

# HOLLYWOOD BOWL

## LOS ANGELES PHILHARMONIC CELEBRATES 100 YEARS OF THE HOLLYWOOD BOWL

### Spectacular 2022 Centennial Season Highlights Include:

- 10 Evenings Under the Stars with Gustavo Dudamel and the LA Phil
  - FREE *101 Festival*, Two Nights of Music at the LA Phil's Iconic Outdoor Venues, the Hollywood Bowl and The Ford
  - July 4th Fireworks with Steve Martin & Martin Short, the Steep Canyon Rangers and Jeff Babko
- Stellar Guest Artists Including Duran Duran, Ricky Martin, Kenny Loggins with Jim Messina, A.R. Rahman, John Fogerty, a-ha, Sheryl Crow, UB40, Diana Ross, Boyz II Men, TLC, Grace Jones, CHVRCHES, Pentatonix and many more
- Classical superstars including Lang Lang, Joshua Bell, Seong-Jin Cho and dancers from Paris Opera Ballet among others
- Tributes to Bowl Legends with special guests Billie Eilish and Debbie Harry, plus return of Bowl icons including John Williams, Itzhak Perlman and more
  - Film at the Bowl, with *Back to the Future*, *Black Movie Soundtrack IV*, *Amadeus*, *Sing-A-Long Sound of Music*, *Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows™ Part 1*, *Maestro of the Movies: Celebrating John Williams at 90*
  - Broadway musical *Kinky Boots*, by Cyndi Lauper and Harvey Fierstein, directed and choreographed by Jerry Mitchell
    - Opera at the Bowl, with Christine Goerke and Matthias Goerne Joining Dudamel and Yuval Sharon for Act Three of Wagner's *Die Walküre*

LA Phil Celebrates the Bowl's 100th by expanding its popular  
Tuesday/Thursday classical \$1 tickets

LA Phil Publishes Limited Edition Book  
*Hollywood Bowl: The First 100 Years*

**and**  
**Releases Vinyl Box Set Commemorating Centennial**

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**LOS ANGELES (February 15, 2022)** – The **Los Angeles Philharmonic Association** today announced the 2022 **Hollywood Bowl** season, celebrating a century of stellar performances at one of the world’s most iconic venues. The centennial season offers a spectacular mix of beloved traditions and history-making innovations, tributes to legendary figures of the Bowl’s past and great stars of the present, the best in jazz and popular music and 34 evenings under the stars with the Los Angeles Philharmonic, 10 of them under the baton of Music and Artistic Director **Gustavo Dudamel**.

LA Phil Chief Executive Officer and David C. Bohnett Chief Executive Officer Chair **Chad Smith** said, “The Hollywood Bowl is much more than the summer home of the Los Angeles Philharmonic. For a hundred years, it has been a testament to live music’s power to create community, uniting people from all walks of life in a shared experience like no other. Thanks to the vision of Gustavo Dudamel and the collaboration of an astonishing roster of guest artists, our centennial season will celebrate the enduring spirit of the Hollywood Bowl and everything this magical place has meant to generations of musicians and music lovers alike.”

**Gustavo Dudamel** said, “There is truly no place like the Hollywood Bowl. Nothing can compare to the feeling of performing there on a summer night, as our sound seems to pour out from the hills to the thousands of music lovers spread before us, gathered from everywhere in Los Angeles and around the world. We dedicate our programs in this 100th season to all the people who have made the Hollywood Bowl a part of their lives, year after year, and to the new generation, on our stage and in our audience, that is going to carry the magic of this place far into the future.”

## **SEASON HIGHLIGHTS**

### **A Summer of Stars**

Many of the biggest names in entertainment are scheduled to appear at the Hollywood Bowl during its centennial season. The historic line-up will include **Kenny Loggins** with **Jim Messina** (July 15-16), **Ricky Martin** with the LA Phil and Gustavo Dudamel (July 22-23), **Boyz II Men** and **TLC** (July 29), **John Fogerty** (July 30), **a-ha** with the **Hollywood Bowl Orchestra** and Principal Conductor **Thomas Wilkins** (July 31), **Sheryl Crow** and **Keb' Mo'** (August 3), **The Gipsy Kings** featuring **Nicolas Reyes** (August 19-20), **Diana Ross** (August 26-27), **Duran Duran** with fireworks (September 9, 10 and 11), **Pink Martini** (September 14), **Lang Lang** (September 15), **Grace Jones** and **CHVRCHES** (September 25) and **Pentatonix** (September 29).

