

24-25 Rehearsal and Concert Schedule – 5 Programs; 10 Concerts

24-25 Season Schedule

08/09/2024 – Fundraiser – DPO x Colorado Rockies – National Anthem
09/07/2024 – Fundraiser – Oktoberfest
09/20-21/2024 – Program 1 – Reflect, Renew, Reimagine
10/25-26/2024 – Program 2 – Fright Night
12/13-14/2024 – Program 3 – Holiday Cheer!
02/14-15/2025 – Program 4 – Happily Ever After
03/29/2025 – Fundraiser – Back to the Orchestra – Spring Gala
05/02-03/2025 – Program 5 – RETROspective

Additional performance opportunities are being put together for Christkindl Market, Museum of Outdoor Arts, Downtown Denver Partnership, and more. Dates will be provided at a later time.

Mapleton Arts Center

The Mapleton Arts Center (MAC) is a new, state-of-the-art 45,000-square-foot facility at Mapleton Public Schools that supports performing arts students across the district. The MAC has separate classrooms for each program, and a 900-seat auditorium for performances and large district events. The MAC also includes a Black Box theater, dance studio, and music rooms that often serve as classrooms.

The MAC is 8 miles from Central Presbyterian Church, located in north Denver at 7480 N. Broadway, Denver, CO 80221, which is at the intersection of I-25, I-270, and Hwy 36. RTD Bus 8 services the area, however, driving and carpooling is encouraged. Parking is free in the school parking lot, and security will be on-site. Rehearsals will occur in the Orchestra Room, a practice facility that includes recording equipment, chairs, stands, percussion, and more. We will be provided the ability to bring any necessary instruments as needed for rehearsals. We will utilize the MAC's equipment for rehearsals and DPO equipment for performances, such as chairs and instruments. Additionally, multiple rooms will be available for sectionals.

More information and an FAQ is provided at the end of the document regarding The MAC.

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DPO Rehearsal Schedule

Program 1 – Reflect, Renew, Reimagine- *Celebrating underrepresented composers on World Peace Day*

| | Date | Rehearsal Type | Location | Room Needs | Notes |
|--------|-----------------------|--------------------|----------|--|-------------------------------|
| Week 1 | Mon, Aug 19 | Full Rehearsal | MAC | Orchestra Room | Conductor Applicant 1 & Asst. |
| Week 2 | Mon, Aug 26 | String Sectional | MAC | 5 Breakout Spaces: V1, V2, Vla, Ce, DbIB | Self-led |
| Week 3 | Wed, Sept 4 | Full or Sectionals | MAC | Orchestra Room | Assistant & Associate |
| Week 4 | Mon, Sept 9 | Full | MAC | Orchestra Room | Conductor Applicant 1 |
| Week 5 | Mon, Sept 16 | Full | MAC | Orchestra Room | Conductor Applicant 1 |
| Week 5 | Wed, Sept 18 | Dress | MAC | Orchestra Room/Stage | Conductor Applicant 1 |
| Week 5 | Fri, Sept 20 – 7:30PM | Concert | MAC/CPC | Stage | Conductor Applicant 1 |
| Week 5 | Sat, Sept 21 – TBD | Concert | DPAC | Outdoor – Sculpture Park | Conductor Applicant 1 |

Program 2 – Fright Night- *Night of the Living Dead (Composers)*

| | Date | Rehearsal Type | Location | Room Needs | Notes |
|--------|-------------------------|--------------------|----------|--|-------------------------------|
| Week 1 | Mon, Sept 30 | Full Rehearsal | MAC | Orchestra Room | Conductor Applicant 2 & Asst. |
| Week 1 | Wed, Oct 2 | String Sectional | MAC | 5 Breakout Spaces: V1, V2, Vla, Ce, DbIB | Self-led |
| Week 2 | Mon, Oct 7 | Full or Sectionals | MAC | Orchestra Room | Assistant & Associate |
| Week 3 | Mon, Oct 14 | Full | MAC | Orchestra Room | Conductor Applicant 2 |
| Week 4 | Mon, Oct 21 | Full | MAC | Orchestra Room | Conductor Applicant 2 |
| Week 4 | Wed, Oct 23 | Dress | CPC | Stage | Conductor Applicant 2 |
| Week 4 | Fri Eve Oct 25 – 7:30PM | Concert | CPC | Stage | Conductor Applicant 2 |
| Week 4 | Sat Mat Oct 26– 3:00PM | Concert | MAC | Stage | Conductor Applicant 2 |

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Program 3 – Holiday Cheer! – *Here comes Santa Claus*

| | Date | Rehearsal Type | Location | Room Needs | Notes |
|--------|-------------------------|--------------------|----------|--|-------------------------------|
| Week 1 | Mon, Nov 4 | Full Rehearsal | MAC | Orchestra Room | Conductor Applicant 3 & Asst. |
| Week 2 | Mon, Nov 11 | String Sectional | MAC | 5 Breakout Spaces: V1, V2, V1a, Ce, DbIB | Self-led |
| Week 3 | Mon, Nov 18 | Full or Sectionals | MAC | Orchestra Room | Assistant & Associate |
| Week 4 | Mon, Nov 25 | Full | MAC | Orchestra Room | Conductor Applicant 3 |
| Week 5 | Mon, Dec 2 | Full | MAC | Orchestra Room | Conductor Applicant 3 |
| Week 6 | Mon, Dec 9 | Dress | CPC | Stage | Conductor Applicant 3 |
| Week 6 | Fri Eve Dec 13 – 7:30PM | Concert | CPC | Stage | Conductor Applicant 3 |
| Week 6 | Sat Mat Dec 14– 3:00PM | Concert | MAC | Stage | Conductor Applicant 3 |

