

HOLLYWOOD BOWL 2021 SEASON

Chronological Listing of Events

MAY 2021

SPECIAL EVENT (FREE CONCERT FOR FRONT LINE WORKERS)	Saturday, May 15, 8PM Dudamel and the LA Phil Return to the Bowl Los Angeles Philharmonic Gustavo Dudamel, conductor Jessie MONTGOMERY <i>Starburst</i> BARBER <i>Adagio for Strings</i> BEETHOVEN <i>Symphony No. 3, "Eroica"</i> Dudamel leads the LA Phil to re-launch live music at the Bowl.
SPECIAL EVENT (FREE CONCERT FOR FRONT LINE WORKERS)	Monday, May 17, 7:30PM <i>P!nk: All I Know So Far</i> An early screening for the new documentary that offers a behind-the-scenes look at P!NK as she balances family life and life on the road.

SPECIAL EVENT (FREE CONCERT FOR FRONT LINE WORKERS)	Saturday, May 22, 8PM Tchaikovsky and Prokofiev with Dudamel Los Angeles Philharmonic Gustavo Dudamel, conductor Gabriella Reyes, soprano PROKOFIEV Symphony No. 1, "Classical" VILLA-LOBOS <i>Bachianas Brasileiras</i> No. 5 TCHAIKOVSKY Serenade for Strings Dudamel brings out the best of classic favorites from Russia and Brazil as we celebrate our historic return to the Bowl.

JUNE 2021

SPECIAL EVENT (FREE CONCERT FOR FRONT LINE WORKERS)	Saturday, June 12, 8PM Thundercat Flying Lotus A pair of Grammy-winning futurists from the LA jazz and beat scenes help re-open the Bowl.
SPECIAL EVENT (FREE CONCERT FOR FRONT LINE WORKERS)	Saturday, June 26, 8PM La Santa Cecilia The Grammy-winning Angelenos highlight the range of sounds made by a very diverse city.

JULY 2021

JULY 4TH FIREWORKS SPECTACULAR *Fireworks* (Non-subscription)	Saturday, July 3, 7:30PM Sunday, July 4, 7:30PM July 4th Fireworks Spectacular Kool & the Gang Hollywood Bowl Orchestra Thomas Wilkins, conductor It's a celebration!
THURSDAY CLASSICS	Thursday, July 15, 8PM <i>Peter and the Wolf</i> with Viola Davis & Dudamel Los Angeles Philharmonic Gustavo Dudamel, conductor Viola Davis, narrator PROKOFIEV <i>Symphony No. 1, "Classical"</i> BONDS <i>Selections from Montgomery Variations</i> ELLINGTON (arr. BLANCHARD) <i>Three Black Kings: MLK Jr.</i> PROKOFIEV <i>Peter and the Wolf</i>
WEEKEND SPECTACULARS	Friday, July 16, 8PM Saturday, July 17, 8PM Christina Aguilera Los Angeles Philharmonic Gustavo Dudamel, conductor
KCRW'S WORLD FESTIVAL	Sunday, July 18, 7PM Kamasi Washington Earl Sweatshirt Anne Litt, host Kamasi Washington brings ambitious scale to bear on jazz history, and Earl Sweatshirt gets personal.

TUESDAY CLASSICS	Tuesday, July 20, 8PM Tianyi Lu Conducts <i>Pictures at an Exhibition</i> Los Angeles Philharmonic Tianyi Lu, conductor Alison Balsom, trumpet Ricardo MOLLA <i>Fanfare for a New Beginning</i> (world premiere, dedicated to LA Phil Brass/Percussion) Thea MUSGRAVE Trumpet Concerto (U.S. Premiere, LA Phil commission) MUSSORGSKY <i>Pictures at an Exhibition</i> Mussorgsky's epic <i>Pictures</i> tops this brass-focused program, which includes brilliant British trumpeter Alison Balsom.
THURSDAY CLASSICS	Thursday, July 22, 8PM Rachmaninoff and Tchaikovsky Los Angeles Philharmonic Enluis Montes Olivar, conductor Lukáš Vondráček, piano CASTELLANOS <i>Santa Cruz de Pagairigua</i> RACHMANINOFF Piano Concerto No. 2 TCHAIKOVSKY Symphony No. 2, "Little Russian" The exuberant Enluis Montes Olivar brings music by two beloved Russian composers to life.
JAZZ PLUS	Saturday, July 24, 8PM Ledisi Sings Nina Simone Los Angeles Philharmonic Thomas Wilkins, conductor The Grammy®-winning singer pays tribute to a titan of 20th-century music.

