ongakudō Concert Hall

C ... Concert Hall 1560 Seats

**S seats are on the 1st and 2nd floors,
A seats are on the 3rd floor.**

C11 General Admission: ¥1,500

High school students: ¥1,000
Junior high school students: ¥500
Free entry for elementary school students and younger.
(Tickets are required)
Infants, toddlers, and young children are welcome.
All seats are non-reserved.

9:40 ~ 10:30

**Yuko Tanaka with the
Nagoya College of Music
Brass Band**

Yuko Tanaka (Cond)
Nagoya College of Music,
Symphonic Winds
Kodály, Hány János Suite
Fučík, Florentiner March

C12 S: ¥3,000 / A: ¥2,000

12:20 ~ 13:10

**Janáček Philharmonic's Liszt
The Profile of a Prodigy**

Leoš Svárovský (Cond)
Lukáš Vondráček (Pf)
Janáček Philharmonic Orchestra
Mino Kabasawa (MC)

Liszt, Hungarian Rhapsody No.2
Liszt, Piano Concerto No.1
in E flat major
Liszt, Les préludes

C13 S: ¥3,000 / A: ¥2,000

15:00 ~ 15:50

**Sinfonietta, featured in
Haruki Murakami's "1Q84"!**

Leoš Svárovský (Cond)
Janáček Philharmonic Orchestra
The Trumpet Concert (Tp)
Mino Kabasawa (MC)
Janáček, Sinfonietta
Kodály, Hány János Suite

C14 S: ¥2,500 / A: ¥2,000

17:40 ~ 18:30

**Passionate Kobaken
An Enthusiastic Performance
of Tchaikovsky's No. 5!**

Ken'ichiro Kobayashi (Cond)
Gunma Symphony Orchestra
Mino Kabasawa (MC)
Tchaikovsky, Symphony No. 5
in E minor, Op. 64

C15 S: ¥2,500 / A: ¥2,000

20:30 ~ 21:20

**Eitetsu Hayashi's Taiko Drums
A Heated Contest with
Junichi Hirokami & OEK**

Junichi Hirokami (Cond)
Eitetsu Hayashi (Taiko)
EITETSU FU-UN no KAI (Taiko)
Local Children (Taiko)
Orchestra Ensemble Kanazawa
Gargan Ensemble
Eitetsu Hayashi, 'Sen-no-Kaikyo'
-Thousand Sea Symphonies-
Maki Ishii, Mono-Prism



Ishikawa Ongakudō Hōgaku Hall

H ... Hōgaku Hall 727 Seats

H11 ¥2,000

11:00 ~ 11:50

**The Pleasure of Traditional
Japanese Music (Ensemble)**

Mai Tosha (Japanese Flute)
Garen Kitamura (Koto)
Tamae Mochizuki (Tsuzumi)
Aya Kagayama (Folk Singer)
Hokuriku Buyō Kyōkai (Nichibu)
Joe Hisaishi, Path of the Wind
Dance "Setsugetsuka"



H12 ¥2,500

13:40 ~ 14:30

**The Vienna Philharmonic
Flute Princess - Bonelli**

Chosei Komatsu (Cond)
Karin Bonelli (Fl)
Orchestra Ensemble Kanazawa
Doppler, Fantaisie Pastorale Hongroise,
Op.26
Bartók, Rumänische Volkstänze
Brahms, Ungarische Tänze No.2, 4
Dvořák, Carnival Overture, Op. 92

H13 ¥2,000

16:20 ~ 17:10

**Min Tanaka meets
Central European Music**

Min Tanaka (Dancer)
Quartet Integra (Str.Quartet)
Bartók, String Quartet No.6 in D minor,
Sz.114
Bartók, Sonata for Solo Violin, 1. Tempo
di ciaccona

