



# Independence *Sinfonia*

Jerome Rosen, Music Director

*Please Join Us:*

**Sunday, March 3, 2013 at 4 PM:**

Beethoven's Ninth Symphony,  
with the Abington Choral Club, at the  
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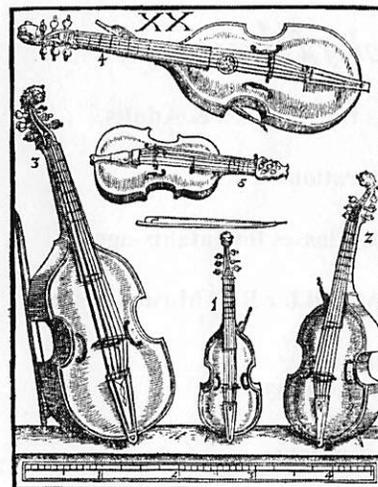
**Sunday, May 5, 2013 at 4 PM:**

Schumann's Fourth Symphony,  
location to be announced

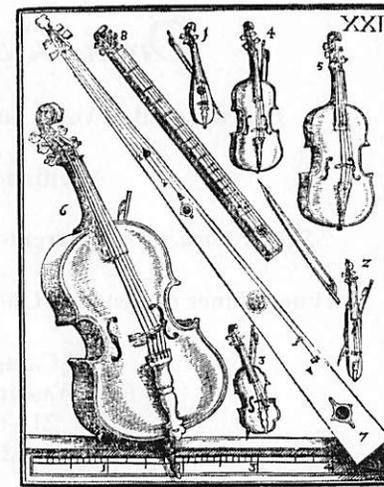
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1. 2. 3. Violin de Gamba. 4. Viol Battarda. 5. Italianische Lyra de braccio.



6. 2. Kisten-Pflichten / Orgeln em Octav sopra. 3. Diskant-Orgeln em Quart sopra.  
4. Kisten-Diskant-Orgeln. 5. Tenor-Orgeln. 6. Bass-Orgeln. 7. Clavichord.  
8. Cembel.

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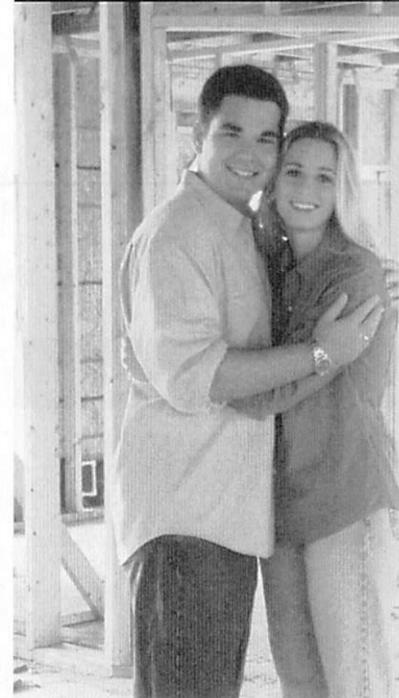
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**Jerome Rosen** graduated from the Curtis Institute of Music with an Artist's Diploma in violin and from the Cleveland Institute of Music with a Bachelor's in Music. He has studied under such distinguished musicians as Henri Nosco, Josef Gingold, Ivan Galamian, and

Rafael Druian on violin and Arthur Loesser and John Bloomfield on piano. Mr. Rosen has studied chamber music with Jascha Brodsky, Josef Gingold, and Leonard Rose; composition with Herbert Elwell and Marcel Dick; and conducting with George Szell (as apprentice conductor of the Cleveland Orchestra) and James Levine.

Mr. Rosen spent a 40-year professional career as a member of some of the world's leading orchestras. He spent 27 years as a violinist and keyboardist with the Boston Symphony Orchestra, from which he retired in 1999. He has also held the position of Concertmaster of the Boston Pops (where he also occasionally functioned as an arranger), Associate Concertmaster in the Detroit Symphony, and has been a member of the Cleveland Orchestra, the American Symphony, the New School Chamber Orchestra and Festival Casals. Mr. Rosen's piano experience includes rehearsal accompanist for Cleveland Orchestra Chorus under Robert Shaw and rehearsal accompanist for Lake Erie Opera.

He has had solo violin performances with the Cleveland Orchestra, the Detroit Symphony, the Boston Symphony, and the Boston Pops, and played Mozart Piano Concertos with the Boston Pops. In the last 15 years, he has appeared as a solo recital pianist in Cambridge MA, Newburyport MA, Boston, New York City and Chestnut Hill, PA.

Other than music, his hobbies and interests include mathematics and philosophy, computer science, and poetry. His ambitions include getting through the Fugue of Beethoven op. 106 without breaking down, establishing a chamber music series in Jersey City, and writing a memoir.

## November 11, 2012 Program

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### **Orchestral Suite No. 3 in D major, BWV 1068**

by Johann Sebastian Bach

1. Overture
2. Air
3. Gavotte I/II
4. Bourrée
5. Gigue

### **Cello Concerto in A minor, Op. 129**

by Robert Schumann (played in 3 movements without pause)

1. Nicht zu schnell
2. Langsam
3. Sehr lebhaft

### **Featuring Robert Carfaro, Cello Soloist**

**\*\* Intermission \*\***

### **Symphony No. 8 in F major, Op. 93**

by Ludwig van Beethoven

1. Allegro vivace e con brio
2. Allegretto scherzando
3. Tempo di Menuetto
4. Allegro vivace

# The Players

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## Violin I

William Phillips\*  
Margery Hesney  
Steve Kadlecek  
Eden Kainer  
Carl Hemmingsen  
Amy Miller

## Violin II

Kim Dolan  
Laura Vidmar  
Anita Schumker  
Cindy Baum-Baicker  
Michael Strauss

## Viola

Kevin Aires  
Margot Cohn  
Steve Zebovitz  
Carol Tinkleman

## Cello

Julie Wiberg  
Katherine Stanek  
Faith Watson  
Louann Cunningham

## Double Bass

Christopher Horner  
Julius Shaneson

## Flute

Lisa Davis  
Anders Hansen

## Oboe

Forrest Rowland  
Lynda Cantor

## Clarinet

William Fullard  
Harriett Ranney

## Bassoon

Judy Frank  
Jay Tinkleman

## Horn

Julie Rivers  
George Vilsmeier

## Trumpet

Jim Edwards  
Michael Bromberg  
Al Rocklin

## Timpani

Enid Brodsky



Bob Cafaro was born in New York City, began cello studies at age 9 in the public school system and gave his first recital one year later. He entered the Juilliard

Preparatory Division as a scholarship student and later enrolled in the Juilliard School where he received Bachelor and Master of Music degrees. After graduating Mr. Cafaro played chamber music full time and served on the faculty of the University of Virginia until 1983 when he became a regular with the Metropolitan Opera Orchestra. He later joined the Baltimore Symphony and in 1985 became a member of the Philadelphia Orchestra. Mr. Cafaro is an avid soloist and chamber musician as he has performed recitals and appeared as soloist in major cities of the world. An active teacher as well, he has been on the cello faculty of Philadelphia College of Bible, College of New Jersey, Hartwick Summer Music Festival in Oneonta, NY, Strings International and the Summer Strings Seminar in Rhinebeck, NY. Mr. Cafaro has been a member of The Rachmaninov Trio since 2003. In addition Mr. Cafaro is passionately involved in volunteer and outreach activities and he regularly plays for schools and retirement communities.

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