

Cannon Beach Chorus to hold spring concerts

CANNON BEACH and NEHALEM — The Cannon Beach Chorus will present its spring concert, “Then and Now,” twice this weekend.

The first concert will take place at 7 p.m. Saturday, May 7 at the Cannon Beach Community Church, located at 132 E. Washington St. in Cannon Beach.

The second concert will take place at 3 p.m. Sunday, May 8 at the North County Recreation District’s Performing Arts Center, located at 36155 Ninth Street in Nehalem.

The concert theme “Then and Now” will feature works

by time-honored composers and the musical settings of the same texts by Oregon native Morten Lauridsen.

Selections will include “O magnum mysterium” by Tomás Luis de Victoria (1548-1611) and the 1995 publication of “O magnum mysterium” by Lauridsen; “Ave Maria” by Serge Rachmaninoff and Lauridsen’s 1997 “Ave Maria”; “Ubi caritas” published in 1960 by Maurice Duruflé and the 2000 title of the same name by Lauridsen; “Sure on this shining night” by Samuel Barber and a second setting by Lauridsen.

The chorus will then present two spirituals: “Keep Your Lamps!” by Andre Thomas and “Wade in the Water” by Moses Hogan, which will feature baritone soloist Adam Schwend.

The program will end with three pieces of a lighter nature: “Praise His Holy Name!” by Keith Hampton, “Row, Row, Row” arranged by David Düsing, and “Paddlin’ Madelin’ Home” by Dave Grusin.

The musical director for the chorus is John Buehler, and the pianist is Susan Buehler. Schwend will conduct two of the pieces during the concert.

Tickets are \$10 for adults and free for students under 16. For more information, call 503-436-0378, or visit www.cannonbeachchorus.org

Harpist to perform on Mother’s Day

Hear Bronn Journey’s multi-genre harp concert in Raymond

RAYMOND, Wash. — Sunday Afternoon Live will present a Mother’s Day concert starring harpist extraordinaire Bronn Journey.

He plays everything: from symphonic-level classical to Broadway show tunes, folk and contemporary. A performer known for his humor, Journey leads his audiences through an exceptional auditory experience.

Encouraged by his Welsh mother to study harp and piano at an early age, Journey later obtained a degree from University of Washington in harp performance. Having recorded more than 20 albums, Journey has even performed



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Bronn Journey will perform May 8 in Raymond.

the national anthem at Seattle Seahawks and Seattle Sonics sporting events.

Journey will be accom-

panied by his wife, vocalist Katherine Journey, at the concert, which is set for 2 p.m. Sunday, May 8 at the Raymond Theatre, located at 323 Third St.

Tickets are \$15 at the door or \$12 in advance at the theater, at Sagen’s Pharmacy in Raymond, and at South Bend Pharmacy. Season tickets to SAL’s 2016-17 season will also be available: \$65 for all seven performances.

For more information, call 360-875-5207; for season ticket information, call 360-942-3749. The show is sponsored by Adella and Valerie Hougan, Ron and Pat Jones, and Mike Sullivan.

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White Bird Gallery employee Drea Frost, left, and gallery owner Allyn Cantor show off the new clay sculptures of artist Jacquiline Hurlbert. White Bird Gallery will hold a reception for all its artists at 5 p.m. Saturday, May 7 during the Spring Unveiling Arts Festival in Cannon Beach. Photo by Dwight Caswell

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