H14 ¥2,000

19:00 ~ 20:00

**Opera Singers compete in a
Shōwa era Song Contest**

Mai Tsugumi (Sop)
Kumi Ishikawa (Sop)
Manami Naoe (Sop)
Mariko Omote (Msop)
Yohei Kondo (Ten)
Takashi Kadota (Bar)
Asao Nishimura (Bar)
The Japan Ground Self-Defense Force
Central Band (Ensemble)
Masanori Shibata (Cond)
Itsudemo Yume wo
Mata Au Hi made
Ringo no Uta
Subaru
Nagasaki no Kane
Musouka
Kawa no Nagare no youni
Noto-hanto

Kanazawa Art Hall Porte Kanazawa 6F

A ... Art Hall 308 Seats

A11 ¥2,000

11:00 ~ 11:50

**A Splendid Violin Quartet
& Aya Tsurumi**

Mayu Sakaguchi (Vn)
Yuna Shinohara (Vn)
Yumi Mizukami (Vn)
Jurika Takeda (Vn)
Aya Tsurumi (Pf)
Bacewicz, Quartet for 4 Violins
Moszkowski, Suite for Two Violins and
Piano Op.71

A12 ¥2,000

13:40 ~ 14:30

**Central European songs
sung by Czech Virtuosos**

Tereza Mátlová (Sop)
Tomáš Černý (Ten)
Shunpei Shirakawa (Pf)
Kálmán, "Grüß mir mein Wien",
Gräfin Mariza
Dvořák, "Když mne stará matka",
Cigánské Melodie
Lehár, "Vilja Lied", Die lustige Witwe
Lehár, "Lippen schweigen",
Die lustige Witwe

A13 ¥2,000

16:20 ~ 17:10

**OEK Concert Mistress
Abigail Young and Friends**

Abigail Young (Vn)
Vaughan Hughes (Vn)
Daniil Grishin (Va)
Sung Jun Kim (Vc)
Rikono Takeda (Pf)
Dvořák, Piano Quintet No.2 in A major,
Op.81

A14 ¥2,000

19:00 ~ 19:50

**Ririko Takagi
Plays the Stradivarius!**

Ririko Takagi (Vn)
Kaoruko Igarashi (Pf)
Dvořák, "Když mne stará matka",
Cigánské Melodie
Janáček, Violin Sonata
Chopin-Sarasate, Nocturne No.2 Op.9-2



Ishikawa Ongakudō Kōryū Hall

K ... Kōryū Hall B1 Level

K11 ¥500

Free entry for elementary school students and younger.
(Tickets are required)
Infants, toddlers, and young children are welcome.

10:00 ~ 10:40

**Famous Songs for the Kids!
(Brass)**

Kanazawa University Wind Orchestra
Eri Shinhira (Sop)
Homare Tsukata (MC)
Ghibli Medley
'Jamboree Mickey'

K12 ¥500

Free entry for elementary school students and younger.
(Tickets are required)
Infants, toddlers, and young children are welcome.

11:40 ~ 12:20

**Soprano Tomihira and
Conductor Numajiri's
Piano Concert for Children**

Akiko Tomihira (Sop)
Ryusuke Numajiri (Pf)
Kids songs "Kotori no uta"
"Amefuri Kumanoko"
Puccini, "O mio babbino caro",
Gianni Schicchi
Puccini, "Quando me'n vò", La Bohème
Gounod, Ave Maria
Schubert, Wiegenlied
Rodgers, "My Favorite Things",
The Sound of Music

K13 ¥1,000

13:20 ~ 14:00

Melancholy Gypsy Songs

Shoko Kumada (Sop)
Ayako Kimura (Sop, MC)
Takashi Kadota (Bar)
Yukari Yamada (Pf)
Lehár, Excerpt from Die lustige Witwe
Liszt, Liebestraum
Dvořák, "Měsíčku na nebi hlubokém",
Rusalka

K14 ¥1,000

15:00 ~ 15:40

**The Vienna Philharmonic,
"Vienna, City of My Dreams"**

Gerhard Kaufmann (Vc)
Bernhard Naoki Hedenborg (Vc)
Florian Eggner (Vc)
Milan Karanovic (Vc)
Ayako Kimura (MC)
Sieczyński, "Wien, du Stadt meiner Träume"