### **Hollywood Bowl Heritage**

Annual traditions that light up the Hollywood Bowl will include the ever-popular **July 4th Fireworks Spectacular** (July 2, 3 and 4), this year featuring **Steve Martin & Martin Short**, the **Steep Canyon Rangers** and **Jeff Babko** with the **Los Angeles Philharmonic** led by **Thomas Wilkins**. The **Tchaikovsky Spectacular** (August 12-13) will see acclaimed violinist **Joshua Bell** and the **USC Trojan Marching Band** joining conductor **Bramwell Tovey** and the LA Phil for the Tchaikovsky Violin Concerto, *1812 Overture*, and fireworks. The annual fully staged Broadway musical will be ***Kinky Boots***, the recent smash hit that was penned by Cyndi Lauper (music and lyrics) and Harvey Fierstein (book) and won six Tony Awards. The Bowl's production will feature an all-star cast (to be announced) and will be directed and choreographed by Tony-winning choreographer Jerry Mitchell (July 8, 9 and 10).

Film presentations with live accompaniment by the LA Phil and Hollywood Bowl Orchestra will include screenings of ***Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows™ Part 1 in Concert*** (June 30), ***Back to the Future*** (August 5-6), and ***Amadeus*** (August 23). Three ***Maestro of the Movies: Celebrating John Williams at 90*** nights (September 2, 3 and 4) will welcome **John Williams** and **David Newman** conducting the LA Phil. **Black Movie Soundtrack** returns for its fourth edition with bassist **Marcus Miller** leading a house band in the best music from the history of Black cinema, with **Craig Robinson** as host and the **Hollywood Bowl Orchestra** conducted by **Thomas Wilkins** (August 24). The annual **Sing-A-Long *Sound of Music*** returns with host **Melissa Peterman** (September 17).

Concerts paying tribute to musical legends from the Bowl's storied history will include: **Billie Eilish** and **Debbie Harry** among the many guest artists in a special

concert saluting **Peggy Lee** and **Frank Sinatra** (July 27); an evening of Rachmaninoff Seconds—Piano Concerto No. 2 and Symphony No. 2—with soloist **Nobuyuki Tsujii** joining **Bramwell Tovey** and the LA Phil (August 16); and **Itzhak Perlman** as soloist and conductor in the Bach D Minor Concerto for Two Violins, joined by **Randall Goosby**, and Tchaikovsky's Symphony No. 4 (September 13). The world's greatest tribute band returns to the Bowl stage to perform some of the biggest hits of all time with **ABBA The Concert** (September 24).

### Gustavo Dudamel and the LA Phil

The 100th season showcases the stunning range of Gustavo Dudamel's talent in every musical genre. Dudamel will lead an evening celebrating the legacy of Leonard Bernstein and his connection to the Bowl (July 12 & 14) and conduct the third act of Wagner's *Die Walküre* (July 17), collaborating with director **Yuval Sharon** and an all-star cast headed by **Christine Goerke** and **Matthias Goerne**. Paying tribute to the history of dance at the Bowl, Dudamel will lead a program featuring stars of the **Paris Opera Ballet** on a program also featuring pianist **Jean-Yves Thibaudet** (July 20–21). Pianist **Seong-Jin Cho** will join Dudamel for a double program of Beethoven Fiftths: the "Emperor" Concerto and Symphony No. 5 (July 26). Soloist **Jorge Glem** will perform the world premiere of Gonzalo Grau's LA Phil-commissioned Cuatro Concerto under Dudamel's baton, and the **Los Angeles Master Chorale** will join the LA Phil and soloists for a performance of Carl Orff's perennially popular *Carmina Burana* (July 28). For his final concert of the summer, Dudamel will invite the exciting young musicians of the **Encuentros Orchestra/YOLA** to join him on stage at the Hollywood Bowl (August 2).

