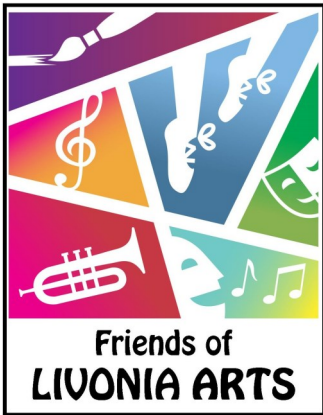




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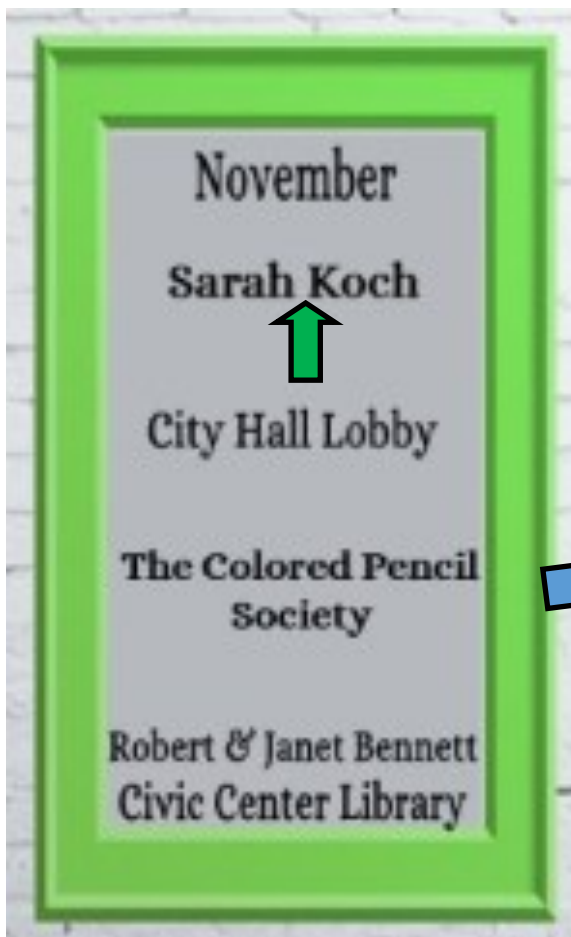
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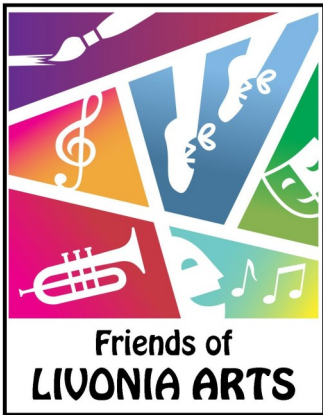


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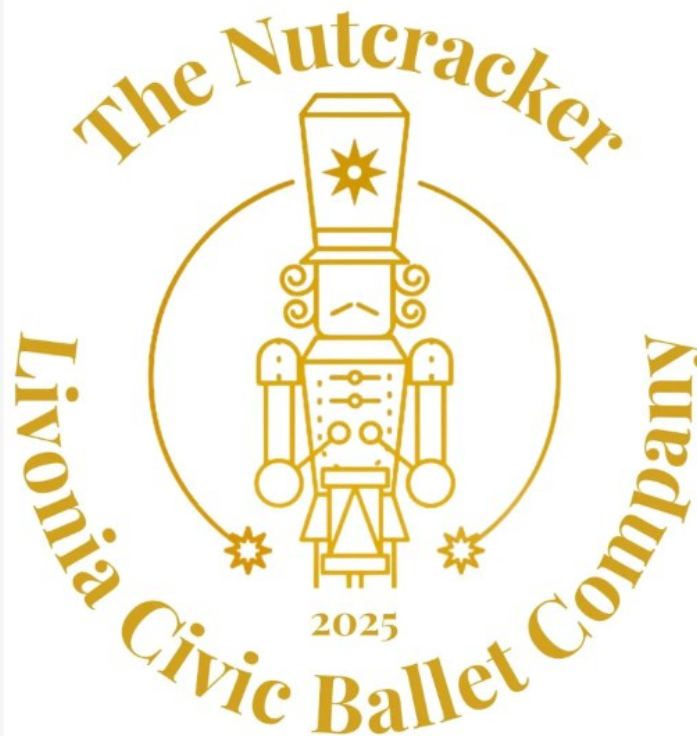


