

About Gilbert & Sullivan

The Gilbert & Sullivan comic operas were composed between 1871 and 1896 in Victorian London. Their sparkling musical scores by Sir Arthur Sullivan and their dazzling lyrics by Sir William S. Gilbert have kept them popular throughout the English-speaking world ever since. They've been called the "Saturday Night Live" of their day for their satiric appeal, but they have proven universal and timeless in their comic and ironic treatment of human foibles through their "airy persiflage" and "innocent merriment." And the popular appeal of the music has endeared them to millions who cherish "laughing song and merry dance." They are arguably the most popular "musical comedies" ever written for the stage.



Our Mission

The Gilbert and Sullivan Society of Austin was founded with the purpose of educating the public and preserving the works of Gilbert and Sullivan. Formed in 1976, the group entertains and educates thousands of Central Texas residents every year.

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The Gilbert & Sullivan Society of Austin

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Italian

September 8, 2013

Harris Bell Hall

Westminster

Austin, Texas

The
Gilbert
SULLIVAN Society
OF AUSTIN

Entertaining Austin Audiences Since 1976

Program

Welcome and Introduction	Libby Weed
Mistress of Ceremonies	Janette Jones
“That’s Amore” (Warren & Brooks)	Robert
“When a Merry Maiden Marries” (<i>The Gondoliers</i>)	Rosa
“Deh Vieni, Non Tardar” (<i>Le Nozze di Figaro</i> , Mozart)	Angela
“Rising early in the morning” (<i>The Gondoliers</i>)	David
“Una furtiva lagrima” (<i>L’elisir d’amore</i> , Donizetti)	Leonard
“Kind sir, you cannot have the heart” (<i>The Gondoliers</i>)	June
“Smanie Implacabili” (<i>Così fan tutte</i> , Mozart)	Brittany
“I stole the prince” (<i>The Gondoliers</i>)	Robert
“Venite inginocchiatevi” (<i>Le Nozze di Figaro</i> , Mozart)	Amelia
“Take a pair of sparkling eyes” (<i>The Gondoliers</i>)	Wayne
“Stella del marinar” (<i>La Gioconda</i> , Ponchielli)	Patricia
“After sailing to this island” (<i>The Gondoliers</i>)	Rosa & Angela
“Madamina, il catalogo è questo” (<i>Don Giovanni</i> , Mozart)	Robert
“To help unhappy commoners” (<i>The Gondoliers</i>)	Patricia & David
“Là ci darem la mano” (<i>Don Giovanni</i> , Mozart)	Amelia & Robert
“In enterprise of martial kind” (<i>The Gondoliers</i>)	David
“Stridono lassu” (<i>I Pagliacci</i> , Leoncavallo)	June
“Hail, Poetry” (<i>The Pirates of Penzance</i>)	David, company, and audience
“Now to the banquet we press” (<i>The Sorcerer</i>)	Company and audience

Starring

Jeanne Sasaki *on the piano*
with the vocal stylings of

Amelia Ciskey - Patricia Combs - Wayne J. Davis - David Fontenot
Rosa Harris - Angela Irving - Leonard Johnson
June Julian - Robert L. Schneider - Brittany Trinité

Please join us for refreshments after the program.

Produced by Janette Jones

Special Thanks:

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Thank you for being here this afternoon - we hope to see you again next time!

Next Musicale: **Stars of the G&S Chorus**

Sunday, November 3, at 3 pm

Harris Bell Hall at Westminster

Coming Events:

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| January 5 | Annual Business Meeting and Sing-Along |
| February 23 | G&S Love Songs Musicale |
| March 1-2 | H.M.S. Pinafore Auditions |
| May 18 | H.M.S. Pinafore Preview musicale |
| June 12-22 | Grand Production of H.M.S. Pinafore |

