

PARK RIDGE FINE ARTS SYMPHONY

Barbara Schubert, Music Director and Conductor

Summer 2019 Season - Concerts in the Park



All concerts begin at 8:00 pm in Hodges Park. Admission is FREE.

Friday, June 21 – The Heart of Europe – Park Ridge Fine Arts Symphony

The Park Ridge Fine Arts Symphony kicks off the Summer 2019 season with musical masterworks from the Heart of Europe: Mozart's sparkling Overture to *The Marriage of Figaro*, Dvořák's charming *Czech Suite*, and Beethoven's ever-popular and delightfully exuberant Symphony No. 7 in A Major.

Friday, June 28 – Patriotic Splendors – Park Ridge Fine Arts Symphony

Mark the upcoming Fourth of July holiday with an array of patriotic favorites, from Morton Gould's *American Salute* to Tchaikovsky's *1812 Overture*, performed by the Fine Arts Symphony. Works by John Williams, Jerome Kern, Richard Rodgers, and more add to the traditional celebration.

 <p>The Park Ridge Fine Arts Society Barbara Schubert & The Park Ridge Fine Arts Orchestra</p> <p>www.prcw.org</p>	<p>Join PRCW (Park Ridge Community Women) June 28 for an evening of wonderful music and our annual Gift Basket Raffle. <i>All proceeds benefit future PRFAS concerts.</i> Help PRCW make a difference!!!</p> 
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Friday, July 12 – Summer Dreams – Park Ridge Fine Arts Symphony

Celebrate the height of summer – and the Taste of Park Ridge – with lively and colorful orchestral selections performed by the Park Ridge Fine Arts Symphony. The program includes Hugo Alfven's *Midsommarvaka*, selections from Mendelssohn's *A Midsummer Night's Dream*, and Dvořák's beloved Symphony No. 8 in G Major.

Friday, July 19 – Hollywood Heroes – Park Ridge Fine Arts Symphony

To culminate the Park Ridge Fine Arts Symphony's 2019 season, the orchestra presents a showcase of Hollywood Heroes, featuring music by Elmer Bernstein, Klaus Badelt, Hans Zimmer, and (of course) John Williams. Indiana Jones, Batman, Superman, Wonder Woman, and more: you'll meet them all through the great film scores of modern Hollywood!

Friday, July 26 – Dance Band Hits through the Decades – Brian Patti Big Band

Always a favorite of Park Ridge audiences, the Brian Patti Big Band presents an evening of Dance Band Hits through the Decades – from the Swing Era to today! This lively program also includes a Salute to the great Aretha Franklin.