

# Monday, 15-April-2024 Rehearsal

## Rehearsal in the Band Room

### TIME

6:55 pm	<b>Concertmaster's Tune-up and Start of Rehearsal at TPAC</b>	
7:00	<i>Cello Concerto in B minor, Op. 104</i>	Antonín Dvořák (1841-1904)
	<i>Allegro</i>	
	<i>Adagio ma non troppo</i>	
	<i>Finale – Allegro moderato</i>	
	<b>Guest Soloist – Lori Singer</b> (Not present until 22 April)	
8:15	<i>Two Slavonic Dances, Op. 46</i>	Antonín Dvořák (1841-1904)
	(Slavische Tänze für Orchester)	
	<i>Dumka (Allegretto scherzando), No. 2</i>	
	<i>Furiant (Presto), No. 1</i>	
8:30	<b>Break</b>	
8:40	<i>Scherzo fantastique, Op. 25</i>	Josef Suk (1874- 1935)
	(Fantastické Scherzo)	
9:10	<i>Carnival Overture, Op. 92</i>	Antonín Dvořák (1841-1904)
	(Karneval – Carnival – Carnaval)	
9:30 pm	<b>End of Rehearsal</b>	

See the Calendar below for remaining rehearsals. **PLEASE DO NOT SKIP REHEARSALS—the entire ensemble benefits from your ON-TIME presence. Thank you.**

**ALL MUSICIANS** – Please download, print, and bring your copy of Dvořák's [Carnival Overture](#) – we do not have printed parts. Call me at if you have difficulty printing your copy. Paper copies of the concert music will be provided on stage EXCEPT for the Carnival Overture—please download, print, and bring your copy of Carnival Orchestra to all rehearsals. If you cannot print your copy, please let me know. See DropBox for ALL music:

<https://www.dropbox.com/scl/fo/s5yz57p21zktqxmzuyhff/h?rlkey=21qumip0yy14gc95f3hu9uybf&dl=0>

**STAGE SET-UP ON SATURDAY:** I am requesting the assistance of 5 persons capable of lifting 75-80 pounds to help set up the concert stage risers and acoustic shells for the concert. Setup will occur on Saturday, 27 April, starting at 0845. Other musicians are asked to show up at 0915 or assist in light-weight assistance in setting up the chairs and music stands once the risers and shell are in place. I'll have heavy work gloves for those with delicate hands to assemble the set.

**STAGE TEAR-DOWN ON SUNDAY:** **AFTER the concert on 28 April**, ALL musicians should safely secure their instruments and **quickly** remove their stands and chairs from the stage onto the stands and chair carts. Do this **quickly** to clear the stage to allow for disassembly and storage of the risers and acoustic shells. The same 5 people setting up on Saturday morning will help disassemble the risers and shell and put them away. With proper help, this can be done in 20-30 minutes, at most. PLEASE, don't leave it to just 1 or 2 people and the TPAC staff to do that work. I'll have heavy work gloves for those with delicate hands to strike the set.

**Concert Attire:** Tuxedo with white shirt and black bow-tie or black/navy jacket with white shirt and black bow-tie; below-knee or full-length black dress / skirts / trousers with **black/navy** elbow-length or full-length sleeve tops or black/navy shirts; black shoes/socks/stockings.

## MVPO 63rd Season Rehearsal & Concert Schedule (2023-2024)

### Concert 4

**28 APR 2024 at 2:30 PM**

### Czech Mates

(David Feltner, Music Director)

Monday 7:00-9:30 PM Rehearsals:

**\* Rehearsals in Band Hall**

March 21\* (**Thurs**), March 25 (**Mon**)

April 4\* (**Thurs**), 8\*, 15\*, 22 (**Mondays**)

Thursday 7:00-9:30 PM - April 25

Saturday 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM - April 27

Show time for the Sunday concert is ~1:30 PM. The concert starts at 2:30 PM - **April 28, 2024**

Please warm up ahead of the rehearsals. All rehearsals start promptly at 7 pm, except Saturday rehearsals which start at 10 am, and include the Concertmaster's Tune-Up and the Conductor's downbeat of the first piece for that rehearsal. MVPO will announce the order of rehearsal about 5 days prior and post them on the Players Page of the MVPO website (<https://mvpomusic.com/players-page/>). (Access may be obtained by using "mvpo" and "mvpomusic" on the Players Page.)

[Map It](#)

Timberlane Performing Arts Center, 40 Greenough Road, Plaistow, NH

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(TRSD Spring Break 22 - 26 April)

**NOTE:** MVPO rehearsal and concert schedules are coordinated with the Timberlane Regional School District (TRSD) and Timberlane Performing Arts Center (TPAC). All events occur at TPAC, 40 Greenough Road, Plaistow, NH, normally on the Auditorium main stage, but some may occur in the Band Rehearsal Room (Band Hall), directly opposite the Auditorium Main doors.

**NOTE:** The MVPO Staff may begin setting-up for the Saturday Dress Rehearsals any time after 9:00 AM. Tune-ups and start of Dress Rehearsals commence at 10:00 AM.

**NOTE:** Should you be unable to attend any rehearsal, please inform your section lead and MVPO Personnel Manager as much in advance as possible; we may be able to find a substitute. If possible, please arrange for or suggest your substitute for that rehearsal (inform Personnel Manager) and ensure copies of your parts are available in the on-stage music folders in the "milk crate" boxes.

**POST-CONCERT MUSIC TURN-IN:** Marjorie Nelson, our Librarian, will have tables for turn-in of the concert pieces in the Chorus Room (where you'll be leaving your coats, instrument cases, etc.). After the concert, after you've put your instruments away and stored your chairs and stands, please turn in all music. We'll see you in September 2024 for our first rehearsals of the 64<sup>th</sup> Season, and we'll be communicating with you well before to outline the upcoming concert season. Thank you for being such valuable members of the MVPO.

(as of 9-April-2024)