K15 ¥1,000

16:40 ~ 17:20

**Kanazawa Jonkara perform
"The Brilliance
of Hyakumangoku!"**

Kanazawa Jonkara (Shamisen)
Akihiro Ichikawa (Shamisen)
Akihiro-kai (Shamisen)
Kanazawa Jonkara (Japanese Folksong)

K16 ¥1,000

18:20 ~ 19:00

**Folk Music with
Takashi Niigaki!**

Takashi Niigaki (Comp)
Hiroshi Aoshima (MC)

★ Codes such as **C11**, found in the upper left corner of each performance is the 'Performance Code Number'. Please use as reference when purchasing tickets.
★ Doors open 30 minutes before the start of performances (15 minutes for Kōryū Hall).
★ Finish times are approximate.
★ Please follow the instructions when leaving the venue after a performance.
★ All performances are reserved seating (except for event **C11**, and all events in **Kōryū Hall**).
★ The scheduled program and performances are subject to change due to unforeseen circumstances.
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C21 S:¥2,500 / A:¥2,000	10:00 ~ 10:50 Eitetsu Hayashi with Eitetsu FU-UN no KAI The World of Taiko Drums Eitetsu Hayashi (Taiko) EITETSU FU-UN no KAI (Taiko) <i>Eitetsu Hayashi, Suite 'Leonard -If I had wings-'</i>	10:00 ~ 10:50 OEK String Quartet "American" "From My Life" Naoki Matsui (Vn) Junko Kamishima (Vn) Motoki Maruyama (Va) Akira Osawa (Vc) <i>Smetana, String Quartet No.1 in E minor, 'Z mého života'</i> <i>Dvořák, String Quartet No.12 in F major, Op.96, 'American'</i>	Free entry for elementary school students and younger. (Tickets are required) Infants, toddlers, and young children are welcome. 10:00 ~ 10:40 Song Time with Garu-chan Eri Shinhira (Sop) Yumiko Tada (Fl) Serina Sawa (Pf) Gargantua <i>Sing & dance with Garu-chan!</i> <i>Shiawase nara te o tatakou</i>
C22 S:¥2,500 / A:¥2,000	H22 ¥2,500	A22 ¥2,000	K22 ¥500
14:00 ~ 14:50 Kobaken's "Má vlast" ② ~Listen to the Soul of the Czech Republic~ Ken'ichiro Kobayashi (Cond) Gunma Symphony Orchestra <i>Smetana, Má Vlast IV. Z českých luhů a hájů</i> <i>Smetana, Má Vlast V. Tábor</i> <i>Smetana, Má Vlast VI. Blaník</i>	12:40 ~ 13:30 Bartok World Competition 2nd Prize-Winner Ririko Takagi Nodoka Okisawa (Cond) Ririko Takagi (Vn) Orchestra Ensemble Kanazawa <i>Wieniawski, Violin Concerto No.2 in D minor, Op.22</i> <i>Dvořák, Slavonic Dances Op.46-1, 2, 3</i>	12:40 ~ 13:30 Izumi Tateno "The Capriccio for Piano Left-Hand" Leoš Svárovský (Cond) Izumi Tateno (Pf) Janáček Philharmonic Ensemble <i>Janáček, Capriccio, and more</i>	Free entry for elementary school students and younger. (Tickets are required) Infants, toddlers, and young children are welcome. 11:40 ~ 12:20 Stars from the Gargan Talent Show "Come! See! Enjoy!" Hiroshi Aoshima (MC)
C23 S:¥3,000 / A:¥2,000	H23 ¥2,500	A23 ¥2,000	K23 ¥1,000
16:40 ~ 17:50 Smetana's Masterpiece Opera Highlights of "The Bartered Bride" Leoš Svárovský (Cond) Janáček Philharmonic Orchestra Tereza Mátlová (Sop) Kumi Ishikawa (Sop) Kaho Maezawa (Msop) Tomáš Černý (Ten) Noriyuki Sawabu (Ten) Takaki Kurihara (Bar) Asao Nishimura (Bar) Masashi Mori (Bas) Tokyo Opera Production (Choir) K BALLET STUDIO Ayako Kimura (MC) <i>Smetana, Highlights from Prodaná nevěsta</i>	15:20 ~ 16:10 Central European Masterpieces by OEK Keita Matsui (Cond) Eriko Ishimoto (Pf) Orchestra Ensemble Kanazawa <i>Brahms, Ungarische Tänze No.1 in G minor</i> <i>Kodály, Galántai táncok</i> <i>Bartók, Piano Concerto No.3 in E major, Sz.119</i>	15:20 ~ 16:10 Superstar Pianists Igarashi & Shigemori Kaoruko Igarashi (Pf) Kotaro Shigemori (Pf) <i>Chopin, Etude Op.25 No.1 in A flat major 'Aeolian Harp'</i> <i>Chopin, Ballade No.3 in A flat major, Op.47</i> <i>Chopin, Waltz No.6 in D-flat major, Op.64-1 'Minute Waltz'</i> <i>Mozart-Liszt, Réminiscences de Don Juan, S.418</i> <i>Wagner-Liszt, Tannhäuser overture, S.442</i>	13:20 ~ 14:00 Bartok and Viennese Melodies Toshimi Kasuga (Cond) Hokuriku Gakuin Handbell Choir Accueil Saxophone Quartet <i>Slavonic Dance, Humoresques, Rumänische Volkstänze</i> <i>Frühlingsstimmen, Feuerfest!</i>
C24 S:¥3,000 / A:¥2,000	H24 ¥2,000	A24 ¥2,000	K24 ¥1,000
19:40 ~ 20:30 New Star Nodoka Okisawa conducts "From the New World!" Nodoka Okisawa (Cond) Janáček Philharmonic Orchestra <i>Dvořák, Symphony No.9 in E minor, Op.95 'From the New World'</i>	18:00 ~ 18:50 YL Male Voice Choir sing of Patriotic Love Pasi Hyökkki (Cond) YL Male Voice Choir Female Choir "Chor Ripple" <i>Sibelius, Finlandia</i> <i>U boj, u boj (Croatian song)</i>	18:00 ~ 18:50 OEK Legendary Trio Exuberant Dvorak Troy Googins (Vn) Akira Osawa (Vc) Kaori Kimura (Pf) <i>Dvořák, Piano Trio No.4 in E minor, Op.90, 'Dumky'</i>	15:00 ~ 15:40 Yuko Mifune & Akira Horikoshi A New Piano and Drum Frontier OBSESSION [Yuko Mifune & Akira Horikoshi] (Jazz) Shin'ichirō Ikebe (Comp) <i>Gershwin, Rhapsody in blue</i> <i>Borodin, Polovtsian Dances</i> <i>Shin'ichirō Ikebe, "A Couple of Butterflies Through..."</i>

