

# ON THE VERANDAH

## OUTDOOR SUMMER MUSIC CONCERTS 2013 AT BENARES HISTORIC HOUSE – JUNE TO AUGUST, FRIDAYS AT 7:30 PM

**June 7 Variante Duo** Harpist Nathalie Younglai and flautist Catherine Richardson have played together for 20 years. Nat and Cat have performed for political dignitaries, oodles of weddings, corporate functions and concerts without aging a bit. [www.varianteduo.com](http://www.varianteduo.com)

**June 14 Mississauga Children's Choir** celebrated their 30th Anniversary in 2011 and performed at Benares for the first time. [www.mississaugachildrenschoir.com](http://www.mississaugachildrenschoir.com)

**June 21 Quantum Brass.** This six piece Brass group has been together for over 5 years. Perfect for a warm spring evening. Contact: [jmartin@crimsonmartin.com](mailto:jmartin@crimsonmartin.com)

**June 28 Alex Sinclair** has spent over 30 years as a professional musician. Many of those years were spent touring internationally and recording with the folk band Tamarack. [pmsinc@interlog.com](mailto:pmsinc@interlog.com)

**July 5 Ablett and Cooper.** The love of acoustic fingerstyle guitar brought Don Ablett and Brent Cooper together some years ago. In 2008/9 they won the prestigious Brampton Arts Council Bravo Award for Outstanding Concert Performance by a Solo or Small Ensemble. [donablett@cogeco.ca](mailto:donablett@cogeco.ca)

**July 12 Denise Leslie.** For her third consecutive year "On the Verandah" we are delighted to welcome back jazz vocalist Denise Leslie. Get your ears warmed up at [www.myspace.com](http://www.myspace.com)

**July 19 Viva Trio** was formed by friends Heather Snowden (flute) and Carla Perrotta-Pyrgos (clarinet) in 2009 and more recently by Garrett Knecht (cello). They

return with a new repertoire that includes classical favourites, music of George Gershwin, and contemporary tango. [carlaperrotta@hotmail.com](mailto:carlaperrotta@hotmail.com)

**July 26 Rob Tardik.** As an award winning guitarist and instrumental music artist Rob has performed at venues across North America. Rob always finds a way to combine his guitar virtuosity and melodic sense to create his smooth sound. [www.robhardik.com](http://www.robhardik.com)

**August 2 Subhadra Vijaykumar** is a South Indian Classical Violinist. As a faculty member at the Royal Conservatory of Music, her performances with her students at the "World and Urban Music Showcase" and for the "City of Mississauga's Rhythms from Around the World Festival" have received excellent reviews from both audience and the media. [subhadra.vijaykumar@rcmusic.ca](mailto:subhadra.vijaykumar@rcmusic.ca)

**August 9 The Licorice Allsorts.** This Clarinet Quartet derives its name from the nickname for the clarinet "the licorice stick" and the fact that they play "all sorts" of music. From Gershwin to Bach, Beethoven to Mozart, they are sure to present a program to entertain everyone. [www.liquoriceallsortsquartet.com](http://www.liquoriceallsortsquartet.com)

**August 16 Sandi Marie and Guy Breau** have played the Veranda concert series for several years and are happy to be returning, this time with their bass player Kevin Jeffries. Mixing a variety of original songs by Diana Krall, John Mayer and many other artists, Guy and Sandi's warm guitar sounds and dynamic vocals, coupled with the beat of Kevin's bass guitar create a sound that is sure to please. [sandra881@yahoo.com](mailto:sandra881@yahoo.com)

**August 23 Age of Reason** David and Michelle played at the very first performance of "On the Verandah" Maria and Chris joined in the fun the following year. We hope you enjoy the music as much as they enjoy performing these classic songs for you! [www.ageofreason.ca](http://www.ageofreason.ca)

**August 30 deVah.** After a very successful evening in 2012, deVah returns to Benares. As newly minted Yamaha Artists in 2011, deVah is comprised of an electric violin, two electric 5-string hybrids, an electric cello capable of multi bass octaves and guest drums. Listen to them [www.devahquartet.com](http://www.devahquartet.com)

### ADMISSION IS PAY-WHAT-YOU-CAN

Suggested donation is \$5 per person and \$10 for a family.

In the event of severe weather, call 905-615-4860, ext. 2110 to confirm the program start time.

Light refreshments available for purchase at each concert. Bring your sing-along voices, insect repellent and blankets or lawn chairs.

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