

# Ambler Symphony

61st

Season



Beautiful Music



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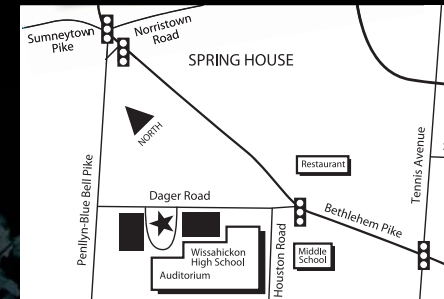


## Jack Moore

Conductor Jack Moore is in his 16th season as Music Director of the Ambler Symphony. He is also Principal Conductor of the Orchestra Society of Philadelphia and Music Director of the Olney Symphony Orchestra in Philadelphia. He maintains a very active schedule with these organizations, as well as guest appearances with other orchestras in the Philadelphia area and in Europe. Jack Moore is the Program Director and classical music announcer at WRTI, the Temple University Public Radio Network.

## Our Mission

The Ambler Symphony is a volunteer orchestra that has been bringing beautiful music to our local community for 60 years. The mission of the Ambler Symphony is to delight with sound and enrich the lives of music lovers - young and old.



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## Subscriptions

### 1st Subscription Concert

Friday, November 11, 2011 – 7:30 P.M.  
Wissahickon High School Auditorium

- Copland - An Outdoor Overture
- Elgar - Cello Concerto
  - Jesús Morales Matos, cello
  - Grofé - Grand Canyon Suite



Cellist Jesús Morales Matos returns to the Ambler Symphony this year, after a triumphant appearance in our 60th season. This year, Mr. Morales will play one of the cornerstones of the cello repertoire, the concerto by Elgar. Two American works make up the balance of the program, including Grofé's descriptive Grand Canyon Suite.

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### 2nd Subscription Concert

Friday, April 20, 2012 – 7:30 P.M.  
Wissahickon High School Auditorium

- Tchaikovsky - Violin Concerto in D
  - Madison Marcucci, violin
- Brahms - Symphony No. 1 in C minor



Madison Marcucci returns this season as soloist in the Tchaikovsky violin concerto.

### 3rd Subscription Concert

Friday, May 11, 2012 – 7:30 P.M.  
Wissahickon High School Auditorium

"Opera Night" with the Ambler Symphony. This special concert features world-class soloists from the Academy of Vocal Arts.

## Community

### Ambler Main Street Holiday Sing-Along

Wednesday, December 14, 2011 – 6:30 P.M.

Ambler Main Street, Ambler Symphony, and Ambler Theater present traditional holiday music and a community sing along, followed by a holiday movie classic. Ambler Theater is located at 108 East Butler Pike in Ambler. Parking is available at two municipal parking lots. For further information visit: [amblersymphony.org](http://amblersymphony.org) and [amblermainstreet.org](http://amblermainstreet.org)

### Menges Scholarship Concert

Sunday, February 12, 2012 – 3:00 P.M.

Upper Dublin Lutheran Church, Ambler  
411 Susquehanna Road, Ambler

Angela Zhao

- Beethoven - Piano Concerto No 1 (Movement 3)

Kevin Kong

- MacDowell - Piano Concerto No 2

Clare Bradford

- Saint-Saëns - Cello Concerto No 1

Jeffrey Han

- Prokofiev - Sinfonia Concertante (Op 125)

Alexandria Conrad

- Dvorak - Violin Concerto (Movement 3)



### Community Organ Concert with Ambler Symphony

Sunday, March 18, 2012 – 3:00 P.M.

Upper Dublin Lutheran Church  
411 Susquehanna Road, Ambler  
Saint-Saëns - Symphony No. 3 (Organ Symphony)

Tickets at Door \$15 | Senior Citizens \$10  
Students \$10 | Children under 12 free with a ticket holder  
For information call 215-503-2256  
All programs subject to change

## Hope Lodge Summer Concert

Wednesday, June 13, 2012 – 7:00 P.M.  
Raindate: Wednesday, June 20, 2012 – 7:00 P.M.

553 South Bethlehem Pike, Fort Washington



Bring along a picnic dinner and enjoy an evening of music on the lawn. There is an admission charge. Please call in case of inclement weather (215-646-1595). For information on historic Hope Lodge visit: [www.ushistory.org/hope](http://www.ushistory.org/hope)



## Bringing Beautiful Music to your Door

Now in its 61st year, the Ambler Symphony brings beautiful music to our community and provides an opportunity for local musicians to perform on stage. There are over 50 musicians in the Ambler Symphony, under the direction of Jack Moore. Throughout the year, the Orchestra presents three series concerts at the Wissahickon High School Auditorium (Friday evenings at 7:30 pm). The Ambler Symphony also provides holiday music in early December, and presents the annual Menges Youth Scholarship Concert in late February. The Menges Scholarship Concert, sponsored by Ambler Kiwanis, has become one of the most exciting concerts of the season. These young musicians have won highly competitive auditions, and each appear with the Ambler Symphony on stage as soloists.

For more information regarding the 2011-2012 concert season, please visit our website at: [www.amblersymphony.org](http://www.amblersymphony.org)

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