Akabane Hall	AK5 ¥2,000	AK6 ¥2,000	AK7 ¥2,000
AK ... Akabane Hall 504 seats	AK4 ¥2,000		
10:30 ~ 11:30 Gargan Ensemble Feat. Terumasa Hino Erina Suzuki (Cond) Gargan String Ensemble Gargan Wind Ensemble Terumasa Hino (Jazz Tp) <i>Strauss II, Tritsch-Tratsch-Polka</i> <i>Carmichael, Stardust</i> <i>Monk, 'Round Midnight</i> <i>R.Strauss, Divertimento, Op.86</i> <i>Lehár, Excerpt from Die lustige Witwe</i>	13:00 ~ 14:00 Sounds of Japan's largest Ocarina Ensemble Zenkyu (Cond) Zenkyu Ocarina Group <i>Central Europe Rhapsody</i>	15:00 ~ 16:00 MusiColore + La Musica Sounds of Hungary and Kanazawa! Radics Eva (Cond) MusiColore (Choir) La Musica (Choir) <i>Kodály, Szép könyörgés</i> <i>Gershwin, Summertime</i> <i>Furusato</i>	17:00 ~ 18:00 A Comedic Performance by Vienna Cello Ensemble Wiener Cello Ensemble 5+1 <i>Pachelbel, Canon - Khachaturian, Sabre Dance</i> <i>Mozart, "Dies Bildnis ist zaubernd schön", Die Zauberflöte</i> <i>Strauss I., Seufzer-Galopp, Op.9</i> <i>Strauss II., Csárdás, Die Fledermaus</i> <i>Kreisler, Liebesfreud</i>
			AK8 ¥2,000
			19:00 ~ 20:00 Terumasa Hino's Jazzy Trumpet Terumasa Hino Quintet (Jazz Band)

