

## Georgetown Bach Chorale to kick season off Oct. 19

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*Georgetown Bach Chorale*

Fresh from its appearance at Festival 500 in St. John's Newfoundland in July, the Chorale is ready for the new season. Although singing with about 800 other singers is a rare event, together with the Newfoundland Symphony Orchestra, it was an unforgettable experience. We hope to give you, our audience, an equally exciting season!

First is a house concert at the home of Music Director Ron Greidanus, 157 Main St. S., Georgetown on Saturday, Oct. 19 at 8 p.m. Sponsored by the Chorale it features a rarely performed *Piano Quintet in D Major* by Arensky plus Chopin's stirring *Piano Concerto in E minor* played by Greidanus, a pianist, backed by four string players.

Bach's *Christmas Oratorio (Part One)* and his *Magnificat* will be presented in Christ Church Anglican, Brampton, on Nov. 22, 7:30 p.m. and again on Sunday, Nov. 24 at St. Elias Ukrainian Church on Heritage Rd at 2:30 p.m. The concert is a great prelude to the Christmas season. Closer to Christmas the traditional three house concerts, Dec. 20-22, will be given also at 157 Main Street. Tickets are limited for all these popular concerts so buy yours now!

Later in the season there is a Piano and Poetry evening, February 2 (4 p.m.) featuring Ed-



Georgetown Bach Chorale members performed at Festival 500 in St. John's, Newfoundland this summer.

gar Allen Poe, read by our wn Vera MacDonald with piano by Ron Greidanus, followed by a stew and cheese reception.

Also in February, the Chorale warms you up with *Heavenly Spheres ... a Choral Celebration*. This Feb. 23 concert will be held 2:30 p.m. at the Croatian Centre.

The Chorale rounds out what we hope will be an exciting season of choral and other music with Vivaldi's *Four Seasons* in March 22, 7:30 p.m. at Knox Presbyterian Church and Fauré's *Requiem* on April 18, 4 p.m. in St. George's Church.

Hurry to buy your tickets for this exciting season! They are available in Georgetown at Foodstuffs on Main St., Pat's Prime Cuts and Deli in South Georgetown, The Holland Shop in Acton, and Christ Church Anglican in Brampton (for the Nov 22 Christmas concert) or online at [georgetownbachchorale.com](http://georgetownbachchorale.com)

## Buzzfest will have Terra Cotta buzzing

When encaustic and mixed media artist Kim McCarthy became friends with Judy Vella, owner of the Terra Cotta Country Store, the two women immediately felt a creative connection.

A shared love for art and food made the birth of an arts and food festival a natural outcome.

October 5-6, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. the women will see the fruits of their passions unify in a festival hosted at the Terra Cotta Country Store and co-ordinated by the friends. The event affectionately named Buzzfest pays homage to the importance of the natural world and the ongoing need for a balanced ecosystem.



Judy Vella (left), owner of Terra Cotta Country Store with friend encaustic artist Kim McCarthy.

Buzzfest is an outdoor art and food festival featuring approximately 30 high-calibre artisans and foodies from the local and surrounding area.

McCarthy and Vella both felt strongly that artists exhibiting their work be inspired by nature and sensitive to envi-

ronmental practices. Painters, photographers, potters, textile artists, sculptors, woodturners, upcycled artists will be side by side with chefs and farmers will be side by side sharing the gifts of their labours.

All are invited to stroll the gardens which the artists are transforming into a living gallery. Festival guests can enjoy samples of organic goat cheese, purchase roasted chemical-free sausages, indulge in a desert from any one of the pastry chefs participating, take home local produce direct from the grower and shop for that perfect work of art, all in a park-like setting.

Info: [www.terracottacountrystore.ca](http://www.terracottacountrystore.ca)

## Source of the Song 24 presents The Troubadours Tour

Songwriter and Source of the Song host Bruce Madole has announced that Source of the Song 24 will feature a lineup of three special guest songwriters: Duane Steele, Jake Mathews, and Nashville's Wyatt Easterling on Oct. 5 at 8 p.m. in the Terra Cotta Community Centre.

"We got word last week that the Troubadours Tour would have some availability in our area," said Madole. "This was a golden opportunity to present them to a local audience—three fabulous songwriters, from Alberta and Nashville, that we would not normally get a chance to hear in this kind of intimate setting."

Steele is an Alberta-based artist and songwriter whose music has earned him five Juno nominations, and 11 nominations for Canadian Country Music Awards, including two wins for Best Independent Male Artist and Best Vocal Collaboration (with Lisa Brokop, for "Two Names on an Overpass").

Sudbury-born songwriter and artist Jake Mathews now calls Alberta home, and he has himself garnered several CCMA awards nominations, including a Rising Star nomination. With a new CD out, his fourth, and a new song ("Beer Necessities") gaining attention on radio, Mathews is a veteran songwriter who is no stranger to the

Alberta and Nashville music scenes.

Easterling is a hit songwriter in the Nashville scene (among his many cuts, he wrote "Modern Day Drifter", the title track for Dierks Bentley multi-platinum CD) who has a long history as a songwriter and producer (as well as record label executive), and he has just completed a new CD, early copies of which will be available at the performance.

Tickets are available by contacting co-producers Bruce or Marlene Madole. 905-459-9753 (or via email at [brucemadole@sympatico.ca](mailto:brucemadole@sympatico.ca)). Tickets are \$20 advance and \$23 on the day of the show.

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