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55TH ANNUAL L.A. COUNTY

HOLIDAY CELEBRATION

Wednesday, December 24th
3 P.M. — 6 P.M.

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Salvation Army
Tabernacle
Children's Chorus



JazzAntiqua
Dance Ensemble

DOROTHY CHANDLER PAVILION AT THE MUSIC CENTER

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The History of the Holiday Celebration

In 2014 the Los Angeles County Holiday Celebration marks its 55th year. The **Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors** has sponsored an admission free show for the people of the County every December 24 since 1959. The late Kenneth Hahn, Supervisor of the Second District from 1952 to 1992, was the founder of the Holiday Celebration. Kenneth Hahn cared deeply about the accessibility of the arts to everyone. He personally helmed the fundraising for the first celebration, which was called the Christmas Program and took place at the Sports Arena. When Dorothy “Buffy” Chandler sought Hahn’s support for the proposed Music Center, he told her that he would support it if he could be sure that the Music Center would be open free to the residents of the County at least one day each year. In 1964, the Holiday Celebration moved to the just-opened Music Center and the Dorothy Chandler Pavilion continues to host the Holiday Celebration to this day.

The **Los Angeles County Arts Commission** is executive producer of the Holiday Celebration. The live presentation at The Music Center is the largest holiday show in the County. Attendance has become a seasonal tradition for thousands of Angelenos. PBS SoCaL broadcasts the show live in Southern California. This year’s live show will also be rebroadcast at 9:00 p.m. on December 24 and at midnight and noon on December 25.

PROGRAM
Hosts: Kent Faulcon and Marisa Ramirez
Program subject to change. All times approximate.

3:00 pm Southern California Brass Consortium*
Hector Salazar, CONDUCTOR

ADESTE FIDELES
by David Lovrien

JOYEUX NOEL
by Alfred Reed

3:11 pm Salvation Army Tabernacle Children’s Chorus
Barbara Allen, DIRECTOR
Steve Allen, BASS GUITAR
Cathy Auyeung, PIANO
Redding Cyrus Causey, DRUMS

SHOULDA BEEN A NORTH POLE ELF
by Andy Beck & Brian Fisher Music

HAPPY BIRTHDAY, JESUS
by Carol Cymbala

3:19 pm Los Angeles Children’s Orchestra
A. J. Pascale, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
Susan Pascale, DIRECTOR

BUGLER’S HOLIDAY FOR THREE VIOLINS
AND STRING ORCHESTRA
by Leroy Anderson / Arr. Jack Bullock

BRAZILIAN SLEIGH BELLS
by Percy Faith / Arr. Lloyd Conley

3:27 pm Mountainside Master Chorale*
Dr Sébastien Vallée, ARTISTIC DIRECTOR
Dr. Irene Gregorio, PIANO

CHRISTMAS LULLABY
by John Rutter

3:35 pm Ezralow Dance
Daniel Ezralow, ARTISTIC DIRECTOR & CHOREOGRAPHER

DANCERS:
Alexei Geronimo, Re’sean Pates

’TWAS THE NIGHT BEFORE CHRISTMANS
by Art Carney

3:42 pm Young Angels Choir
Gloria Chung-Ahn, CONDUCTOR
So Yun Kim, PIANO
Seo Ryoung Lee, PERCUSSION

ARIRANG
by Hyo Won Woo

4:00 pm Arturo Sandoval

IT’S BEGINNING TO LOOK A LOT LIKE CHRISTMAS
by Meredith Willson

FELIZ NAVIDAD
by José Feliciano

4:07 pm Los Angeles Children’s Chorus, Young Men’s Ensemble
Dr. Steven Kronauer, DIRECTOR

CAMPANITAS DE CRISTAL
by Rafael Hernandez

VARIOUS THEMES ON “FA-LA-LA”
Arr. Chuck Bridwell

4:14 pm Daniel Ho and Hālau Keali`i O Nālani*
Daniel Ho, MUSICAL DIRECTOR & ’UKULELE
Keali`i Ceballos, CHOREOGRAPHER
Steve Billman, BASS ’UKULELE
Randy Drake, DRUMS

SOON IT WILL BE CHRISTMAS
by Daniel Ho and Corwin Hee

LITTLE DRUMMER BOY
by Katherine K. Davis,
Hawaiian translation by Mary Kawena Puku’i

4:23 pm The Spirit Chorale of Los Angeles
Byron J. Smith, FOUNDER/DIRECTOR
Ricky Taylor, BASS
Gardner Strong Jr., DRUMS

I’LL STAND
by Raymond Wise

HE SHALL PURIFY
Arr. Michael O. Jackson

4:31 pm Trio Ellas*
Stephanie Amaro, GUITAR & VOCALS
Nelly Cortez, GUITARRON & VOCALS
Suemy Gonzalez, VIOLIN & VOCALS

LOS PECES EN EL RIO
by Traditional Villancico

CHIPMUNK CHRISTMAS SONG:
CHRISTMAS DON’T BE LATE
by Ross Bagdasarian (David Seville)

4:37 pm the COMPANY MEN*
VOCALISTS:
Stuart Ambrose, Shawn Perucca,
Brian Purcell, Daniel Tatar

