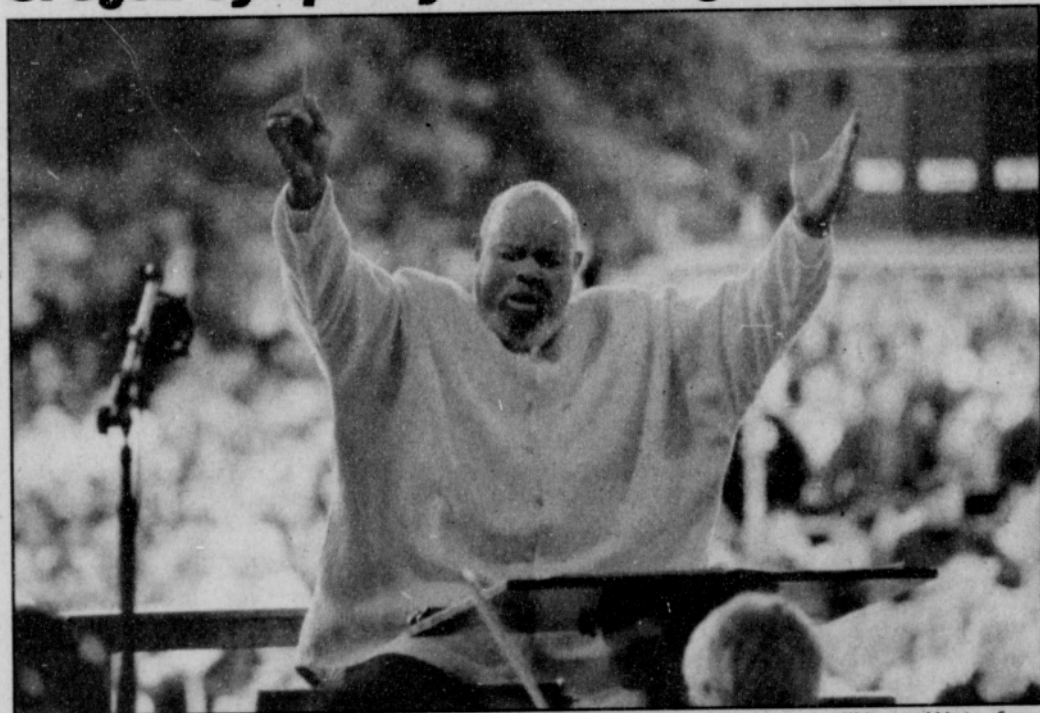


Oregon Symphony in the Neighborhoods



The final concert to benefit the neighborhoods by the Oregon Symphony will be at Waterfront Park on Thursday, Aug. 30 at 7 p.m. James DePriest will be conducting that evening.

Portland's neighborhood parks will be the summertime stage for three Oregon Symphony concerts during the sixth annual "Oregon Symphony in the Neighborhoods," a city-funded neighborhood revitalization projects incorporating local arts groups, community organizations and, this year, a used instrument drive for VH1 Save the Music.

Two events, which incorporate afternoon festivities with Symphony performances conducted by Resident Conductor Murry Sidlin, will be held at Kenton Park on Sunday, Aug. 26.

The traditional grand finale concert, featuring Music Director and Conductor James DePriest conducting Tchaikovsky's "1812 Overture," with

cannons and followed by fireworks, will be held at Tom McCall Waterfront Park on Thursday, Aug. 30, at 7 p.m. (rain date: Friday, Aug. 31). Other music includes Copeland's "Hoe Down" from "Rodeo," Bizet's "Carmen" Suite No. 1, along with selected movements from Mendelssohn's "Italian" Symphony, Mussorgsky's "Pictures at an Exhibition," arranged for orchestra by Ravel, and Tchaikovsky's "Swan Lake." The Portland Youth Philharmonic, conducted by Huw Edwards, will perform at 5 p.m.

All events are free to the public. As a rule, alcoholic beverages for personal consumption will be permitted during concerts only.

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KNOTT PARK

NE 112TH & SACRAMENTO, SUNDAY, AUGUST 19th

(Rain location: Parkrose High School Gym, 12003 NE Shaver, same date and time)

AFTERNOON EVENTS BEGIN AT 3:00 PM

Performances and art activities for all ages

OREGON SYMPHONY CONCERT AT 7:00 PM

Murry Sidlin, conductor

The orchestra will perform a selection of light classics and popular favorites.

Food and beverages available for purchase.

KENTON PARK

N BRANDON AVE. BETWEEN N. KILPATRICK & ARGYLE ST., SUN., AUG. 26th

(Rain location: Roosevelt High School, 6941 N Central, same date and time)

AFTERNOON EVENTS BEGIN AT 3:00 PM

Performances and art activities for all ages

OREGON SYMPHONY CONCERT AT 7:00 PM

Murry Sidlin, conductor

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TOM McCALL WATERFRONT PARK

BOWL AREA SOUTH OF HAWTHORNE BRIDGE; THURS., AUG. 30th

(Rain date: Friday, Aug. 31st)

Portland Youth Philharmonic, Huw Edwards, conductor, at 5:00 pm

OREGON SYMPHONY CONCERT AT 7:00 PM

James DePriest, conductor

The Oregon Symphony performs classical and popular works including

Tchaikovsky's 1812 Overture, complete with fireworks & cannons!

Food and beverages available for purchase

DONATE YOUR USED MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS: All of the Oregon Symphony in the Neighborhoods concert locations will serve as drop-sites for VH1 Save the Music. In partnership with AT&T Broadband and KINKfm102, the Symphony encourages donations of used band or orchestral instruments to be used in various school music programs in the Portland area. Tax receipts will be available.



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