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Singers Announced for Member Party April 23

We are happy to let you know that our annual meeting and party will be graced with the singing of Tony Cruz, Clare Demer, and Ariana Iniguez, and the accompaniment of Kyungsun Choi.

The event will take place Sunday, April 23, from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. at the home of Board member Philippe Bodin. After a very brief meeting to elect our second and third vice-presidents and recording secretary, our singers (all winners of our *Quest for the Best* competition) will perform, and then there will be delicious appetizers, drinks, and desserts. The address is: 5631 N Campbell, 85718. Map The Membership party is free, and open to all members and their guests.



There's More in May!

Who says the Tucson opera season ends in April??! Below are May events to delight local opera lovers.

May 2: UA Opera Theater: An Evening of Opera Scenes Crowder Hall, 7:30 p.m., \$5.00

The scenes are directed by Kristin Dauphinais, with Bonnie Bird at the piano. There are two student conductors -- Jamey Wright, and Brian McNiff.

La boheme (Puccini) Mimi - Taylor Trolia-Giron Rodolfo - Brian McNiff

Die Entführung aus dem Serail (Mozart) Blondchen - Kristen Lucas Osmin - Jordan Murillo

L'incoronazione di Poppea (Monteverdi) Nero - Matthew Alexander Poppea - Emily Garcia

May 4 & 9: PCC Showcase Center for the Arts, 3:15 p.m.

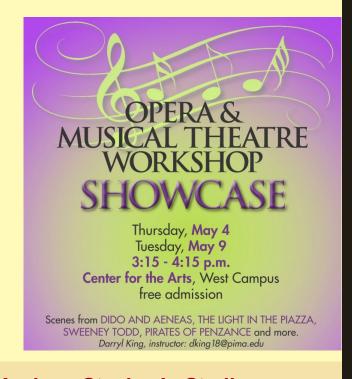
Pima Community College's Opera and Musical Theater Workshop presents scenes from *Dido and Aeneas*, *The Light in the Piazza*, *Sweeney Todd*, and *The Pirates of Penzance*. Dr. Darryl King directs; admission is free.

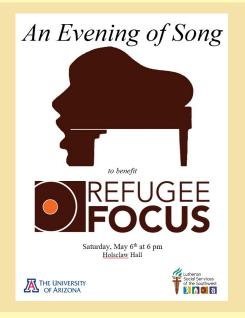
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Orpheus in the Underworld (Offenbach) Orpheus - Sebastian Alameda Eurydice - Megan Loehr

Riders to the Sea (Vaughn Williams)
Maurya - Jennifer Visconti
Nora - Anisa Jimenez
Cathleen - Frannie Barrows

Don Pasquale (Donizetti)
Don Pasquale - Simon Faddeul
Dr. Malatesta - Juan Flores
Norina - Brianna Barnhart





May 6: Dr. Andrew Stuckey's Studio Benefit Concert; Holsclaw Hall, 6:00 p.m.

Dr. Stuckey's students present an evening of song to benefit Refugee Focus, a local charity.

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May 7: UA Singers' Club

Aria Auction Delectables, 33 N 4th Ave., 3:00 p.m.

The UA Singers' Club invites all Opera Guild members and the general public to an aria auction, with both students and faculty members singing for your pleasure. Admission is free and donations are welcomed. Proceeds will go toward future masterclasses for students of the UA's Fred Fox School of Music.

Food and drink are available for purchase. A Meet & Greet starts at 3:00 p.m. The music starts at 3:30. Dr. Andrew Stuckey is faculty adviser.

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The University of Arizona Singers Club

The 1st Annual

Aria Auction



Sunday, May 7th, 2017 at Delectables 33 N. 4th Ave (Off the 4th Ave./6th St. Sun Links Streetcar Exit)

Meet and Greet begins at 3:00pm Music begins at 3:30pm

food and drinks for purchase

Free Admission—Donations greatly appreciated

May 13: Opera League Spring Luncheon and Annual Meeting Hacienda del Sol Resort, Casa Luna Room 11:00 a.m.

The Arizona Opera League of Tucson, whose efforts benefit the Arizona Opera Company, holds its Spring Luncheon and annual Meeting at Hacienda del Sol Resort. Joseph Spector, General Director of the opera company, will present a sneak preview of next season's productions. Per person cost is \$40. Please call 327-7983 for more details.

Metropolitan Opera Live in HD Transmissions

- Saturday, April 22 Met Live in HD: Eugene Onegin (Tchaikovsky)
- Saturday, May 13 Met Live in HD: Der Rosenkavalier (R. Strauss)

Please note that Met HD presentations are generally repeated on the following Wednesday. Find your theater to check times, prices, etc.

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