(Abbreviation Key)

: Soprano	Bas : Bass	Fl : Flute	Pf : Piano
: Mezzo-soprano	Vn : Violin	Cl : Clarinet	Perc : Percussion
: Tenor	Va : Viola	Sax : Sax	Comp : Composer
: Baritone	Vc : Cello	Tp : Trumpet	
: Bass-baritone	Cb : Contrabass	Hrp : Harp	

5/5
Fri



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C31 S: ¥3,000 / A: ¥2,000	H31 ¥2,000	A31 ¥2,000	K31 ¥500
11:20 ~ 12:10 Dvořák's Concerto with the Vienna Philharmonic Orchestra and a Sublime Cellist Junichi Hirokami (Cond) Sebastian Bru (Vc) Janáček Philharmonic Orchestra Dvořák, Cello Concerto in B minor, Op.104	10:00 ~ 10:50 Japanese Koto Melodies Ishikawa Koto Association (Koto) Hideyo Toshi (Japanese Flute) Shinnosuke Fujima (Nichibu) Chika Saito (Calligraphy) Dvořák, Humoresques Brahms, Ungarischer Tanz Tadao Sawai, Kuroda-bushi Fantasy	10:00 ~ 10:50 An OEK Trio: Sakamoto, Hayakawa & Tajima Kunio Sakamoto (Vn) Hiroshi Hayakawa (Vc) Mutsuko Tajima (Pf) Suk, Elegie, Op. 23 Dvořák, Piano Trio No. 3 in F minor, Op. 65	Free entry for elementary school students and younger. (Tickets are required) Infants, toddlers, and young children are welcome. 10:00 ~ 10:40 The Mischievous Dwarf comes to Kanazawa Reo Matsumura (Storyteller) Manami Naoe (Sop) Aiko Takada (Vn) Junko Yamaoka (Cl) Junko Takemiya (Perc) Hirotake Kitakata (Pf) Rui Tokuyama (Dance) ecole·de·HB (Ballet) Naughty Dwarf (Based on Ukrainian Folktales)
C32 S: ¥3,000 / A: ¥2,000	H32 ¥2,000	A32 ¥2,000	K32 ¥500
14:00 ~ 14:50 Janáček Philharmonic's Dvořák 8 A Symphony Masterpiece! Leoš Svárovský (Cond) Janáček Philharmonic Orchestra Smetana, Má Vlast II. Vltava Dvořák, Symphony No.8 in G major, Op. 88	12:40 ~ 13:30 Songs from the Birthplace of Gypsy Music 'The Charms of Crossover' Hungary Gypsy Band Hubay, "Hejre Kati", Scènes de la Csárda Rimsky-Korsakov, "Flight of the Bumblebee" Haydn, Gypsy Rondo	12:40 ~ 13:30 A journey to Central Europe through Song and Piano Ayako Kimura (Sop) Shoko Kumada (Sop) Manami Naoe (Sop) Yukari Yamada (Pf) Offenbach, "Belle nuit, ô nuit d'amour", Les Contes d'Hoffmann R. Strauss, "Beim Schlafengehen", Vier letzte Lieder Dvořák, Humoresques Dvořák, "Když mne stará matka", Cigánské Melodie Liszt, "Oh! quand je dors"	Free entry for elementary school students and younger. (Tickets are required) Infants, toddlers, and young children are welcome. 11:40 ~ 12:20 Gargan Kids Erina Suzuki (Cond) Gargan Ensemble Anderson, Fiddle-Faddle Anderson, The Syncopated Clock Bortkiewicz, The Ugly Duckling (with narration)
C33 S: ¥2,500 / A: ¥2,000	H33 ¥2,000	A33 ¥2,000	K33 ¥500