TUESDAY CLASSICS	Tuesday, July 27, 8PM Mozart and Mendelssohn with Ruth Reinhardt Los Angeles Philharmonic Ruth Reinhardt, conductor Eric Lu, piano MENDELSSOHN <i>The Hebrides</i> MOZART Piano Concerto No. 20 in D minor, K 466 MENDELSSOHN Symphony No. 4, "Italian" Classics by Mendelssohn, plus one of Mozart's most dramatic piano concertos.
SUNDAY SUNSET CONCERTS	Friday, July 30, 8PM Cynthia Erivo Los Angeles Philharmonic Thomas Wilkins, conductor The incomparable vocalist and actor brings her powerful voice to the Bowl stage.
NON-SUBSCRIPTION	Saturday, July 31, 8PM <i>The Princess Bride</i> in Concert Los Angeles Philharmonic David Newman, conductor Introduced by Rob Reiner Missing this cinematic experience would be <i>inconceivable!</i> <i>Princess Bride Ltd. All Rights Reserved.</i>

AUGUST 2021

KCRW'S WORLD FESTIVAL	Sunday, August 1, 7PM Reggae Night XIX Ziggy Marley Wailing Souls Travis Holcombe, host Ziggy Marley and Wailing Souls turn the Bowl green, gold and red for Reggae Night.
THURSDAY CLASSICS	Thursday, August 5, 8PM Gemma New Leads Schumann Los Angeles Philharmonic Gemma New, conductor Behzod Abduraimov, piano Sarah GIBSON <i>warp and weft</i> BEETHOVEN Piano Concerto No. 1 in C major, Op. 15 R. SCHUMANN Symphony No. 3, "Rhenish" Behzod Abduraimov brings Beethoven's impressive First Piano Concerto to life, followed by Gemma New leading Robert Schumann's magnificent "Rhenish" Symphony.

WEEKEND SPECTACULARS *Fireworks*	Friday, August 6, 8PM Saturday, August 7, 8PM Tchaikovsky Spectacular with Fireworks Los Angeles Philharmonic Bramwell Tovey, conductor Sterling Elliott, cello USC Trojan Marching Band TCHAIKOVSKY <i>Capriccio italien</i>, Op. 45 TCHAIKOVSKY <i>Romeo and Juliet</i> Fantasy Overture TCHAIKOVSKY <i>Rococo Variations</i> TCHAIKOVSKY <i>1812 Overture</i> The beloved annual spectacular returns with the charming Bramwell Tovey on the podium and fireworks in the sky.
JAZZ PLUS	Sunday, August 8, 7PM Dave Koz & Friends Summer Horns Kirk Whalum Mindi Abair Vincent Ingala Kenny Lattimore Tower of Power The smooth sax master and Oakland's favorite horn section return to the Bowl.

TUESDAY CLASSICS	Tuesday, August 10, 8PM Dudamel Conducts Gershwin Los Angeles Philharmonic Gustavo Dudamel, conductor Jean-Yves Thibaudet, piano John Holiday, countertenor GERSHWIN <i>Cuban Overture</i> GERSHWIN <i>Rhapsody in Blue</i> GERSHWIN selected songs "I Got Rhythm" "Summertime" "Someone to Watch Over Me" "They Can't Take That Away From Me" GERSHWIN <i>An American in Paris</i> Gustavo leads favorites by Gershwin, joined by the extraordinary John Holiday and Jean-Yves Thibaudet.
THURSDAY CLASSICS	Thursday, August 12, 8PM Dudamel Conducts the "New World" Los Angeles Philharmonic Gustavo Dudamel, conductor Randall Goosby, violin Adolphus HAILSTORK <i>An American Port of Call</i> BOLOGNE (CHEVALIER DE SAINT-GEORGES) Violin Concerto No. 9 in G, Op. 8 DVOŘÁK Symphony No. 9, "From the New World" Dvořák's timeless "New World" Symphony, plus virtuoso violinist Randall Goosby.

