

# Howard County Concert Orchestra

Experience the universal language of music with the Howard County Concert Orchestra (HCCO)—Howard County's only professional orchestra! Enjoy our uniquely themed programs featuring some of the region's finest musical talent.

Formed to provide Howard County with a completely professional orchestra, The Howard County Concert Orchestra (HCCO) is dedicated to exceptional performances of classical music from the Baroque era to the 21<sup>st</sup> century.

This chamber orchestra is different from a symphony orchestra—composed of a smaller number of musicians, from as few as eight to as many as 45 professional musicians selected from a wealth of regional talent.

HCCO has the versatility to perform music written originally for smaller forces as well as music written for larger symphony orchestras, but with greater clarity, highlighting the unique sound of each instrument and bringing an intimacy and attention to detail not otherwise possible.

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## ORCHESTRA 2017-2018 SEASON



# MUSIC is the glue that binds us together as a community.

It is universal, accessible, reaches across all social and economic boundaries and is an indispensable part of our lives.

The mission of the Howard County Concert Orchestra, HCCO, is to offer everyone in our county and beyond an opportunity to learn about and experience great music played by Howard County's only professional orchestra.



The HCCO is the orchestra-in-residence at St. John's Episcopal Church.



### OCTOBER 5 • 6:30-9PM: OrchFest 2017

Our season fundraiser with heavy hors d'oeuvres, live music from the Edelweiss Band, silent auction, wine and beer  
At All Saints Hall, St. John's Parish Day School

### OCTOBER 29 • 4PM: Brahms vs. Tchaikovsky—The Battle of Two Musical Giants!

Collaboration of HCC and the HCCO with soloists Sheng-Tsung Wang & Benjamin Myers.  
Music of Brahms: Concerto for Violin & Cello in A minor, Op. 102 and Tchaikovsky: Serenade in C for Strings, Op. 48  
At Smith Theatre, Howard Community College. Single tickets for this concert only available through the HCC box office: call 443-518-1500 or go to [www.howardcc.edu/Visitors/horowitzcenter/boxoffice/index.html](http://www.howardcc.edu/Visitors/horowitzcenter/boxoffice/index.html).

### JANUARY 14, 2018 • 7PM: La Dolce Vita! The Sweet Life!

A celebration of Italy to usher in the New Year with music, dance, and video featuring the dancers from Dance Connections, Inc. and host Jonathan Palevsky, of WBJC. Music of Rossini, Paganini, Verdi, Mascagni, Puccini & others  
At First Evangelical Lutheran Church, Ellicott City

### APRIL 29, 2018 • 4PM: From Tragedy to Triumph!

Featuring the combined forces of the HCCO and the UMBC Camerata in Haydn's triumphant "Lord Nelson" Mass and Dvorák's "heart-on-sleeve" Serenade in E for Strings Bass, Karl Hempel. Soloists: Soprano, Dr. Lorriana Markovic; Mezzo-Soprano, Janice Jackson; Tenor, Dr. Joseph Regan

At UMBC Linehan Concert Hall



**TICKETS:** \$25 for adults; \$12 for students with ID, ages 18-24; FREE to 17 and under, accompanied by a paying adult; OrchFest Fundraiser \$60

**SEASON SUBSCRIPTION:** \$60 for adults; \$28 for students with ID, ages 18-24; FREE to 17 and under, accompanied by a paying adult. **SPECIAL:** When purchased with OrchFest ticket, get both for \$110!

To order tickets or season subscriptions, go to [www.hococo.org](http://www.hococo.org) or mail request to: Howard County Concert Orchestra, PO Box 1653, Ellicott City, MD 21042-1653

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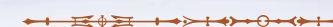
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