Other guest conductors include LA Phil Associate Conductor **Paolo Bortolameolli** with a program of Saint-Saëns (August 4), **Dalia Stasevska** with violin soloist **Pekka Kuusisto** (August 9), **Lina González-Granados** with the LA Phil's own **Teng Li** as soloist (August 11), **Joseph Young** with bass-baritone **Davóne Tines** (August 18), **Marta Gardolińska** with **Isata Kanneh-Mason** (August 25), **Eva Ollikainen** with Beethoven 9 (August 30 & September 1) and **Nicolas McGegan** in an all-Mozart program (September 6).

### KCRW Festival

The LA Phil is proud to partner once again with KCRW to present a series of genre-spanning concerts. Scheduled artists include: **A.R. Rahman** (July 24); **Polo & Pan** and **Parcels** (August 7); **Nathaniel Rateliff & The Night Sweats** and **Durand Jones & The Indications** with **Celisse** (August 14); **Flying Lotus** and **Hiatus Kaiyote** with the **Hollywood Bowl Orchestra** conducted by **Thomas Wilkins** (August 21); **Grace Jones**

and **CHVRCHES** (September 25); and four of reggae's biggest hitmakers, **UB40**, **The Original Wailers** featuring **Al Anderson**, **Maxi Priest** and **Big Mountain** (September 18).

### **Jazz at the Bowl**

The annual Jazz at the Bowl programs will run throughout the summer, beginning with the **Hollywood Bowl Jazz Festival** (June 25 & 26) including **The Roots**, **Gregory Porter**, **Tower of Power**, **Femi Kuti & The Positive Force**, **Terri Lyne Carrington + Social Science**, and **Gordon Goodwin's Big Phat Band**, among others. Other programs include: a **Tribute to Peggy Lee and Frank Sinatra** (July 27); **Sheryl Crow** and **Keb' Mo'** (August 3); **Trombone Shorty's Voodoo Threauxdown** (August 10) showcasing New Orleans musicians including **Trombone Shorty**, **Tank and The Bangas**, **Big Freedia**, **Cyril Neville: The Uptown Ruler**, **George Porter Jr.** and **Dumpstaphunk** performing the music of **The Meters** and **The Soul Rebels**; and **Black Movie Soundtrack IV** (August 24). **George Benson**, **Boney James** and **Lalah Hathaway** will offer an evening of **Smooth Summer Jazz** (August 28).

Four exceptional jazz presentations are scheduled for September: **Wynton Marsalis** will lead the **Jazz at Lincoln Center Orchestra** (September 7); **Pink Martini** returns (September 14); **Chucho Valdés** and guests will appear in an evening of Latin jazz, including a performance of Valdés' *La Creación (The Creation)*, an LA Phil co-commission (September 21); and **Herbie Hancock**, the LA Phil's Creative Chair for Jazz, performs the final jazz concert of the celebratory 100th season (September 28).

### **The 101 Fest**

To kick off the 100th season at the Bowl and the summer season at The Ford (season details to be announced), the LA Phil will host a FREE two-day weekend festival (June 11 at the Hollywood Bowl and June 12 at The Ford) celebrating the rich history of its two outdoor venues, on either side of the 101 freeway. Further details to be announced on May 10.

### **HOLLYWOOD BOWL CENTENNIAL BOOK AND VINYL COLLECTION**

To commemorate the season the LA Phil has published *Hollywood Bowl: The First 100 Years*, written by Derek Traub and edited by Julia Ward and Robin Rauzi. The more than 300-page, image-filled publication comprises 10 theme-based chapters that move fluidly through time, drawing on first-hand accounts and rarely seen photographs, to answer the deceptively simple question: What makes the Hollywood Bowl the Hollywood Bowl?

In addition, a vinyl box set of seven LPs will also be available, featuring recordings taken from the Hollywood Bowl from 1928 to 2021, featuring classical, pop, rock, film music, jazz, Broadway and the American Songbook genres.

Both the book and box set will be available starting opening night, exclusively for purchase through the LA Phil and Hollywood Bowl stores.

## **TICKETS**

This summer as part of the centennial celebrations, the LA Phil has expanded its \$1 seats for Tuesday/Thursday classical presentations threefold. The \$1 tickets are also available for the Wednesday Jazz Plus performances, making the Hollywood Bowl still one of the most affordable and accessible experiences on offer.