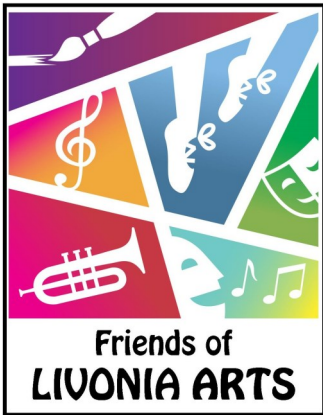
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Further Questions

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PREPARING FOR THE “NUTCRACKER” IN DECEMBER





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December 14, 2025 3 p.m.

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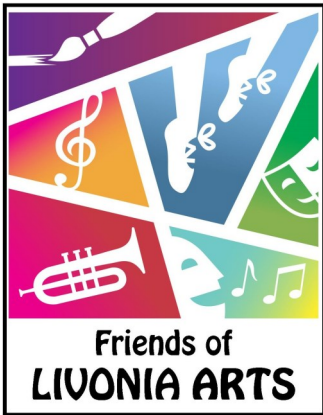
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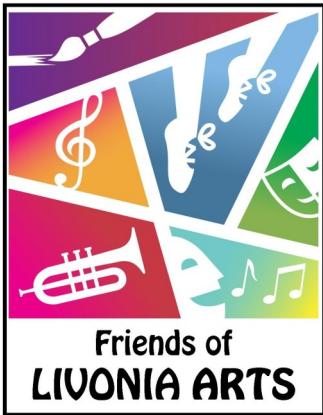
Email: livoniayouthchoir@gmail.com Website: www.livoniayouthchoir.org



Livonia Youth Choir winter concert

December 13, 2025 at 3:00 p.m.

Holy Trinity Lutheran Church in Livonia



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Sherlock and the Irregulars:

The Great Blackmail Case

Written and Directed by Michael Micheletti



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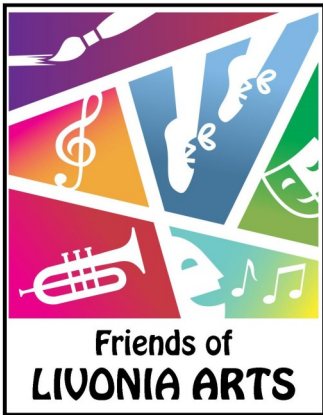
Triple M Adult Players & MCYT Kids

7 PM November 13, 14, 15, 21, 22

2 PM November 23

Tickets will be available at

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ALL IN THE TIMING

SIX ONE-ACT PLAYS

by David Ives

Presented by Special Arrangement with Dramatists Play Service

Friday, November 7th, at 7:30
Saturday, November 8th, at 7:30
Sunday, November 9th, at 2:00
Friday, November 14th, at 7:30
Saturday, November 15th, at 2:00

Rosedale Gardens Presbyterian Church

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Season
2025-2026



ALL IN THE TIMING

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November 7–9 and 15–16



THE WHITE ROSE

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for the 2025-2026 Season Speakers and Ticket Information

November 19, 2025

Colin Woodard

*"Blackbeard and the
Real Pirates of the Caribbean"*

Colin Woodard is a New York Times best-selling author, an award winning historian and a long time foreign correspondent. He will tell a tale of a single band of pirates from the early 18th century that shook the foundations of four empires. The story is so intriguing that it has gripped our popular imagination even today. It's a compelling story that makes people rethink their assumptions about the colonial era.

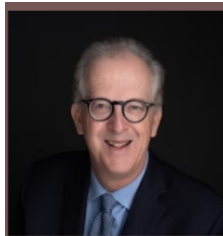


March 18, 2026

Louis Masur

*"America's Founding Father:
The Life of George Washington"*

Returning for a second engagement, Louis Masur is a Distinguished Professor of American Studies at Rutgers University. He is an engaging and informative cultural historian who focuses on distinct moments of history and seeks to unpack their meaning. The examination of George Washington will begin with an exploration of his life as a Virginian, military leader and first President. In America, Washington became a hero unlike any other.