HOLIDAY MASHUP
JINGLE BELL ROCK by Bobby Helms, ROCKIN
AROUND THE CHRISTMAS TREE by Johnny
Marks, SILENT NIGHT by Joseph Mohr & Franz
Xaver Gruber, O COME ALL YE FAITHFUL by John
Francis Wade, JOY TO THE WORLD by Lowell
Mason & Isaac Watts, HARK THE HERALD
ANGELS SING by Felix Mendelssohn & Charles Wesley

4:45 pm Western Standard Time Ska Orchestra*
Eitan Avineri, DIRECTOR

LIKHVOD HACHANUKKAH
by Chaim Nachman Bialik

CHESTNUTS ROASTING ON AN OPEN FIRE
by Bob Wells & Mel Torme

YEMAY HACHANUKKAH
by Avraham Avrunin

4:52 pm Greater Los Angeles Cathedral Choir
Laweta Casiano, CHOIRMASTER
Terrell Robinson, BASS GUITAR
Brandon Williams, KEYBOARD
Cameron Williams, DRUMS

JOY TO THE WORLD
by Ricky Dillard

5:00 pm Los Angeles Ballet
Thordal Christensen, ARTISTIC DIRECTOR & CHOREOGRAPHER
Colleen Neary, ARTISTIC DIRECTOR & CHOREOGRAPHER

DANCERS:
Julia Cinquemani & Alexander Castillo

ARABIAN DANCE
from *The Nutcracker*

5:07 pm Harana Men’s Chorus
Ed Nepomuceno, MUSICAL DIRECTOR

NOCHE BUENA
by Felipe De Leon / Levi Celerio

HERE WE COME A-CAROLING

5:13 pm Buyepongo*
Edgar Modesto, DIRECTOR; CONGA & VOCALS
Kris Castrio, KEYBOARD
Larry Harvey & Richard Herrera, PERCUSSION
Angel Hernandez, ALTO SAXOPHONE
Randy Modesto, BASS & VOCALS
Abraham Ortiz, TROMBONE
Brian Perske, TENOR SAXOPHONE
Jorge Vallejo, GUITAR & VOCALS
Andrea Rodriguez, VOCALS

VAMOS A GOZAR
by Jorge Vallejo

5:27 pm Palmdale High School Choral Union and Sunday Night Singers
Michael McCullough, DIRECTOR

THE HOLLY AND THE IVY
by Ola Gjeilo

THE SLEIGH
by Derric Johnson

5:35 pm JazzAntiqua Dance Ensemble and Maetar
Pat Taylor, ARTISTIC DIRECTOR AND CHOREOGRAPHER
Itai Disraeli, BASS GUITAR
Hagai Disraeli, FLUMPET
Richard Fultineer, DRUMS

DANCERS:
Terrica Banks, Christian Espinel, Alberta Keyes,
Jovonie Leonard, Alex Middleton,
Jason Poullard, Autumn Randolph, Shari Rhone

THE GATHERING
by Pat Taylor
Music by Itai Disraeli & Pam Way

5:40 pm Gay Men’s Chorus of Los Angeles
Dr. Joseph P. Nadeau, ARTISTIC DIRECTOR

IT’S THE MOST WONDERFUL TIME OF THE YEAR
by Eddie Pola & George Wyle / Arr. Hawley Ades

O TANNENBAUM
Traditional, arr. Alice Parker & Robert Shaw
Scott Blois, Soloist

A STAR IS BORN (FROM DISNEY’S *HERCULES*)
by Alan Menken & David Zippel / Arr. Dave Volpe
Chris Etscheid, Thomas Guastavino & Santo C. Ragno, Soloists

5:45 pm Mariachi Sol De Mexico de José Hernández
Edgar Modesto, DIRECTOR

NUTCRACKER MEDLEY
by Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky

(THE AUDIENCE IS INVITED TO SING-A-LONG)

SILENT NIGHT

by Joseph Mohr & Franz Xaver Gruber

Silent Night, holy night
All is calm, all is bright
Round yon Virgin, Mother and Child
Holy infant so tender and mild
Sleep in heavenly peace
Sleep in heavenly peace

Silent Night, holy night
Son of God loves pure light
Radiant beams from Thy holy face
With dawn of redeeming grace
Jesus Lord, at Thy birth
Jesus Lord, at Thy birth

Noche de paz, noche de amor
Todo duerme en derredor
Entre los astros que esparcen su luz
Bella anunciando al niño Jesús
Brilla la estrella de paz
Brilla la estrella de paz

Noche de paz, noche de amor
Ved qué bello resplandor
Luce en el rostro del niño Jesús
En el pesebre, del mundo la luz
Brilla la estrella de paz
Brilla la estrella de paz

ANIMATED FILMS:

“A Synthesizer for Christmas”

DIRECTED BY Ambar Navarro
ORIGINAL MUSIC BY Hyperbubble

“Tiny Winter Circle”

DIRECTED BY Beomsik Shimbe Shim
SOUND DESIGN by Kari Rae Seekins
HOLIDAYS IN SWITZERLAND

“We Share the Light”

DIRECTED BY Benjamin Reichner
ORIGINAL MUSIC BY Karen Tanaka
VIOLIN BY Mark Menzies

Salvation Army Tabernacle
Children's Chorus



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Daniel Ho and
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I CAN WE CAN, A Window Between Worlds
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