16:50 ~ 17:40 Opera Highlights from "Don Giovanni" Nodoka Okisawa (Cond) Orchestra Ensemble Kanazawa Michiko Takeda (Sop) Mai Tsugumi (Sop) Yuki Akimoto (Msop) Yohei Kondo (Ten) Takaki Kurihara (Bar) Takashi Kadota (Bar) Hirohisa Sannohe (Bas Bar) Masashi Mori (Bas) Mozart, Highlights from I dissoluto punito, ossia il Don Giovanni	15:30 ~ 16:20 Watanabe Junnosuke's Noh Dance All songs from "Pictures at an Exhibition" Junnosuke Watanabe (Noh) Shigeto Watanabe (Noh) Takashi Kawase (Noh) Sakura Watanabe (Noh) Kaguya Nakamura (Modern Ballet) Yutaka Nakamura (Dir) Izumi Eno (Japanese Flute) Martin Stadtfeld (Pf) Nodoka Okisawa (Cond) Gargan Wind Ensemble Mussorgsky, "Pictures at an Exhibition"	15:30 ~ 16:20 Immerse yourself in Central European Piano ~Lukáš Vondráček Recital~ Lukáš Vondráček (Pf) Suk: Six Piano Pieces Smetana, Three Dances, Prodaná nevěsta Masterpieces of Chopin and Liszt	Free entry for elementary school students and younger. (Tickets are required) Infants, toddlers, and young children are welcome. 13:30 ~ 14:45 Junior Orchestra Performances Giran Junior Orchestra Fukui Junior String Ensemble JASTA in Toyama Junior (Orch) Ishikawa Junior Orchestra Keita Matsui (Cond) Dvořák, Slavonic Dance Dvořák, Symphony No.9 in E minor, Op.95 'From the New World'
C34 S: ¥2,500 / A: ¥2,000	H34 ¥2,000	A34 ¥2,000	K34 ¥1,000
19:30 ~ 21:00 Opera Aria Gems Kohaku Song Contest 2023 Erina Suzuki (Cond) Ryusuke Numajiri (Cond) Orchestra Ensemble Kanazawa Gargan Ensemble (Orch) Tereza Mátllová (Sop) Michiko Takeda (Sop) Mai Tsugumi (Sop) Akiko Tomihira (Sop) Kumi Ishikawa (Sop) Kaho Maezawa (Msop) Yuki Akimoto (Msop) Yohei Kondo (Ten) Noriyuki Sawabu (Ten) Tomáš Černý (Ten) Takaki Kurihara (Bar) Hirohisa Sannohe (Bar) Asao Nishimura (Bar) Takashi Kadota (Bar)	18:10 ~ 19:00 Weiner Cello Ensemble performing Sacred Boléro Wiener Cello Ensemble 5+1 (Vc) Smetana, Skočná Prodaná nevěsta Tchaikovsky, Variations sur un thème Rococo, Op.33 Doppler, Fantaisie Pastorale Hongroise, Op.26 Ravel, Boléro Rimsky-Korsakov, "Flight of the Bumblebee"	18:10 ~ 19:00 Piano Duet of Brahms & Dvořák's Dances Kana Hirano (Pf) Sari Ohtake (Pf) Masami Kometani (Pf) Yoko Sagara (Pf) Hiroe Ushio (MC) Dvořák, Slavonic Dance Brahms, Ungarische Tänze	K35 ¥1,000 17:25 ~ 18:05 Soprano, Cello, Erhu & Harp Performance Ayako Inagaki (Sop) Aya Hosokawa (Vc) Saika Li (Erhu) Tomoko Ueda (Harp) Hiroe Ushio (MC) 'Smetana: Má Vlast II. Vltava' Dvořák, Humoresques Dvořák, "Když mne stará matka", Cigánské Melodie Raskin, "Those Were the Days" (Hana no Kisetu)

The Sounds of Central Europe
in Kanazawa!



