15 December 2024

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Where To Go, What To Do Near You Drums of the World, Dec. 1 — Symphony percussionists play bongos, bass drums, metal

trash cans, a toy trumpet, sleigh bells, and more at Boettcher, 2:30 p.m. Info: 303-623-7876. **The Doo Wop Project Christmas, Dec. 1-2** — Kick off the season at this event with doo-wo-

pified flare of Christmas classics at Lone Tree Arts Center, 7:30 p.m. Info: 720-509-1000.

Christkindlmarket, Dec.1-22 — German market in *Civic Center Park* with craft, food vendors, plus entertainers Sun.-Wed. 11 a.m.-7 p.m.; Thur.-Sat. 11 a.m.-9 p.m. Info: gacc-co.org.

Cherry Creek Holiday Market, Dec. 1-24 — Open on Fillmore Plaza on Sun.-Wed., Noon-7

p.m.; Thur.-Sat. 11 a.m.- 9 p.m.; Christmas Eve. Noon-3 p.m. Information: 303-394-2905.

Cherry Creek North Winter Wanderland, Dec. 1-24 — Enjoy free outdoor evening family events throughout *Cherry Creek North*, 6 to 8 p.m. Information: 303-394-2905.

Nathan Radich Quintet, Dec. 2 — Saxophonist-composer plays music of Wayne Shorter with medleys of Art Blakey & Miles Davis's 2nd Quintet at Dazzle, 6:30 p.m. Info: 303-839-5100.

Destroy Lonely, Dec. 3 — American rapper, singer-songwriter from Atlanta whose debut studio album peaked at 18, entertains at the Mission Ballroom, 7 p.m. Info: 720-577-6884.

Awadagin Pratt, Dec. 4 — Naumburg International Piano Competition winner, and "one of

the great pianists of our time," plays the *Newman Center*, 7:30 p.m. Info: 303-871-7720. **Sarah Brightman: A Christmas Symphony, Dec. 4** — Classical crossover soprano and one

of the top-selling British artists of all time, plays *Buell Theatre*, 7:30 p.m. Info: 720-865-4220. White Christmas Symphony, Dec. 5 — Celebrate the season with the multi-platinum Irish

sensation Celtic Women with the Symphony at Boettcher, 7:30 p.m. Info: 303-623-7876. 3MoMezzos: Motown & More Holiday, Dec. 5 —Singing trio of award-winning theater

actresses do holiday music concert at Dazzle, shows at 6:30 and 9 p.m. Info: 303-839-5100. Barclay Crenshaw, Dec. 6 — Crenshaw plays electronic music with LYNY, Mary Droppinz.

Strategy, and Shanghai Doom at *Mission Ballroom*, 7 p.m. Information: 720-577-6884.

Daniella Katzir, Dec. 6 — With 7-piece band, lyricist-musician plays sweet, spicy, winter warming ukulele, finger-style guitar in *Swallow Hill's Tuft Theatre*, 8 p.m. Info: 303-777-1003.

El Javi: Acoustic Christmas, Dec. 6-7 — Guitarist-composer combines rock, classical, folk,

and more in eclectic acoustic holiday blend at Dazzle Denver, 6:30 p.m. Info: 303-839-5100. Mannheim Steamroller Christmas, Dec. 6-8 — 20 instruments playing against backdrop

of multimedia effects at *Buell Theatre*, Fri., 7 p.m., Sat. 1 p.m., Sun. 2 p.m. Info: 303-893-4100. White Christmas Ball, Dec. 7 — Metropolitan Jazz Orchestra and Hot Tomatoes perform

1940s party at *Wings Over the Rockies Air & Space Museum*, 5:30 p.m. Info: 303-360-5360. **Holiday with Leslie Odom, Jr., Dec.** 7 — Tony & Grammy winner returns to do holiday

favorites plus Christmas Album selections at Boettcher Hall, 7:30 p.m. Info: 303-623-7876. Kids' Matinee: A Dazzling Christmas, Dec. 7 — Santa sings, and Ralph — the World's Tallest - tells stories and does piano styling for the kids at Dazzle, noon. Info: 303-839-5100.

Granny Dances To A Holiday Drum, Dec. 7-22 — Blend of dance, music, spoken word at

Cleo Parker Robinson Dance with six 2 p.m. & four 7:30 p.m. shows. Info: 303-295-1759.

Purnell Steen & The 5 Pts. Ambassadors, Dec. 8 — Longtime Five Points jazz-blues band, with Myra Warren doing vocals celebrates a "Cool Yule" at *Dazzle*, 6 p.m. Info: 303-839-5100. The Mending, Dec. 8 — A solstice celebration with singer Susan Cox and the band doing a

warm-winsome winter show in Swallow Hill's Tuft Theatre, 7 p.m. Info: 303-777-1003. The Nutcracker Suite, Dec. 9 — CU's award-winning big band performs Duke Ellington's

jazz interpretation of Tchaikovsky's score at Dazzle, 6 and 9 p.m. Information: 303-839-5100. Meow Meow, Dec. 10 — The chanteuse and comedienne brings holiday hilarity, and musical

mayhem to rekindle the holiday spirit at the *Newman Center*, 7:30 p.m. Info: 303-871-7720. **Take 6 Christmas, Dec. 11-12** — The "baddest vocal cats" Take 6 perform Christmas cele-

bration of jazz, R&B, and pop at Lone Tree Arts Center, 7:30 p.m. Info: 720-509-1000.

