



Savonlinna and Kuhmo Festivals

Friday 19th – Friday 26th July 2024

During our week exploring the summer landscape of tranquil lakes and silver birch forests in the environs of Savonlinna and Kuhmo, we attend the following performances:

Saturday 20th July at 11.00 in Kuhmo Art Centre

BON APPÉTIT!

Leonard Bernstein (1918-1990)

La Bonne Cuisine (Four Recipes) suite for voice and piano (based on Émile Dumont's cookbook *La Bonne Cuisine Française*)
Florio, Kudritskaya

Erik Satie (1866-1925)

Trois morceaux en forme de poire for piano four hands
Kudritskaya, Hakkila

Bohuslav Martinů (1890-1959)

La revue de cuisine (The Kitchen Review), H. 161 for reciter, clarinet, bassoon, trumpet, violin, cello and piano (text: Ron Butlin)
Hoffman, Mäki, Luoma, Pirinen, Swiss Piano Trio

Saturday 20th July at 15.00 in Tuupala Primary School

SWEET SONATAS

Claude Debussy (1862-1918)

Sonata No. 2 for flute, viola and harp
McKenna, Gotlibovich, Magen

Ludwig van Beethoven (1770-1827)

Sonata No. 4 in C, Op. 102/1 for cello and piano
Bogdanović, Laakso

Sergey Prokofiev (1891-1953)

Sonata in D, Op. 94 for flute and piano
Kortelainen, Kärkkäinen

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Saturday 20th July at 18.00 in Kuhmo Arts Centre

TANGOMANIA

Viera Janárčeková (1941-2023)

Illusion from Tangomania for violin and accordion
Pensola, Valkeajoki

Tom Lehrer (1928-)

Masochism Tango (lyrics: Tom Lehrer)
Florio, Tang

Astor Piazzolla (1921-1992)

Grand Tango
Frochaux, Valkeajoki

Richard Dubugnon (1968-)

Rundtanz, Op. 93 for piano sextet
Swiss Piano Trio, Sierra, Gibson, Kauppinen

Intermission

Toivo Kärki (1915-1992)

Sik soon mä suruinen (lyrics: Kerttu Mustonen)
Pensola, Tikkanen, Marković

Ilkka Kuusisto (1933-)

Tango in my Mind for flute and cello
Kortelainen, Raitinen

Astor Piazzolla (1921-1992)

Yo Soy María
Ylipää, Kudritskaya, Valkeajoki, Rowland, Eskelinen, Marković

Astor Piazzolla (1921-1992)

Se termino (C'est Fini)
Escualo
Romance del diablo
Violentango
Kudritskaya, Valkeajoki, Rowland, Eskelinen, Marković



Monday 22nd July at 19.00 in the Olavinlinna Castle

NABUCCO – GUISEPPE VERDI

*Cast includes: Nabucco – Gabriele Viviani, Abigaille – Angela Meade/Oksana Dyka,
Zaccaria – TBC, Ismaele – Anthony Ciaramitaro*

*Savonlinna Opera Festival Choir & Savonlinna Opera Festival Orchestra
Conductor: TBC
Director: Rodula Gaitanou*

Sung in Italian
Finnish and English surtitles
Duration approx. 3 hours. One interval

Tuesday 23rd July at 19.00 in the Olavinlinna Castle

DON GIOVANNI – W. A. MOZART

*Cast includes: Don Giovanni – Yuriy Yurchuk, Commendatore – Matti Turunen,
Donna Anna – Marjukka Tepponen, Don Ottavio – Frédéric Antoun,
Donna Elvira – Sonja Herranen, Leporello – Henning von Schulman,
Masetto – Kristian Lindroos*

*Savonlinna Opera Festival Choir, Savonlinna Opera Festival Orchestra
Conductor: Andrea Sanguineti
Director: Paul-Émile Fourny*

Sung in Italian
Finnish and English surtitles
Duration approx. 3.5 hours. One interval

Please note that the Savonlinna and Kuhmo Festival organisers reserve the right to alter the programme in exceptional circumstances.