Program 4 – Happily Ever After – *Love is in the air*

| | Date | Rehearsal Type | Location | Room Needs | Notes |
|--------|-------------------------|--------------------|----------|--|-----------------------|
| Week 1 | Mon, Jan 13 | Full Rehearsal | MAC | Orchestra Room | Assistant Conductor |
| Week 2 | Wed, Jan 22 | String Sectional | MAC | 5 Breakout Spaces: V1, V2, V1a, Ce, DbIB | Self-led |
| Week 3 | Mon, Jan 27 | Full or Sectionals | MAC | Orchestra Room | Assistant & Associate |
| Week 4 | Mon, Feb 3 | Full | MAC | Orchestra Room | Golan & Guest(s) |
| Week 5 | Mon, Feb 10 | Full | MAC | Orchestra Room | Golan & Guest(s) |
| Week 5 | Tues, Feb 11 | Strings | MAC | Orchestra Room | Golan & Guest(s) |
| Week 5 | Wed, Feb 12 | Full | MAC | Orchestra Room | Golan & Guest(s) |
| Week 5 | Thurs, Feb 12 | Strings | MAC | Orchestra Room | Golan & Guest(s) |
| Week 5 | Fri, Feb 14 | Dress | CPC | Stage | Golan & Guest(s) |
| Week 5 | Sat Eve Feb 15 – 7:30PM | Concert | CPC | Stage | Golan & Guest(s) |
| Week 6 | Sun Mat Feb 16– 3:00PM | Concert | MAC | Stage | Golan & Guest(s) |

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Program 5 – RETROspective – *Denver Phil's Eras Tour*

| | Date | Rehearsal Type | Location | Room Needs | Notes |
|--------|---------------------|--------------------|----------|--|----------------------------|
| Week 1 | Mon, Mar 24 | Full Rehearsal | MAC | Orchestra Room | New Music Director & Asst. |
| Week 2 | Mon, Mar 31 | String Sectional | MAC | 5 Breakout Spaces: V1, V2, Vla, Ce, DbIB | Self-led |
| Week 3 | Mon, Apr 7 | Full or Sectionals | MAC | Orchestra Room | Assistant & Associate |
| Week 4 | Mon, Apr 14 | Full | MAC | Orchestra Room | New Music Director |
| Week 5 | Mon, Apr 21 | Full | MAC | Orchestra Room | New Music Director |
| Week 6 | Wed, Apr 30 | Dress | CPC | Stage | New Music Director |
| Week 6 | Fri, May 2 – 7:30PM | Concert | CPC | Stage | New Music Director |
| Week 6 | Sat, May 3 – 3:00PM | Concert | MAC | Stage | New Music Director |

THE MAC FAQ

Location Logistics:

1. **How far is the new venue from our current location?**
 - The new venue, Mapleton Arts Center (MAC), is located approximately 8 miles from Central Presbyterian Church at 7480 N. Broadway, Denver, CO 80221
2. **What is the address of the new venue?**
 - The specific address of the MAC is 7480 N. Broadway, Denver, CO 80221
3. **What are the transportation options available to get to the new venue?**
 - Transportation options include driving, carpooling (encouraged), and public transit via RTD Bus 8.
4. **Is there parking available at the new venue? If so, is it free?**
 - Free parking is available in the school parking lot at the MAC, with on-site security.
5. **Are there any public transportation routes that lead to the new venue?**
 - RTD Bus 8 services the area, providing public transit options for attendees and musicians, however, driving and carpooling is encouraged.

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Facility Information:

6. What are the facilities like at the new venue?

- The MAC boasts modern facilities, including separate classrooms for each program, a 900-seat auditorium, a Black Box theater, a dance studio, and music rooms.

7. How large is the auditorium where we'll be performing?

- The auditorium at the MAC accommodates 900 seats, providing ample space for performances and large district events.

8. Are there separate rehearsal spaces available for sections of the orchestra?

- Yes, there are multiple rooms available for sectionals, ensuring efficient rehearsal sessions. Utilization of these rooms will come at an increased rental rate, which we will need to be mindful of moving forward.

9. What equipment and instruments are provided at the new venue, and what do we need to bring ourselves?

- The MAC provides chairs, stands, percussion, and other necessary equipment for rehearsals. The spaces are well lit, and stand lights will not be necessary. Musicians should bring any additional instruments they require.

Performance Setup:

10. How will the stage be set up for our performances?

- Expect the stage setup to closely resemble that of performances at Central Presbyterian Church. If anything, performers may have even more room to maneuver and perform comfortably.

11. Will there be adequate seating for the audience?

- Yes, the 900-seat auditorium ensures ample seating for the audience during performances. There will also be an increase of accessible seating locations for individuals utilizing mobility devices.

12. Will there be sufficient lighting and sound equipment for our performances?

- Yes. The MAC is a new, state-of-the-art facility with lighting and sound equipment.

Security and Safety:

14. What security measures are in place at the new venue?

- On-site security will be provided at the MAC to ensure the safety of participants and attendees.

15. Is there a designated area for storing our instruments and personal belongings during performances?

- A green room will be provided for each performance where orchestra members may store their belongings.

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Accessibility and Amenities:

17. Is the new venue accessible for individuals with disabilities?

- Absolutely. The Mapleton Arts Center (MAC) is a state-of-the-art facility built in 2021, adhering to the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) guidelines. It features elevators, ramps, seating with removable arms, locations for individuals with mobility devices, and all necessary accommodations to ensure accessibility for individuals with disabilities.

18. Are there restroom facilities available nearby?

- Yes, restroom facilities are readily available within the Mapleton Arts Center (MAC).