Stella Cole Quartet, Dec. 11-12 — With rich tone and vocal control, you'll hear songs made famous by Streisand, Garland, Hepburn, more at *Dazzle*, 6:30 & 9 p.m. Info: 393-839-5100. Django Carols, Dec. 13 — LAPOMPE brings their annual holiday show featuring music

in the style of Django Reinhardt's hot club jazz at *Dazzle*, 6:30 & 9 p.m. Info: 303-839-5100. Riders in the Sky Christmas, Dec. 13 — Join Riders for "Christmas the Cowboy Way," entertaining with a big "western ho-ho-ho" at Lone Tree Arts Center, 7:30 p.m. Info: 720-509-1000.

Christmas With The Colorado Choir, Dec. 13-14 — At Augustana Lutheran Church, Friday and Saturday, 7:30 p.m. (doors open 45 minutes prior). Info: www.thecoloradochoir.org.

A Colorado Christmas, Dec. 13-15 — Vocalist Devin DeSantas hosts Symphony Chorus

and Colorado Children's Choral at *Boettcher Hall*, 7:30 p.m., Sun. 1 p.m. 303-623-7876. **Christy Wessler's Holiday Sing-Along, Dec. 14** — Stef Kull is on piano, Julia Hays violin, for

20th sing-along with Laura Butler at Swallow Hill's Daniels Hall, 7 p.m. Info: 303-777-1003. Holly Jolly Family Concert, Dec. 14 — An interactive and engaging one-hour performance

of popular music of the season at Newman Center, 2 p.m. and at 4 p.m. Info: 303-871-7720. Hazel Miller & the Collective, Dec. 14 — Miller plays Jazz, R&B, Blues-Soul, plus original

music at the *Arvada Center*, 6 p.m. & 7:15 p.m., plus 8 p.m.-9:15 p.m. Info: 720-898-7200. **DJO Holiday Show, Dec. 15** — Denver Jazz Orchestra plays holiday favorites plus latin interpretations as annual *Dazzle* Holiday Concert returns at 4:30 & 7 p.m. Info: 303-839-5100.

Annie Booth Trio, Dec. 16-24 — Pianist, bandleader Annie Booth and her trio once again

perform songs from a Charlie Brown Christmas at Dazzle, time varies. Info: 303-839-5100. **Allman Brothers Band Revival, Dec. 18** — Sons of Allman Brothers Band play "The Last Waltz" vibes with Blues, Rock & Country at Paramount Theatre, 8 p.m. Info: 303-623-0106.

Yuja Wang & the Colorado Symphony, Dec. 18 — International pianist performs with

Symphony, conductor Eric Jacobsen at *Boettcher Concert Hall*, 7 p.m. Info: 303-623-7876. **Holiday Brass, Dec. 19** — The Colorado Symphony Brass rings in the holidays with festive

carols and resounding seasonal ballads at *Boettcher Concert Hall*, 7:30 p.m. Info: 303-623-7876. **The King Penny Radio Show Solstice, Dec. 19** — Players bring a golden-era radio show to life with Foley Artist and world class pianist at the Clocktower Cabaret, 7 p.m. Info: 303-293-0075.

Chris Daniels & The Kings, Dec. 20 — 40th year, Daniels and the seven-piece band entertain with horn-drenched rock and soul in Swallow Hill's Daniels Hall, 8 p.m. Info: 303-777-1003.

Rocky Mountain Stocking Stuffers, Dec. 21 — Eight veterans do new show with voc instrumentals to create holiday joy in Swallow Hill's Daniels Hall, 8 p.m. Info: 303-777-1003.

Too Hot to Handel, Dec. 21-22 — Jazz, gospel, and R&B concert featuring guest soloists and the Symphony Chorus at Boettcher Concert Hall, 7:30 p.m., Sun. 2:30 p.m. Info: 303-623-7876.

Home for Christmas, Dec. 21-22 — Celebrate season with music that fills you with joy, nostalgia, warmth of family & friends at Auraria's King Center, 2:30 p.m. Info: 303-556-2296. Otis Taylor, Dec. 26 — Associated with Chicago blues, Otis grew up in Denver. His Blues

Band, known as the Butterscotch Fire Department, plays Dazzle, 6:30 p.m. Info: 303-839-5100. Ken Walker Sextet, Dec. 27 — Playing together for more than two decades, group plays jazz

standards, post bog tunes, original compositions at *Dazzle Denver*, 6 p.m. Info: 303-839-5100.

Luttrell, Dec. 28 — Performing on both sides of the Atlantic, he brings his dreamy indie-laced house and techno music to the *Bluebird Theater*, 9 p.m. Information: 303-377-1666. Greensky Bluegrass, Dec. 30-31 — Five-piece Kalamazoo-based bluegrass jam band does

Decadence, **Dec. 30-31** — Attend nation's biggest New Year's Eve indoor dance party featuring 20 performing artists at the Colorado Convention Center, 6:30 p.m. Info: 303-228-8000. Jacob Larsen Band, Dec. 31 — Soulful tunes, plus open dance floor New Year's Eve at Daz-

New Year's Eve full light show at the *Mission Ballroom*, 8 p.m., Tue., 9 p.m. Info: 720-577-6884.

zle. Pre gala 7-8:30 p.m.; 10 p.m.-12:30 a.m., dinner, favors, champagne. Info: 303-839-5100. White Rose Gala, Dec. 31 — Gatsby era event with band, DJs, elegant attire required. Countdown, balloon drop at the Ritz-Carlton Denver, 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. Info: 720-226-6196.

A Night in Vienna, Dec. 31 — Waltz into 2025 with the Colorado Symphony playing polkas, waltzes, and marches at Boettcher Concert Hall, 6:30-9 p.m. Info: 303-623-7876.

Attendance Alert: Listings may be cancelled or changed without notice. Readers should always

call and confirm event dates and times before making plans to attend.