Official Mascot
of the Music Festival
"Gargantua"

Gargantua is a character from the one and only story, "Tales of Gargantua & Pantagruel", written by the novelist Rabelais during the late Renaissance period. With an insatiable appetite, curiosity, and the energy to take on any challenge, Gargantua livens up the music festival!

Enjoy the sound of a Central European Orchestra!



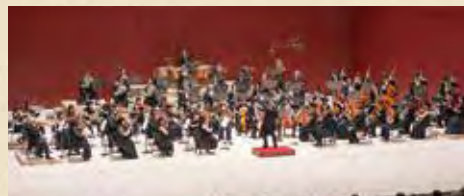
Janáček Philharmonic Orchestra

Conductor



Leoš Svárovský

Kobaken takes on all the songs from "Má vlast"



Gunma Symphony Orchestra

Conductor



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Kanazawa's Greatest Treasures perform Musical Masterpieces from Central Europe!



Orchestra Ensemble Kanazawa

Conductor



Junichi Hirokami



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Masterpieces of Central Europe by splendid soloists!

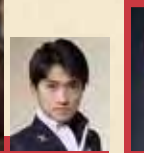
Tenor



Tomáš Černý



Noriyuki Sawabu

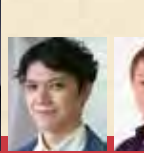


Yohei Kondo

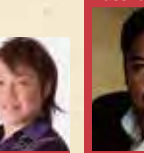
Baritone



Takaki Kurihara

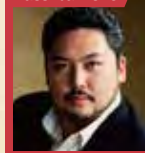


Asao Nishimura



Takashi Kadota

Bass-baritone



Hirohisa Sannohe

Bass



Masashi Mori

A Gathering of Amazing Soloists!

Bravo!



Soprano



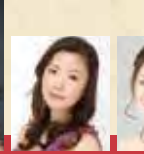
Tereza Mátllová



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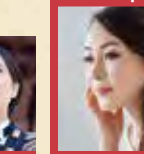
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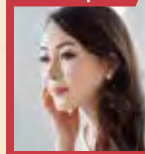


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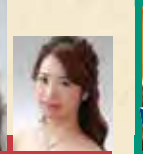


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Mezzo-soprano



Yuki Akimoto



Kaho Maezawa

Piano



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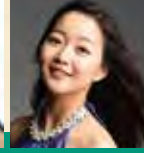


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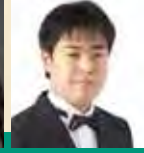
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Cello



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The music festival sparkles with Kanazawa's traditional crafts!

The main visual for 2023 was created by Tomomi Kawasaki, a ceramic artist active in Kanazawa.

Gargantua dressed in a Central European folk costume soars through the sky! The blue bird is decorated using the traditional five Kutani colours, navy blue, red, purple, green, and yellow. Depicted are various flowers including, geranium, the national flower of Hungary, edelweiss, the national flower of Austria, and black lily, the flower of Ishikawa Prefecture. Flying through the Central European skies, the blue bird of happiness will carry music to Kanazawa in the spring!

