

## JOHN VON RHEIN RECOMMENDS

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**Baroque Band:** The Chicago period-instrument ensemble under Garry Clarke closes its season with "water" works by Handel and Telemann. 7:30 p.m. Friday, Nichols Concert Hall, 1490 Chicago Ave., Evanston; 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Augustana Lutheran Church, 5500 S. Woodlawn Ave.; and 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Grainger Ballroom, Symphony Center, 220 S. Michigan Ave.; \$39, \$35 for seniors; 312-235-2368, [www.baroqueband.org](http://www.baroqueband.org)

**Chicago Symphony Orchestra:** Jennifer Koh plays the world premiere of resident composer Anna Clyne's CSO-commissioned violin concerto, "The Seamstress," with Ludovic Morlot also conducting Berlioz's "Les Francs-juges" Overture and Beethoven's "Eroica" Symphony; 8 p.m. Saturday; \$33-\$220. The Clyne and Beethoven works will be repeated at an Afterwork Masterworks program, 6:30 p.m. Tuesday; \$26-\$97. Morlot's final subscription program holds Ravel's "La Valse" and Piano Concerto for the Left Hand, along with works by Gershwin and Stravinsky; pianist Denis Kozhukhin is the soloist; 8 p.m. Thursday (repeated June 6); \$33-\$249. *Symphony Center, 220 S. Michigan Ave.; 312-294-3000, [www.cso.org](http://www.cso.org)*

**Civic Orchestra of Chicago:** Ludovic Morlot leads the CSO's training orchestra in its season finale. Rachmaninoff's "Symphonic Dances" shares the bill with Anna Clyne's new violin concerto, "The Seamstress," played by Jennifer Koh, the week's CSO soloist in the same piece. 8 p.m. Monday; *Symphony Center, 220 S. Michigan Ave.; free, but tickets are required; 312-294-3000, [www.cso.org](http://www.cso.org)*



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## Pick of the Week

**Rembrandt Chamber Players:** Harpsichordist Jory Vinikour is guest artist for the closing concert of the Chicago group's 25th anniversary season. "Rembrandt Music" by founding member David Schrader is featured, along with Tchaikovsky's sextet "Souvenir de Florence." 3 p.m. Sunday, Nichols Concert Hall, 1490 Chicago Ave., Evanston; and 7:30 p.m. Monday, Driehaus Museum, 40 E. Erie St.; \$35; 312-360-3145, [www.rembrandtchamberplayers.org](http://www.rembrandtchamberplayers.org)

**CSO at the Movies:** German director Fritz Lang's genre-defining 1927 silent classic, "Metropolis," is screened with live musical accompaniment from the Chicago Symphony Orchestra. 8 p.m. Friday, *Symphony Center, 220 S. Michigan Ave.; \$34-\$110; 312-294-3000, [www.cso.org](http://www.cso.org)*

**Evanston Symphony Orchestra:** Soprano Michelle Areyzaga performs Richard Strauss' "Four Last Songs" on a program that also holds works by Brahms and Wagner. Lawrence Eckerling conducts. The concert was originally scheduled for Feb. 1 but was postponed because of bad weather. 2:30 p.m. Sunday, *Pick-Staiger Concert Hall, Northwestern University, 50 Arts Circle Drive, Evanston; \$30, \$25 for seniors; 847-864-8804, [www.evanstonsymphony.org](http://www.evanstonsymphony.org)*

**MusicNOW:** The season finale marks the last CSO new music concert curated by composers Mason Bates and Anna Clyne. Music by avant-garde jazz artists John Zorn and Myra Melford shares the program with works of Marc Mellits

and Esa-Pekka Salonen. Cliff Colnot conducts members of the CSO. 7 p.m. Monday, *Harris Theater for Music and Dance, 205 E. Randolph St.; \$26; 312-294-3000, [www.cso.org](http://www.cso.org)*

**North Shore Chamber Music Festival:** Directors Vadim Gluzman, violin, and Angela Yoffe, piano, lead a fifth-anniversary celebration that includes concerts by the Ariel String Quartet, violinist Ilya Kaler, pianist William Wolfram and others. The opening program holds works of Beethoven, Tchaikovsky and Alfred Schnittke, with a preconcert performance by young area musicians. The festival continues through June 6. 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, *Village Presbyterian Church, 1300 Sherman Road, Northbrook; \$10-\$45; 847-370-3984, [www.nscmf.org](http://www.nscmf.org)*

**Rush Hour Concerts:** The 16th summerlong season of free weekly classical music performances gets underway. 5 p.m. Tuesday, *St. James Cathedral, 65 E. Huron St.; [www.rushhour.org](http://www.rushhour.org)*

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& GORAN IVANOVIC TRIOJune 4 CHARLIE MARS &  
CLARENCE BUCAROJune 7 at 4 pm & June 8 at 8 pm  
GRAHAM PARKER & THE  
RUMOUR WITH LOWELL THOMPSONJune 7 at 8 pm  
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## UPCOMING SHOWS

- 6/1 **The Dinner Party** WITH ELYSABETH ALFANO FEATURING ACTOR, JOE MANTEGNA
- 6/5 **Griffin House** WITH SPECIAL GUEST JENN GRANT
- 6/14 **Hackensaw Boys**
- 6/16 HELP REBUILD NEPAL BENEFIT CONCERT WITH LYNNE JORDAN, WAYNE BAKER BROOKS, THE EMPTY POCKETS & RICK KING'S ROYAL HUSTLE
- 6/17 **Ryan Montbleau Band** WITH SPECIAL GUESTS THE CRANE WIVES
- 6/18 **Rich Robinson** OF THE BLACK CROWES WITH SPECIAL GUESTS THE BUFFALO KILLERS
- 6/19 **Wanda Jackson** 7:30 PM
- 6/20 **Martha Davis & The Motels** 7PM SHOW
- 6/20 OFFICIAL TASTE OF RANDOLPH AFTER PARTY **Little Hurricane & Spirit Family Reunion**
- 6/21 **Bill Frisell Trio**

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