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DONALD BEAL, Stepped Falls, 2025, oil on panel, 30 x 40 in

#### **2025 SUMMER EXHIBITION** SCHEDULE

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CARMEN CICERO, Bearded Artist, 1982, watercolor on paper, 22 × 30 in



PAUL RESIKA. Summer. Diana of Ephesus. 1980-1985. oil on canvas. 60 x 108 in

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Great Music on Sundays @5 celebrates its 27th consecutive season as Provincetown's longest-running concert series of music of our world. Since the inaugural 1999 season, more than 375 concerts with hundreds of performers have provided music without borders for thousands of concertgoers.

This year's concert season is very cool... literally. The Unitarian Universalist Meeting House has installed a state-of-the-art air conditioning and heating system. The humidity is comfortably low, the atmosphere is refreshing and pleasant, and the live music experience is sublime. On a hot Sunday afternoon in Provincetown, we are the best place to be.

The Sunday concerts begin at 5pm and include an hour of delightful and stimulating music: Baroque, classical, Broadway, international, piano, organ, *a cappella* and original compositions with more than 50 performers presenting music from across the centuries and around the world.

All concerts are presented at the Unitarian Universalist Meeting House of Provincetown, built in 1847 and added to the National Register of Historic Places in 1972, with one of the finest acoustic concert halls on Cape Cod. The sanctuary's historic and rare *trompe l'oeil* walls and serene atmosphere provide the perfect setting for great music. Concerts feature the 1928 Steinway Model B concert grand piano and the historic 1850 Holbrook tracker organ.

Our YouTube channel has more than 20 archived concert films and videos for free viewing 24/7.

There is something for everyone at *Great Music on Sundays* @5! Let's keep the music alive... together!



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JUNE 22 THE 1950s RADIO SHOW... LIVE! a retro music & studio audience experience

Il singers, I trumpet, 2 announcers, I pianist/host & a sound effects artist!

> JULY 13 BROADWAY: CURTAIN UP! favorite songs from great musicals

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#### JULY 20 THE HYANNIS SOUND

Cape Cod's finest *a cappella* vocalists since 1994 charming, talented & fun!

10 college men united by their passion for singing & bringing smiles to all

#### JULY 27

DISNEY ON BROADWAY! from the Magic Kingdom animated & live... legendary songs & stories

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#### AUGUST 3

a gender-swapped romp through Renaissance & Baroque music Monteverdi, Purcell, Handel & more

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> SEPTEMBER 14 BROADWAY: CURTAIN CALL! the big finales of the biggest shows

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#### DECEMBER 6 (SATURDAY @6PM)

JOY TO ALL! music for happy holidays

with a dozen vibrant musicians

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special appearances by *Great Music on Sundays* @5 alumni & performers in Provincetown & Cape Cod productions





Join us for an extraordinary special performance as we travel back to the end of 1959 to an imaginary sound stage with a live audience for a radio program featuring an ON AIR light, the memorable welcome chime, an announcer, popular songs of the era, commercials, radio sound effects and a stellar ensemble. Que Será, Será....



# JULY 13 BROADWAY CURTAIN UP!

favorite songs from great musicals



#### GMS@5 Broadway Ensemble John Thomas music director & pianist

Brilliant entertainers from Cape Cod and beyond come together for a special presentation of our concert series' signature event: a Broadway extravaganza! The curtain rises on our 27th concert season with a dozen performers offering songs with pizzazz and elegance from musicals throughout the decades.



## JULY 20 THE HYANNIS SOUND

Cape Cod's finest a cappella vocalists since 1994



#### charming, talented & fun!

The Hyannis Sound is a professional *a cappella* group of ten college-aged men from all over the country. Every summer, they convene on Cape Cod and spend their days rehearsing and performing at private and public events across the Cape and in the greater New England area. In recent years, the group has amassed a social media presence of over 1.2 million followers. Their posts on Tik Tok have led to being noticed by celebrities Ben Platt, James Taylor and a virtual collaboration with Alicia Keys. The group's repertoire is different from summer to summer and spans genres and decades, making their performances great for everyone from ages 5 to 95. Founded in 1994, the group has been a Cape staple for nearly 30 years, providing full-time summer jobs for its members. Whether putting on their weekly concert series on the Cape or performing at weddings or birthday parties, the group is ultimately united by their passion for singing and bringing smiles to people's faces wherever they go. Their annual performances in our concert series are always memorable.

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# JULY 27 DISNEY ON BROADWAY!

from the Magic Kingdom animated & live! legendary songs & stories



#### GMS@5 Broadway Ensemble John Thomas music director & pianist

Dozens of classic movies from the Disney cinema empire have featured songs that are part of our cultural memory. Many of them have emerged in extravagant Broadway productions based on these films. We present the best of the best melodies as part of Provincetown's annual Family Week celebrations. Sing along with us!



# AUGUST 3 TWO FAIRY QUEENS

a gender-swapped romp through Renaissance & Baroque music Monteverdi, Purcell, Handel & more



#### Cody Bowers countertenor Donatella Fermata (Michael Galvin bass) Frederick Jodry keyboards

Experience a memorable afternoon music salon of soaring vocals and sumptuous drama with countertenor Cody Bowers and drag diva Donatella Fermata (Michael Galvin, bass) as they take you on a wild, gender-bending journey of passionate worlds of love, lust, and vengeance through the Renaissance and Baroque. With selections by Monteverdi, Purcell, Handel and more.