[Profile] Tomomi Kawasaki, Ceramic Artist
Born in Kanazawa City. Graduated from Ishikawa Prefectural Technical High School, Department of Crafts. Graduated from Kanazawa Gakuin University, Faculty of Art and Culture.
Completed a Ceramics Course at Utatsuyama (Craft Studio) Kōgei Kōbō. Managing Director of Sanei Kōgyō Co., Ltd.
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4/23 Sun

14:00 **Citizen Orchestra Festival**
16:00 Venue: Concert Hall

Tomohiro Oura (Cond)
Smetana, *Má Vlast II. Vltava*
Dvořák, *Slavonic Dance Op.46-6*
Dvořák, *Slavonic Dance Op.72-2*
Liszt, *Les Préludes, S.97*
Dvořák, *Symphony No.8 in G major, Op. 88*

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General Admission: ¥2,000
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4/28 Fri

19:00 **Festival Eve: Central European Masterpieces with MC Shin'ichirō Ikebe**
20:30 Venue: Akabane Hall

Tereza Mátlóvá (Sop) Tomáš Černý (Ten)
Ririko Takagi (Vn) Abigail Young (Vn)
Vaughan Hughes (Vn) Daniil Grishin (Va)
Sung Jun Kim (Vc) Shunpei Shirakawa (Pf)
Rikono Takeda (Pf) Hungary Starlight Trio,
Shinichiro Ikebe (MC) Gypsy Band

Dvořák, "Vidino divná přesladká", *Rusalka*
Dvořák, "Měsíčku na nebi hlubokém", *Rusalka*
Dvořák, *Humoresques*
Dvořák, *Excerpt from Piano Quintet No.2*

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Too good to miss!

Don't miss out on this musical lecture with Shin'ichirō Ikebe guiding you through the sounds of Dvořák!

4/29 Sat

13:45 **Opening Concert** Venue: Concert Hall
15:30

Junichi Hirokami (Cond)
Tomáš Černý (Ten)
Orchestra Ensemble Kanazawa
Gargan Ensemble
Akiko Kanamaru Ballet Studio
Ishikawa Koto Association (Koto)
Tereza Mátlóvá (Sop)
Ririko Takagi (Vn)
Gargan Ensemble
Akiko Yokokura Ballet School
Hungary Gypsy Band

Fučík, *Einzug der Gladiatoren*
Enescu, *Rhapsodie Roumaine No.1, Op.11*
Lehár, *Excerpt from Das Land des Lächelns*
Lehár, "Meine Lippen, sie küssen so heiß", *Giuditta*
Sarasate, *Zigeunerweisen, Op.20*
Kengyo Yatsuhashi/Tatsuya Kurachi, *Fantasy Rokudan with Koto and Orchestra*
Dvořák, *Slavonic Dance Op.46-1*

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5/1 Mon



A school concert will be held at the Ongakudo on May 1st! Enjoy with Mr. Aoshima (No general admission)

5/6 Sat

14:00 **Janáček Philharmonic Orchestra in Fukui**
16:00 Venue: Harmony Hall Fukui

Nodoka Okisawa (Cond)
Janáček Philharmonic Orchestra
Hinata Yakabe (Pf)

Smetana, *Má Vlast II. Vltava*
Schumann, *Piano Concerto*
Dvořák, *Symphony No.9 in E minor, Op.95 'From the New World'*

S: ¥8,000
A: ¥7,000
B: ¥6,000
Rear Mezzanine: ¥4,000

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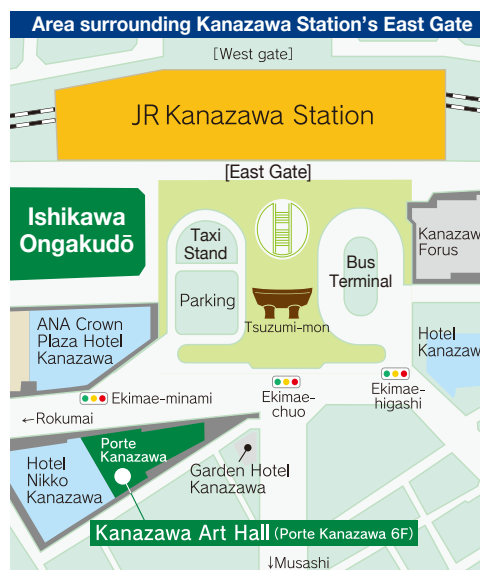


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*Admission is restricted to elementary school-age students and older. (Some scheduled programs are open to infants and older.)

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