



Greeley Philharmonic Orchestra

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Greeley Philharmonic Announces Eclectic 2019-20 Concert Season

Greeley, CO – The Greeley Philharmonic Orchestra (GPO) announces its 109th concert season entitled *Frontiers: Discovering Land, Sea, Sky, Space, and Beyond*. Sponsored by UCHealth, the GPO is the region's premier professional orchestra committed to presenting the highest-quality live symphonic performances to Northern Colorado.

Frontiers will take audiences on a thrilling adventure to the coldest, darkest reaches of our oceans, explore the sounds of our galaxy, avoid the vicious appetites of dinosaurs, and everything in between.

“The GPO is blending classical masterpieces with modern popular music, from country western to film scores. There will be a musical selection for every audience member through our efforts to entertain, educate, and engage our concertgoers,” Nick Kenny, Executive Director, reports. “Our concerts are for everyone – come dressed up for a night out or relax in jeans and a t-shirt after a long week of work.”

Frontiers showcases two music director finalists, Mr. Adam Flatt and Mr. Scott O’Neil, who will each conduct two concerts during the 2019-20 concert season. Additional guest conductors include Mr. Nicholas Gilmore (Poinsettia Pops), Dr. Ken Singleton (Christmas Brass), and Dr. Galen Darrough (Boy Voyage: The Season Finale).

The GPO is thrilled to present a season that will showcase the talent of our musicians and special guest soloists, including world-class saxophonist Andrew Dahlke (Journey Through Land and Sky) and critically acclaimed singer Jim Curry (performing the music of John Denver).

Additional concerts include blockbuster film *Jurassic World* in Concert, a collaborative effort with the Union Colony Civic Center (UCCC) and *Shrek: The Musical*, a three-way collaboration between the GPO, Stampede Troupe, and UCCC.

The 2019-20 Season is generously sponsored by UCHealth, with additional support by Tower 56 Distilling and Ehrlich Toyota.

Information for season tickets and pricing may be found at www.greeleyphil.org or by calling 970-356-5000.

About the Greeley Philharmonic Orchestra

Founded in 1911, the GPO is the oldest continually operated professional orchestra west of the Mississippi River. The organization is dedicated to providing the highest degree of music and cultural enrichment in Northern Colorado. Education initiatives continue to engage and inspire youth, promoting an interest in classical music. All musicians have auditioned and been contracted by the GPO. Over 70% of the GPO's orchestra members hold a Master's Degree or higher, and many have made successful careers performing for the GPO and other professional orchestras throughout the Front Range and beyond.

Concerts feature repertoire spanning hundreds of years, showcasing composers from across the globe. The GPO is invested in the future of classical music and its relevance in its community, presenting annual Fifth Grade concerts, outreach to schools, side-by-side coaching sessions, and a Junior Ambassador program.

Season tickets to the 2019-20 concert season are on sale now at the UCCC Box Office, 970.356.5000. More information may be found at www.greeleyphil.org.

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