# AUGUST 10 NEW VOICES OF PROVINCETOWN

the next generation takes the stage



Hilarie Tamar Brian Hall Jake Glass Loren Lee Madison Mayer Marissa Miller Sean Schwebke Zack Johnson with John Thomas *pianist* 

Provincetown is known for the incredible performance artists who make up the live music scene. Local venues are buzzing with a wave of fresh, young talent that's breathing new life into its legendary stages. With a dynamic mix of bold voices and innovative styles, these rising stars are redefining the sound of the town. From soulful ballads to energetic pop anthems, the new generation of singers is captivating audiences and adding an exciting new chapter to Provincetown's storied musical legacy. It's a vibrant shift that proves the future of live performance is alive and well in this iconic coastal haven.

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# AUGUST 17 BROADWAY: SUMMER CAMP!

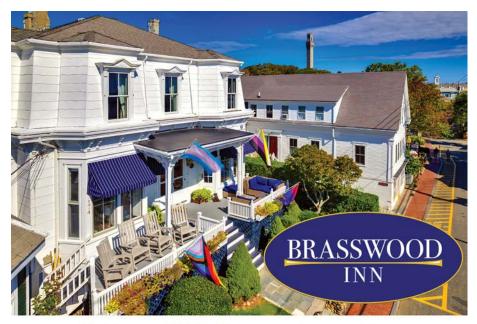
special Provincetown Carnival edition



#### GMS@5 Broadway Ensemble John Thomas music director & pianist

We celebrate Provincetown's Carnival week and its 2025 topical theme with a music mélange of funny, powerful, obscure and legendary songs from Broadway productions covering the gamut of "summer camp". Our Broadway Carnival shows are always astonishingly memorable!

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# AUGUST 24 FANTASY & ROMANCE

sounds that take you away



Red Door Chamber Music Craig W. Combs piano Tyler Michael James cello Jeffrey Thurston violin

Enter a musical world of passion, reverie and poetic imagination with compositions filled with soaring melodies and intimate conversations, blurring the lines between spontaneous invention and heartfelt storytelling.

> Fantasiestücke op. 73 Robert Schumann Romance in A Reynaldo Hahn Three pieces for Cello Nadia Boulanger Phantasiestücke op. 88 Robert Schumann music from Florence Price



# AUGUST 31 BROADWAY GOES TO THE MOVIES

epic & delightful songs from musicals in film & theater



#### GMS@5 Broadway Ensemble John Thomas music director & pianist

Dozens of Broadway hit musicals throughout the decades have continued to enthrall audiences in the form of filmed productions featuring established movie stars and up and coming stage actors. The topics of these productions are as wide-ranging as life itself. Our Broadway singers love this concert because there is a seemingly endless amount of creative material. The resulting mosaic of music is a fabulous experience for the audience. It's supercalifragilisticexpialidocious!



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## SEPTEMBER 7 MUSIC WITHOUT BORDERS ETHNO JAZZ IN OUD COLORS

a voyage with a guitar ancestor



#### Walid Zairi oud Ken Hiatt accordion Fabio Pirozollo percussion

The trio Talween takes its listeners on musical journeys influenced by Tunisian African roots and classical Arabic music creating a subtle mix of new world music, oriental sounds, and jazzy beats with a prominent African flavor. Walid Zairi's oud music is unique and fresh and takes the ancient instrument on adventures out of its usual conservative milieu. Talween – the Arabic word for "coloring" – displays a kaleidoscope of musical colors with mesmerizing melodies and improvisations.



# SEPTEMBER 14 BROADWAY: CURTAIN CALL!

the big finales of the biggest shows



#### GMS@5 Broadway Ensemble John Thomas music director & pianist

A fitting finale to our 27th season, we conclude with another Broadway music spectacle with a dozen singers who love to perform songs from musicals famous and obscure. One big finale after another... musical fireworks on Broadway!





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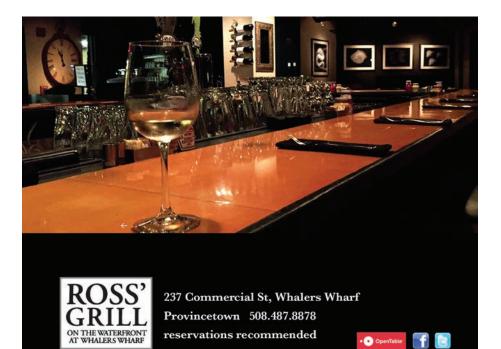
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special day / special time

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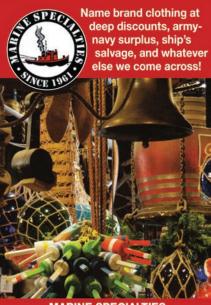
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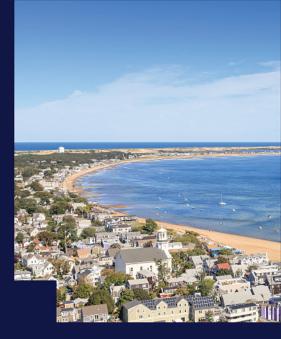
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