An Afternoon of Music and Conversation

with

Phillip Evans, piano

3:00 p.m. Sunday, December 5, 1999

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PROGRAM

**Intermezzo** in Eb minor, op. 118 no. 6 ............................................... Johannes BRAHMS
**Intermezzo** in Bb major, op. 76 no. 4 .................................................. Johannes BRAHMS
**Intermezzo** in Eb major, op. 117 no. 2 ............................................... Johannes BRAHMS
**Capriccio** in B minor, op. 79 no. 1 ............................................... Johannes BRAHMS

**Intermezzo** in C major, op. 119 no. 3 ............................................... Johannes BRAHMS
**Intermezzo** in B minor, op. 119 no. 1 ............................................... Johannes BRAHMS
**Intermezzo** in A major, op. 118 no. 2 ............................................... Johannes BRAHMS
**Capriccio** in C# minor, op. 76 no. 5 ............................................... Johannes BRAHMS

**INTERMISSION**

**Waltz**, op. 64 no. 2 ......................................................................... Frederic CHOPIN
**Minute Waltz**, op. 64 no. 1 ........................................................... Frederic CHOPIN
**Waltz** in C# minor, op. 64 no. 2 ...................................................... Frederic CHOPIN
**Waltz** in E minor, op. posth. ............................................................ Frederic CHOPIN

**Fantasy Impromptu** ................................................................. Frederic CHOPIN
**Scherzo** in Bb minor, op. 31 ........................................................... Frederic CHOPIN
Phillip Evans  Piano

Phillip Evans has enjoyed a long and distinguished career as a Pianist, teacher and composer. He is a music critic for the influential South Florida Sun-Sentinel.

His piano recitals have taken him to Europe, Asia and throughout the Americas. He has received many prestigious awards, including two Rockefeller Foundation grants, top placement in the Naumburg Piano Competition, the Loeb award as “the outstanding graduate” of his class at Juilliard, and has represented his country as Artistic Ambassador. The office of the Vice-President of the United States described him as “the best this country has to offer,” and The New York Times has written as follows: “Mr. Evans can be ranked among our major pianists ...outstanding ... drove straight for the heart of each piece with intensity and conviction ... in a word, masterful.”

His series of Bartok recordings (Gasparo) have received outstanding reviews: “...played both sonatas with searching insight, in total triumph over their technical difficulties.” (The New York Times)

He has taught at the Juilliard and Manhattan School of Music and given master classes throughout the world. He is presently on the faculty of the Harid Conservatory School of Music at Lynn University in Boca Raton. Many of his students have distinguished careers, and have performed with the New York, Philadelphia, San Francisco, Chicago, Houston, St. Louis, and Minneapolis Orchestras, among others. His students also have excelled in international piano competitions. Their awards include: Grand Prize, Gina Bachauer; winner of the United States Artistic Ambassador Auditions; highest ranking American prize winner, Tchaikovsky Competition in Moscow; top prize in the Leeds and Queen Elizabeth Competitions.

Mr. Evans and his wife, piano professor and Dean of the Harid Conservatory, make their home in Palm Beach County and often play duo - piano recitals together.

The Harid Guild Presents:
HARID HOLIDAY HAPPENING
an elegant evening of music & dance

The Harid Philharmonia
Arthur Weisberg, conductor

The Harid Conservatory
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Saturday February 5, 6:00 p.m.
At the Lynn University Green Center
$150 per person
Proceeds benefit the Conservatory.
DECEMBER EVENTS

8 Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.
An Evening of Music & Conversation
"Brahms: The Classic Romantic"
Phillip Evans, piano
A survey of the incredibly rich world of Brahms' solo piano works. Evans will be joined by Roberta Rust for some of Brahms' delightful piano duets.
At Harid $10

10 Friday, 7:30 p.m.
The Harid Philharmonia
Arthur Weisberg, conductor
Sergiu Schwartz, violin
Bizet L'Arlesienne Suite    Mendelssohn Violin Concerto
Beethoven Symphony No. 6 "Pastorale"
At Spanish River Church $18 VIP: $50

13 Monday, 7:30 p.m.
Studio Series
From the Studio of Stephen Rawlins
Stephen Rawlins and his trombone students perform festive, traditional, and popular holiday music.
At Harid $15

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14 Tuesday
The Harid Philharmonia
Arthur Weisberg, conductor
The Harid Conservatory Dance Division Students
Enjoy a rare treat as some of your favorite musicians and dancers perform at one of Boca Raton's treasures.
At Boca Raton Resort and Club $100 (students: $25)

Also Upcoming

JANUARY 29 Saturday, 2:00 p.m.
Concerto Competition Final Round
(Sponsored by Dr. Elizabeth Force)
Winners perform with The Harid Philharmonia on March 24.
At Harid $18

FEBRUARY 12 Saturday, 7:30 p.m.
The Harid Philharmonia
Arthur Weisberg, conductor
Roberta Rust & Phillip Evans, duo-pianists
Mendelssohn Overture to Ruy Blas
Poulenc Concerto for 2 Pianos and Orchestra
Bartok Concerto for Orchestra
At Olympic Heights $18