Tickets for the Hollywood Bowl 2022 summer season will be available online at [hollywoodbowl.com](https://www.hollywoodbowl.com) or via phone at 323 850 2000 on the following dates:

- Subscriptions available now.
- “Create Your Own” packages will be available Tuesday, March 15, 2022.
- The Hollywood Bowl Box Office opens for single ticket sales Tuesday, May 3, 2022, at 10AM.
- Registration to apply for the free 101 Fest tickets opens May 10, 2022. There is a 4-ticket maximum per application.

Programs, artists, prices and dates are subject to change. Ticket limits may apply.

## **COVID PROTOCOLS**

Following the health guidelines set forth by the Los Angeles County Department of Public Health, guests attending events at the Hollywood Bowl are currently required to have proof of full vaccination or a negative COVID-19 test result taken within 48 hours (PCR) or 24 hours (Antigen) of the concert. Mask wearing will be required for all attendees unless actively eating or drinking. The Hollywood Bowl will continue to receive public health guidelines from Los Angeles County, and as policies evolve over the summer, more information can be found [here](#).

For additional information, please visit: <https://www.hollywoodbowl.com>

## **HOLLYWOOD BOWL FOOD + WINE**

The culinary program at the Hollywood Bowl is curated by the celebrated local chef and restaurateur team of Suzanne Goin and Caroline Styne. The James Beard award-winning duo, along with Executive Chef Jeff Rogers, will be providing freshly prepared food and carefully selected wine for purchase from the on-site marketplaces, as well as Picnic Boxes that can be pre-ordered for pick up in the marketplaces or delivered directly to guests' box seats. For box seat holders, Supper in Your Seats can be pre-ordered and is served in the boxes for the ultimate Hollywood Bowl experience. The Street Food Stands (available in person and via mobile ordering) offer burgers, artisanal pizzas, tacos and Chef Goin's famous Spanish Fried Chicken. Two free-standing restaurants are also available to enjoy. Ann's Wine Bar (by A.O.C.) offers a selection of small plates and will be available for in-person outdoor dining. This year the backyard returns with its two wood-fired grills and a menu featuring a raw bar, local vegetables and salads, as well as grilled fish, poultry and chops. Reservations for both restaurants are available through Open Table.

Hollywood Bowl Food + Wine will continue its focus on maintaining the safety of Bowl visitors throughout the summer. Employee health screening, personal protective equipment, and best-in-class sanitation measures will continue to be in place. Health and safety experts will continually monitor ongoing updates and recommendations as conditions evolve.

For the most up-to-date information on dining options at the Hollywood Bowl, including select picnic areas, please visit [here](#).

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### **About the LA Phil**

Under the leadership of Music & Artistic Director [Gustavo Dudamel](#), the [LA Phil](#) offers live performances, media initiatives and learning programs that inspire and strengthen communities in Los Angeles and beyond. The Los Angeles Philharmonic orchestra is the foundation of the LA Phil's offerings, which also include a multi-genre, multidisciplinary presenting program and such youth development programs as [YOLA](#) (Youth Orchestra Los

Angeles). Performances are offered on three historic stages—[Walt Disney Concert Hall](#), the [Hollywood Bowl](#), and [The Ford](#)—as well as through a variety of media platforms. In all its endeavors, the LA Phil seeks to enrich the lives of individuals and communities through musical, artistic and learning experiences that resonate in our world today.

### **About the Hollywood Bowl**

One of the largest natural amphitheaters in the world, with a seating capacity of nearly 18,000, the Hollywood Bowl has been the summer home of the Los Angeles Philharmonic since its official opening in 1922 and plays host to the finest artists from all genres of music, offering something for everyone. It remains one of the best deals anywhere in Los Angeles; to this day, \$1 buys a seat at the top of the Bowl for many classical and jazz performances. In June 2021, the Hollywood Bowl was awarded Amphitheater of the Decade at the 32nd Annual Pollstar Awards. It was also awarded the Outdoor Concert Venue of the Year award at the 31st Annual Pollstar Awards, an honor bestowed 14 previous times, as well as Top Amphitheater prize at the 2017 and 2018 *Billboard* Touring Awards. For millions of music lovers across Southern California, the Hollywood Bowl is synonymous with summer. [hollywoodbowl.com](http://hollywoodbowl.com)

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