

CELEBRATE MUSIC!

**2025-2026
Season**



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Music Director and
Orchestra Conductor



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Music Director and
Chorus Conductor

LA JOLLA
SYMPHONY
& CHORUS

Affiliated with UC San Diego

October 11, 2025

Graciously hosted by
Sandra Timmons & Richard Sandstrom

Schedule

2:00 pm

Registration & mingling

Wine and hors d'oeuvres

Music by The Left Coast Wind
Quintet

2:30 pm

Musical performances

A word from Maestro Patel

3:30 pm

Silent Auction closes

More mingling

4:00

Safe travels!

The Left Coast Wind Quintet

April Leslie - Clarinet

RB Anthony - French Horn

Jenny Shippee - Oboe

Erica Gamble - Flute

Dan Weiss - Bassoon

The Funky Party Singers

Marcia Banks

Trish Benesh

Karen Erickson

Einar Gall

Bryan Heard

Varda Lev-Ram

Steve Marsh

Meri Rogoff

Lola Watson

Stephanie Weaver Yankee

Amee Wood

Mark Zickel

Bill Ziefle



First Out Valet

Starting Bid \$200, Value: Priceless

Be the envy of the valet line! When the event wraps up, your car will be the very first to roll up. No waiting, no fuss - just an effortless, sunshine-smooth getaway.



Lunch with a Guest Artist

Starting Bid: \$300, Value: Priceless

Enjoy an unforgettable afternoon of great food and even greater conversation! You and a guest will share a private lunch with one of our season's celebrated guest artists. Get the inside scoop on their musical journey, backstage stories, and what inspires their artistry.



Your Very Own Personally Curated Ensemble

Starting Bid: \$350, Value: \$500 - \$1500

Bring the magic of live music to your own home! Work with our artistic team to select the perfect instrumental or vocal ensemble for your private event. Your guests will be treated to a personalized, unforgettable performance crafted just for you.



Curated Wine Collection in Honor of Robert Salisbury Two 6-Bottle Packages

Starting Bid: \$150 Value: \$250

Raise a glass to a legacy of generosity and good taste. This exclusive collection has been thoughtfully curated to honor the memory of patron Robert Salisbury, featuring a selection of exceptional wines to enjoy now - or cellar for a special occasion. A toast to great memories and exquisite flavor.



Music from the inside Out!

Starting Bid: \$200 Value: Priceless

Get closer than ever to the magic of music-making! Sit among the orchestra and chorus during a live rehearsal and experience the pure energy as the conductor and musicians bring a masterpiece to life. This rare insider's vantage point lets you see, hear, and feel every note from the very center of it all.

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**THANK
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Why Your Support Matters

Ticket revenue covers less than 20% of what it costs to produce high-quality symphonic and choral performances. Your generosity ensures we can • engage top guest artists • secure performance rights and quality scores • rehearse with excellence • bring music education and outreach to our community • present vibrant, professional concerts year after year.

How do your gifts sustain our mission?

- **Prestissimo (\$15,000):** Underwrite the entire season, supporting artistic planning, venue costs, and guest artists.
- **Brillante (\$10,000):** Shine as a lead concert co-sponsor with your name featured in marketing, programs, and live announcements.
- **Allegro (\$3,000):** Fuel the heart of our performances by funding core production costs such as rehearsals, accompaniment, and venue logistics.
- **Vivace / Presto (\$2,500):** Keep the music moving with support for music purchases, licensing, scores and part rentals, and preparation for both chorus and orchestra.
- **Maestoso (\$1,000):** Support specialized coaching, sectional rehearsals, and master classes.
- **Con brio (\$500):** Invest in essential needs: printing, concert programs, publicity, stage logistics.



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Goal: To double our \$26,500 matching gift challenge, contributing
to our 2025-2026 Annual Fund Goal of \$220,000.

Thanks to the generosity of several donors, we have at least \$26,500 in pledges for matching funds to launch our Annual Fund Campaign. That means every dollar you give will be matched dollar-for-dollar, doubling your support for our upcoming 2025-2026 season, "*Legends*." All gifts of any amount are welcome - ***no gift is too small***.

- I/we wish to make a contribution to the LJS&C 2025-2026 Annual Fund. A check for \$_____ is enclosed.
- I/we wish to sponsor a concert in the 2025-2026 Season in the amount of \$3,000. A check is enclosed.
- I/we wish to be contacted by phone to make a gift by credit card, or to set up a monthly gift amount.

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