April 15, 2026

Michael Minor

"An Unforgettable One Man Variety Show"

Michael Minor is an accomplished singer, actor and ventriloquist. He began his entertainment career in 1st grade, performing for friends and family. He is a versatile entertainer with a show that has something for everyone. As a singing ventriloquist he impersonates both old and young, think Louis Armstrong to Justin Timberlake. It is a one man variety show like you have never seen.





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LIVONIA SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

Website: livoniasymphony.org

2025-2026 Concerts & Events

All concerts begin at 4 p.m., at Clarenceville High School Schmidt Auditorium

- Saturday, Dec. 6, 2025 - **"Holiday Surprises" Concert**

Featuring traditional holiday music, holiday movie music, and more

- Saturday, Mar. 14, 2026 - **"Sensual Moods" Concert**

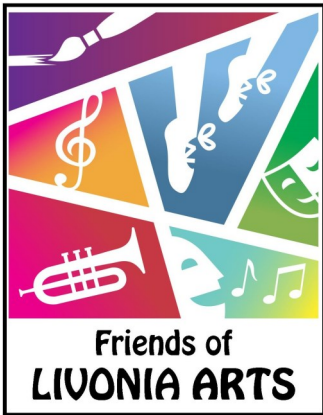
Featuring Schubert Symphony No. 8

Von Suppe Morning, Noon and Night, and more.

- Saturday, May 9, 2026 - **"Musical Landscapes" Concert**

Featuring Brahms, Debussy, Dvorak, and more.

Soloist Lisa Dills, LSO Principal Clarinetist



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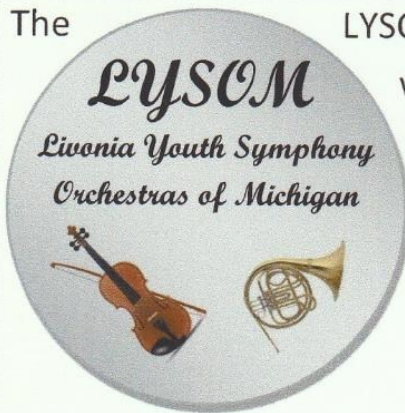
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LIVONIA YOUTH SYMPHONY OF MICHIGAN

<https://www.lysom.org> or landancer45@hotmail.com

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LYSOM is scheduling auditions for the next season which runs from September to May! We offer quality instruction by professional conductors for the following groups of all ages:

Beginner Strings

Simply Strings

Philharmonic (full Orchestra)

To schedule an audition, contact Karen Anleitner:

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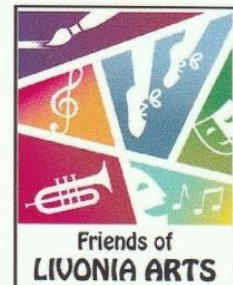
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◆ 2025 – 2026 Season ◆

Damon Coleman, cello
Michael Boyd, piano

November 12 at 12 p.m.

Michael Boyd is a Steinway artist who has performed with the Rochester Philharmonic Orchestra, the Milwaukee Symphony Orchestra, and at guest recitals across Europe and the United States, including Carnegie Hall. A professor of piano at the University of Toledo, Boyd holds both master's and doctoral degrees from the Eastman School of Music.

Cellist **Damon Coleman** began his cello studies through the Suzuki method in his hometown of Detroit, Michigan.

Damon has been the principal cellist of the Kalamazoo Symphony, the Memphis Opera, the Flint Symphony, and the Michigan Chamber Orchestra. He has served as a faculty member of the Miami School for the Arts, the Ann Arbor School for the Arts, the New England Music Camp.



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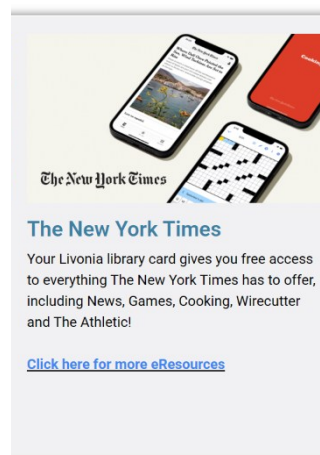


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Registration begins Oct. 29

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Registration begins Nov. 19

Wednesday, Dec. 3

[2:30-4 p.m.](#)

@ Bennett Civic Center:

LPL Art Studio: Swedish Dala Horse Ornament Painting

Registration begins Nov. 20

Thursday, Dec. 11

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