



**Mark O'Connor's
Appalachia Waltz Trio
September 18, 2009**

Acclaimed American composer and virtuoso violinist Mark O'Connor's Appalachia Waltz Trio breathes new life into the music O'Connor created and performed with Yo-Yo Ma and Edgar Meyer in their Appalachia Waltz and Grammy winning Appalachian Journey projects. This acclaimed trio performs fiddle tunes, original compositions, caprices and more in a thoroughly engaging evening.



**Vienna Boys Choir
November 13, 2009**

No group of child musicians has won more renown than the incomparable Vienna Boys Choir, founded by Emperor Maximilian I in 1498. Six centuries later, the famed choir continues to delight music lovers across the globe with its purity of tone, musical depth and distinctive charm. Today, the ensemble's diverse, crowd-pleasing repertoire encompasses the works of its favorite alumni, Austrian folk songs and waltzes, holiday favorites, classical masterpieces, world music and medieval chant.



**The Poulenc Trio
February 26, 2010**

The Poulenc Trio brings together three uniquely gifted virtuosos, oboist Vladimir Lande, bassoonist Bryan Young, and pianist Irina Lande. Combining brilliant 21st-century vibrancy with the best of European instrumental tradition, the trio's performances leap beyond the ordinary concert experience, transporting audiences into a world of beautiful sonorities, playful rhythms and dramatic excitement.



**Kurt Elling
October 9, 2009**

Kurt Elling is the preeminent young male jazz singer today. This follows a ten-year stretch that saw Elling earn seven Grammy nominations for six Blue Note albums, six consecutive years at the top of the Down Beat Critics and Jazz Times Readers' polls, three Jazz Journalists' Association Awards for Best Male Vocalist and the Prix Billie Holiday from the Academie du Jazz in Paris. His quartet has toured the world, performing to critical acclaim in Europe, the Middle East, South America, Asia and Australia, and at jazz festivals and concert halls across the North America.



**Russell Malone Quartet
January 23, 2010**

Russell Malone is an essentially self-taught swing jazz guitarist. He also performs in the bebop and contemporary jazz genres of jazz. He began working with Jimmy Smith in 1988, and went on to work with Harry Connick, Jr. and Diana Krall throughout the 1990's. In addition to touring regularly as leader of The Russell Malone Quartet, Russell Malone can be seen in appearances with Dianne Reeves and Romero Lubambo.

**Jackie Ryan
April 17, 2010**

Jazz vocalist Jackie Ryan's creativity as an artist and performer has put her much in demand for concerts with sold-out shows not only at London's



Ronnie Scott's and at Christofori's in Amsterdam, but also at New York's Lincoln Center's Dizzy's Club and at Los Angeles' Jazz Bakery. Ms. Ryan will appear with local jazz favorites Steve Charleson and Jim Eklof.