



## *Savonlinna and Kuhmo Festivals*

Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> – Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> July 2019

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:

### Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> July at 11.00 in Kuhmo Church

**Henry Purcell** (1659–1695):

Chaconne in G minor, Z. 730 for two violins, viola and continuo  
*Szigeti, Boeschoten, Margulis, Kankkunen*

**Antonio Vivaldi** (1678–1741):

Bassoon Concerto in E minor, RV 484  
*Luoma, Park, Weltrowska, Zemtsov, Frochoux, Matero, Hakkila*

**Joseph Haydn** (1732–1809):

Divertimento in C, Hob. IV:1 "London Trios"  
Divertimento in G, Hob. IV:2 "London Trios"  
*Stachinskaya, McKenna, Lupták*

**W. A. Mozart** (1756–1791):

Serenade No. 13 in G, K. 525 for strings "Eine kleine Nachtmusik"  
*Yang, Pohjola, Jokela, Antikainen, Simon*

### Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> July at 16.15 in Kuhmo Church

**Arvo Pärt** (1935–):

Cantus in memoriam Benjamin Britten for strings and bell  
*S. Heikinheimo, V. Heikinheimo, Jaakkola, Hilpo, Rummukainen, Krykov, Nurminen*

Fratres for solo violin, strings and percussion

*Malov, Boeschoten, Puustinen, Lubbe, Antikainen, Wesslund, Krykov, Lehtinen*

Pari intervallo for organ

*Abendroth*

Tabula rasa for two violins, prepared piano and strings

*Boriso-Glebsky, Yang, Gröndahl, Margulis, Baloglu, Jokela, Buzlov, Matero*

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Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> July at 18.15 in Kuhmo Arts Centre

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**Joseph Haydn** (1732–1809):

Piano Trio No. 39 in G, Hob XV:25 "Gypsy"  
*Yang, Cohen, Bogino*

**W. A. Mozart** (1756–1791):

Five Contradances, K. 609  
*Thomsen, Pritchins, Boeschoten, Arp, Marković, Nurminen*

**Ludwig van Beethoven** (1770–1827):

Eleven Dances, WoO 17 "Mödlinger Tänze"  
*Thomsen, Kortelainen, Sallinen, Skrastina, Kärnä, Toivonen, Hülivirta, Malov, Puustinen, de Groot*

Intermission

**Johannes Brahms** (1833–1897):

Piano Quartet No. 1 in G minor, Op. 25  
*Baeva, Mendelssohn, Arp, Kudritskaya*

Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> July at 19.00 in the Olavinlinna Castle

**THE ABDUCTION FROM THE SERAGLIO – MOZART**

*Cast includes: Petri Lindroos (Osmin), Sebastian Wirtzner (Selim Passa), Elena Gorshunova (Konstanze), Claire de Sévigné (Blonde), Jussi Myllys (Belmonte) Jonathan Winell (Pedrillo), The Chorus quartet, Savonlinna Opera Festival Choir, Savonlinna Opera Festival Orchestra*

Sung in German

Finnish and English surtitles

Duration about 3 hours. One interval

Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> July at 19.00 in the Olavinlinna Castle

**THE BARBER OF SEVILLE – ROSSINI**

*Cast includes: Alexey Tatarintsev (Count Almaviva), Raffaele Raffio (Bartolo), Laura Verrecchia (Rosina), Ville Rusanen (Figaro), Joonas Asikainen (Fiorello), Päivi Pylvänäinen (Berta), Shavleg Armasi (Basilio), Roman Chervinko (Officer), Savonlinna Opera Festival Choir, Savonlinna Opera Festival Orchestra*

Sung in Italian

Finnish and English surtitles

Duration about 3 hours. One interval

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