WEEKEND SPECTACULARS	Friday, August 13, 8PM Saturday, August 14, 8PM H.E.R. with the LA Phil Los Angeles Philharmonic Gustavo Dudamel, conductor Program to include: ELLINGTON <i>Three Black Kings</i> The Oscar and Grammy winner performs her first-ever concerts with orchestra.
JAZZ PLUS	Sunday, August 15, 7PM Blame it on Rio! with Sergio Mendes and carnival dancers Sergio Mendes Raiz Brazil Dance Company Thalma de Freitas, DJ Carnival comes to the Bowl!
TUESDAY CLASSICS	Tuesday, August 17, 8PM Dudamel Leads Elgar and Grieg Los Angeles Philharmonic Gustavo Dudamel, conductor Sheku Kanneh-Mason, cello GRIEG <i>Peer Gynt</i> Suite No. 1 ELGAR Cello Concerto ELGAR <i>Enigma Variations</i> Dudamel shares the glories of Elgar's <i>Enigma Variations</i> and Cello Concerto – featuring the supremely talented Sheku Kanneh-Mason – plus music from Grieg's <i>Peer Gynt</i>.

THURSDAY CLASSICS	Thursday, August 19, 8PM Dudamel Conducts Beethoven & Falla Los Angeles Philharmonic Gustavo Dudamel, conductor María Dueñas, violin Robert deMaine, cello Sergio Tiempo, piano Isabel Leonard, mezzo-soprano BEETHOVEN Triple Concerto FALLA <i>The Three-Cornered Hat</i> Gustavo brings us Beethoven's Triple Concerto and Manuel de Falla's comic ballet <i>The Three-Cornered Hat</i> for a perfect Bowl evening.
NON-SUBSCRIPTION	Saturday, August 21, 7:30PM Sing-A-Long <i>Sound of Music</i> Melissa Peterman, host The Hollywood Hills come alive!
TUESDAY CLASSICS	Tuesday, August 24, 8PM Dudamel Leads Márquez and Tchaikovsky Los Angeles Philharmonic Gustavo Dudamel, conductor Anne Akiko Meyers, violin Pan-American Music Initiative VILLA-LOBOS Prelude from <i>Bachianas Brasileiras No. 4</i> Arturo MÁRQUEZ Fandango (world premiere)* TCHAIKOVSKY Symphony No. 5 Gustavo Dudamel leads Tchaikovsky's Fifth Symphony, plus Anne Akiko Meyers performs the world premiere of Arturo Márquez' violin concerto, <i>Fandango</i>.

THURSDAY CLASSICS	Thursday, August 26, 8PM Piazzolla & Tchaikovsky with Dudamel Los Angeles Philharmonic Gustavo Dudamel, conductor Karen Gomya, violin Pan-American Music Initiative VILLA-LOBOS <i>Bachianas Brasileiras</i> No. 4: Prelude PIAZZOLLA <i>Four Seasons of Buenos Aires</i> TCHAIKOVSKY <i>Symphony</i> No. 5 Tchaikovsky's passionate Fifth is paired with Piazzolla's tango vision of Buenos Aires.
WEEKEND SPECTACULARS	Friday, August 27, 8PM Saturday, August 28, 8PM Carlos Vives Los Angeles Philharmonic Gustavo Dudamel, conductor Program to include: GRIEG <i>Peer Gynt Suite</i> No. 1 Arturo MÁRQUEZ <i>Danzón</i> No. 8 One of Latin America's greatest performers teams up with Gustavo and the orchestra.

NON-SUBSCRIPTION	Sunday, August 29, 7PM Club Quarantine Live with D-Nice with special guests Amerie Carl Thomas Common Deborah Cox Erica Campbell Isley Brothers Kiana Lede Sheila E. Trey Songz An all-out Bowl dance party, hosted by Chris Spencer and Donnie Wahlberg.
TUESDAY CLASSICS	Tuesday, August 31, 8PM Beethoven's Fifth Los Angeles Philharmonic Paolo Bortolameolli, conductor Ray Chen, violin Carlos SIMON <i>Fate Now Conquers</i> MENDELSSOHN Violin Concerto BEETHOVEN Symphony No. 5

