



**BOULDER
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ORCHESTRA**

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Boulder Philharmonic Orchestra Presents *Cirque de la Symphonie*, April 2, 2016

The Boulder Philharmonic continues its 2015-16 season, *Reflections: The Spirit of Boulder*, with the dazzling *Cirque de la Symphonie* on Saturday, April 2, with a matinee and evening concert at CU's Macky Auditorium.

The magic of the circus returns with fresh, new acts by aerial fliers, strongmen, acrobats, jugglers, and contortionists sharing the stage with the Boulder Phil. This was an extremely popular, sold-out event when *Cirque de la Symphonie* came to Boulder in both 2010 and 2013. Adults and children alike greatly enjoy this visual entertainment extravaganza featuring high-energy classical music.

"The amazing artists of *Cirque de la Symphonie* add a dimension to the concert experience that thrills newcomers and seasoned concert-goers alike," said Music Director Michael Buttermann. "Some of the best-known and best-loved music in the repertoire is brought to life in unforgettable fashion for an experience that you simply have to see to believe. This return engagement will feature all-new repertoire and performers, as well as our first Saturday matinee at Macky."

Boulder Philharmonic Orchestra Concert: *Cirque de la Symphonie*

Saturday, April 2, 2016—2:00 p.m., Macky Auditorium, CU-Boulder

Saturday, April 2, 2016—7:30 p.m., Macky Auditorium, CU-Boulder

At 6:30 p.m. prior to the evening performance, Michael Buttermann will publicly unveil the Boulder Phil's 2016-2017 season; free to all ticket holders.

Program

SIBELIUS—*Finlandia* (Orchestra Only)

BIZET—Carmen: Suite No. 2, *Danse Boheme* (Gypsy Song, Act II) (Vladimir Tsarkov—Juggling)

DE FALLA—Spanish Dance from *La Vida Breve* (Ekaterina Borzikova—Hand Balance)

RESPIGHI-ROSSINI—*Tarantella* from *La boutique fantasque* (Aleksandr Deev—Spinning Cube)

BERNSTEIN—*Candide* Overture (Orchestra Only)

TCHAIKOVSKY—*Danse des petits cygnes* from *Swan Lake* (Vladimir & Elena Tsarkov—Magic Jacket)

WILLIAMS—*Flight to Neverland* from *Hook* (Vitalii Buza—Aerial Straps)

BARROSO/WASSON—*Brazil* (Vladimir & Elena Tsarkov—Quick Change)

DVOŘÁK—Slavonic Dance in G Minor, Op. 46, No. 8 (Orchestra Only)

KABALEVSKY—*Comedian's Galop* (Vladimir Tsarkov—Electric Juggler)

RIMSKY-KORSAKOV—*Danse des Bouffons* from *The Snow Maiden* (Aleksandr Deev—Cyr Wheel)

GLIERE—*Russian Sailor's Dance* from *The Red Poppy* (Orchestra Only)

TCHAIKOVSKY—Valse from *Swan Lake* (Vitalii Buza & Ekaterina Borzikova—Aerial Duo)

STRAVINSKY—*The Firebird Suite* (Acro Duo—Strongmen)

BIZET—Carmen Suite No. 1, *Les Toreadors*

Tickets: \$15-\$82 at www.BoulderPhil.org and 303-449-1343.

Student/children tickets are available for \$15-\$25, depending on the section. Please call 303-449-1343 to purchase.

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