



Project Opera 2008-2009 Calendar

(subject to minor change) last updated 8/14/08

* = Note to Staff

Unless noted, arrival/warm-up times are built into the schedule

<i>GIOVANI</i>	DATE	<i>RAGAZZI</i>
September 2008		
Opening Day (11:00 am – 2:00 pm)	Sept 13	Opening Day (8:30-10:30 am)
Rehearsal and Apprentice Auditions	Sept 20	Rehearsal
Rehearsal	Sept 27	Rehearsal
<i>Apprentice</i> Rehearsals start (6:30-8:30 pm)	Sept 29	
October 2008		
Rehearsal	Oct 4	Rehearsal
<i>Apprentice</i> Rehearsal	Oct 6	
Rehearsal	Oct 11	Rehearsal
<i>Apprentice</i> Rehearsal	Oct 13	
NO REHEARSAL	Oct 18	NO REHEARSAL
<i>Apprentice</i> Rehearsal	Oct 20	
Rehearsal	Oct 25	Rehearsal
<i>Apprentice</i> Rehearsal *	Oct 27	
November 2008		
Rehearsal	Nov 1	Rehearsal
<i>Apprentice</i> Rehearsal	Nov 3	
Pre-Opera Performance at Ordway (<i>Abduction from the Seraglio</i>) 6:00-7:30 pm	Nov 4	
Rehearsal*	Nov 8	Rehearsal*
	Nov 9	Pre-Opera Performance at Ordway (<i>Abduction from the Seraglio</i>) 12:30-2:00 pm
<i>Apprentice</i> Rehearsal	Nov 10	
Rehearsal	Nov 15	Rehearsal
<i>Apprentice</i> Rehearsal	Nov 17	
Rehearsal	Nov 22	Rehearsal
<i>Apprentice</i> Rehearsal	Nov 24	
NO REHEARSAL	Nov 29	NO REHEARSAL
Dec 2008		
<i>Apprentice</i> Rehearsal *	Dec 1	
Rehearsal	Dec 6	Rehearsal
Galleria (Edina) performance 3-5 pm	Dec 6	Galleria (Edina) performance 3-5pm
<i>Apprentice</i> Rehearsal	Dec 8	
Rehearsal 1:00-3:30 pm Roseville Lutheran Church	Dec 13	Rehearsal 1:00-3:30 Roseville Lutheran Church
Winter Concert – 4 pm (3 pm Warm-Up) Roseville Lutheran Church	Dec 14	Winter Concert – 4 pm (3 pm Warm-Up) Roseville Lutheran Church
Project Opera Winter Break until January 10th		

January 2009		
<i>GIOVANI</i>	DATE	<i>RAGAZZI</i>
Rehearsal	Jan 10	Rehearsal
<i>Apprentice</i> Rehearsal *	Jan 12	
Rehearsal	Jan 17	Rehearsal
<i>Apprentice</i> Rehearsal	Jan 19	
Rehearsal *	Jan 24	Rehearsal *
<i>Apprentice</i> Rehearsal	Jan 26	
Pre-opera performance (<i>Faust</i>) 6:00-7:30 pm	Jan 29	
Rehearsal	Jan 31	Rehearsal
February 2009		
	Feb 1	Pre-opera performance (<i>Faust</i>) 12:30-2:00 pm
<i>Apprentice</i> Rehearsal	Feb 2	
Rehearsal	Feb 7	Rehearsal
<i>Apprentice</i> Rehearsal	Feb 9	
NO REHEARSAL	Feb 14	NO REHEARSAL
<i>Apprentice</i> Rehearsal	Feb 16	
Rehearsal	Feb 21	Rehearsal
<i>Apprentice</i> Rehearsal	Feb 23	
Rehearsal (aria competition)	Feb 28	Rehearsal
March 2009		
<i>Apprentice</i> Rehearsal	March 2	
Donor Concert Performance/ Ordway – 7 pm (6 pm Warm-Up)	March 4	Donor Concert Performance/ Ordway – 7pm (6 pm Warm-Up)
Rehearsal	March 7	Rehearsal
	March 8	Pre-Opera Performance (<i>Pinocchio</i>) 12:30-2:00 pm
<i>Apprentice</i> Rehearsal *	March 9	
Rehearsal *	March 14	Rehearsal *
<i>Apprentice</i> Rehearsal *	March 16	
Rehearsal	March 21	Rehearsal
<i>SPECIAL REHEARSAL FOR ALL</i>	March 23	
Rehearsal	March 28	Rehearsal
Tech Rehearsal – 6-10 pm / The Ritz	March 30	Tech Rehearsal – 6-9 pm / The Ritz
Tech Rehearsal – 6-10 pm / The Ritz	March 31	Tech Rehearsal – 6-9 pm / The Ritz
April 2008		
Dress Rehearsal – 6-10 pm	April 1	Dress Rehearsal – 6-9 pm
Dress Rehearsal – 6-10 pm	April 2	Dress Rehearsal – 6-9 pm
Performance #1 – 6-10 pm (7 pm perf.)	April 3	Performance #1 – 6-10 pm (7 pm perf.)
Performance #2 & #3 – 1-10 pm (3pm & 7pm performances)	April 4	Performance #2 & #3 – 1-10 pm (3pm & 7pm performances)
	April 11	NO REHEARSAL
<i>Apprentice Rehearsal</i>	April 13	
	April 18	Rehearsal *

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Aria Competition Winners / Pre-Lobby Performance (<i>Barber of Seville</i>) 12:30-2:00	April 19	
<i>Apprentice Rehearsal</i>	April 20	
Summer Camp Auditions	April 20	
	April 25	Rehearsal for Children's Festival TBA
Summer Camp Auditions	April 25	
	April 26	Rehearsal for Children's Festival TBA
<i>Apprentice Rehearsal</i>	April 27	
	May 2008	
<i>Apprentice Rehearsal</i>	May 4	
Apprentice Showcase Performance	May 9	
Children's Festival Performance TBA	May 30-31	Children's Festival Performance TBA
June 2008		
Project Opera Summer Camp	June 20-28	