SEPTEMBER 2021

THURSDAY CLASSICS	Thursday, September 2, 8PM Gershwin and Bonds Los Angeles Philharmonic Thomas Wilkins, conductor Aaron Diehl, piano Julia Bullock, soprano KAY Overture to Theater Set GERSHWIN Variations on "I Got Rhythm" GERSHWIN "Somebody from Somewhere" BONDS "The Negro Speaks of Rivers" GERSHWIN "Summertime" BONDS "Winter Moon" GERSHWIN "Soon" STILL "Singing River from Wood Notes" GERSHWIN <i>Porgy and Bess: A Symphonic Picture</i> A star lineup of Julia Bullock, Aaron Diehl, and Thomas Wilkins comes together for music by Margaret Bonds and George Gershwin.
WEEKEND SPECTACULARS	Friday, September 3, 8PM Saturday, September 4, 8PM John Williams: Maestro of the Movies Los Angeles Philharmonic John Williams, conductor David Newman, conductor John Williams and David Newman conduct the LA Phil in our annual celebration of film music.
SUNDAY SUNSET CONCERTS	Sunday, September 5, 7:30PM John Williams: Maestro of the Movies Los Angeles Philharmonic John Williams, conductor David Newman, conductor

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THURSDAY CLASSICS		Thursday, September 9, 8PM Beethoven & Schumann Los Angeles Philharmonic Marta Gardolińska, conductor Hélène Grimaud, piano BACEWICZ Overture R. SCHUMANN Piano Concerto BEETHOVEN Symphony No. 7 Beethoven's ecstatic Seventh, plus pianist Hélène Grimaud performs a concerto she's celebrated for around the world.

WEEKEND SPECTACULARS	Friday, September 10, 8PM Saturday, September 11, 8PM <i>Black Panther in Concert</i> Los Angeles Philharmonic Thomas Wilkins, conductor Baaba Maal, special guest Wakanda comes to the Bowl!
NON-SUBSCRIPTION	Sunday, September 12, 7:30PM <i>Black Panther in Concert</i> Los Angeles Philharmonic Thomas Wilkins, conductor Baaba Maal, special guest Wakanda comes to the Bowl!
TUESDAY CLASSICS	Tuesday, September 14, 8PM Yo-Yo Ma The Bach Project Yo-Yo Ma, cello BACH Six Suites for solo cello (no orchestra) Yo-Yo Ma performs all six of Bach's cello suites in a spellbinding recital.
NON-SUBSCRIPTION	Friday, September 17, 7:30PM <i>Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince™ in Concert</i> Hollywood Bowl Orchestra Justin Freer, conductor Experience the Hollywood Bowl Orchestra performing the unforgettable score to the sixth film of the Harry Potter™ Series. WIZARDING WORLD and all related trademarks, characters, names, and indicia are © & ™ Warner Bros. Entertainment Inc. Publishing Rights © JKR. (s21)

KCRW'S WORLD FESTIVAL	Saturday, September 18, 8PM Brittany Howard Jamila Woods Georgia Anne Muldrow Novena Carmel, host The Grammy Award®-winning singer steps out with defiantly modern soul, while Jamila Woods and Georgia Anne Muldrow show off their visions for R&B.
NON-SUBSCRIPTION	Friday, September 24, 7:30PM St. Vincent Spoon Mereba Grammy-winning musical and visual icon St. Vincent brings her latest to the Bowl. Austin's most esteemed rock ambassadors, Spoon, also join the bill. Multifaceted artist Mereba opens.
KCRW'S WORLD FESTIVAL	Saturday, September 25, 8PM James Blake Hollywood Bowl Orchestra Thomas Wilkins, conductor Anthony Valadez, host The singer and producer expands his unique—and emotionally bracing—electronic music with the Hollywood Bowl Orchestra and Thomas Wilkins.

JAZZ PLUS	Sunday, September 26, 7PM Herbie Hancock esperanza spalding, bass, vocals Leo Genovese, piano The LA Phil's Grammy®-winning, keytar-toting, sound-exploring Creative Chair for Jazz sets his sights on another magic night at the Bowl.
TUESDAY CLASSICS	Tuesday, September 28, 8PM Mozart Under the Stars with Dudamel Los Angeles Philharmonic Gustavo Dudamel, conductor Martin Chalifour, violin Teng Li, viola <i>All-MOZART</i> Symphony No. 25 in G minor, K. 183 Sinfonia concertante, K. 364 Symphony No. 40 in G minor, K. 550 Gustavo keeps a beloved tradition alive with the timeless magic of Mozart under a night sky.

Programs, dates and artists subject to change.

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