



Canadian Children's Opera Company
Ann Cooper Gay, Artistic & Executive Director

Auditions

for all choruses

Principal (ages 10-16) Youth (ages 16+)*
Butterfly (ages 3-4)** Apprentice (ages 7-8)
Ruby (ages 5-6) Intermediate (ages 9-10)

ages ranges are approximate - placement subject to audition results
*and boys with changed voices **Butterfly chorus is non-auditioned

2015-16 Season



featuring The Hobbit
by Dean Burry

photos: Michael Cooper - CCOC 2014 production

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Opera Cabaret

Selections from Broadway and Opera favourites

Canadian Youth Opera Chorus
& Principal Chorus

Ann Cooper Gay & Errol Gay, Music Directors
Amanda Smith, Stage Director
Adreana Braun, Music Coach & Pianist
Gergely Szokolay, Pianist

June 5, 2015

7:30pm

First Unitarian Congregation

175 St Clair Ave W (at Avenue Rd), Toronto, ON

\$25 adult; \$15 student/senior; \$5 child
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Principal Chorus

Zoie Bellas, Alexandra Bernstein, Geneva Bernstein, Saba Blyden-Taylor, Katarina Bojic, Charmaine Chang, Rachel Courante, Sylvia Dai, Sophie De Goey, Rea Dhillon, Annika Faric, Anna Farley, Ella Jonas Farlinger, Sophia Filip-Vicari, Arianna Forgione, Uma Ganguli, Alia Ginevra, Morgan Graves-Ward, Gabrielle Grieco, Darija Gulens-Taube, Perry Guloien, Sophie Habkirk, Carolyn Hao, Julianna Harsfai, Alana Hodgson, Diya Kittur, Alexa Laengert, Hanna Lemeneva-Wollesen, Laudomia Lo Greco, Makayla McManus-Leggett, Clara Moir, Kiran Nair, Nathan Niang, Beatrice Nusink, Mei Parkin, Frances Quilty, Riley Rose Raleza, Madelaine Ringo Stauble, Connor Ross, Felicity Rugard, Serene Sakhnini, Alice Shen, Elora Stothers-Robertson, Alexander Szokolay, Omneya Tollar, Veronica Tucci, Ezra Unger Brandt, Chiara Urban, Chloe Vaina, Maaik van Benthem, Claudia Winfield-Hicks, Nathalie Winfield-Hicks, Kaiya Winter, Yiling Yang

Youth Chorus

Mia Bojic, Sarah Boutros, Mara Bowman, Lauren Chang, Drae Clarke, Jakob De Abreu, Cassius Francis, Vanessa Gadoutsis, Gabriel Gough, William Graham, Claire Hamilton, Zoe Kertes, Kai Lee, Iori Lewis, Leah MacDonald, Adam Markle, David O'Neill, Georgia Perdikoulis, Rob Pereira, Dorian Pringle, Simon Scrutton, Julia Sebastien, Dave Vyas, David White, Tristan Winfield-Hicks

CCOC Artistic Staff

Ann Cooper Gay..... Executive Artistic Director
 Errol Gay Associate Music Director
 Emily Bird..... Ruby Chorus Conductor & Chorus Coordinator
 Adine Mintz Apprentice Chorus Conductor & Outreach Coordinator
 Benoit Boutet Drama Coach
 Gergely Szokolay..... Principal Chorus Accompanist
 Myna Denov Apprentice Chorus Accompanist

CCOC Administration and Production Staff

Ann Cooper Gay..... Executive Artistic Director
 Ken Hall..... General Manager
 Keith Wright Director of Development
 Diana Roach Administrative Assistant
 Mala Perera Bookkeeper

Volunteers

Special thanks to our volunteer coordinators Anne O'Neill and Suzy Wilcox, and to all our wonderful artistic, production and rehearsal parent volunteers who make possible the operation of the CCOC

Opera Cabaret

Principal and Youth Choruses

Musical Director – Errol Gay

Stage Director – Amanda Smith

Head Coach & Pianist – Adi Braun*

Conductor – Ann Cooper Gay

Piano – Errol Gay +, Gergely Szokolay # & Ann Cooper Gay^

Avec la garde montante (*Carmen*)..... Georges Bizet

Coaching Song (*The Little Sweep*)..... Benjamin Britten

Principal Chorus

Song for the Mira.....Allister MacGillivray (arr. S. Calvert)

With Ken Hall - flute

This Old Man.....trad. English (arr. R. Chilcott)

Finale from *Alice in Wonderland*.....Gay & Albano

Principal & Youth Choruses

❧ Intermission ❧

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Comedy Tonight – *A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Forum*.....Stephen Sondheim
The Company #+

L'hôtel - *Banalités* # Frances Poulenc
Smoke Gets in Your Eyes – *Roberta* + Kern & Harbach
Rob Pereira

Mr. Cellophane – *Chicago* * Kander & Ebb
Dave Vyas

How Are Things in Glocca Morra – *Finian's Rainbow* * Lane & Harburg
Sarah Boutros

Tuxedo Junction * Hawkins, Johnson, Dash, & Feynes
Dave White

Skylark * Lerner & Loewe
Ella Farlinger

I Can't Do It Alone - *Chicago* * Kander & Ebb
Vannessa Gadoutsis & Lauren Chang

Feelin' Good – *The Roar of the Greasepaint, the Smell of the Crowd* * Newley & Bricusse
David O'Neill

Steppin' Out with My Baby * Irving Berlin
Mara Bowman

My Romance – *Jumbo* + Rodgers & Hart
Zoie Bellas

The Girl from Ipanema * Jobim & Gimbel
Adam Markle

Take a Chance on Me * Andersson & Ulvaeus
Zoie Bellas, Leah MacDonald, Adam Markle, Zoe Kertes,
Simon Scrutton, Elora Stothers-Robertson, Dave Vyas

I've Grown Accustomed to His Face – *My Fair Lady* + Lerner & Loewe
Georgia Perdikoulis

A Sleepin' Bee - *House of Flowers* * Arlen & Capote
Claire Hamilton

The Impossible Dream – *Man of La Mancha* + Leigh & Darion
Iori Lewis

Losing My Mind – *Follies* *Stephen Sondheim
Julia Sebastian

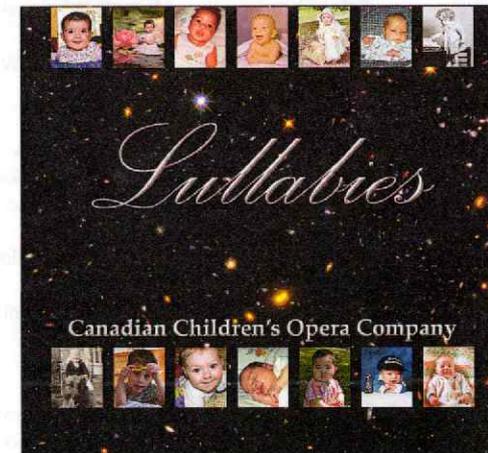
Many a New Day – *Oklahoma!* + Rodgers & Hammerstein
Sophie De Goey

O mio babbino caro – *Gianni Schicchi*^ Puccini & Forzano
Dorian Pringle

Non, je ne regrette rien* Dumont & Vaucaire
Hanna Lemeneva-Wollesen

Thanks for the Memory + Rainger & Robin
Emily Bird & Kai Lee

Brüderlein und Schwesterlein – *Die Fledermaus* J. Strauss Jr.; Haffner & Genée
The Company #



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