

# Canyon Sounds

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Gold Canyon, AZ 85118 (after 10/3/22)

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(after 10/3/22)  
567 Apache Trail (Apache Junction)

3-[www.GoldCanyonArts.org](http://www.GoldCanyonArts.org) (web site)

## *From the President*



Welcome back to beautiful Gold Canyon and the 2022-2023 Gold Canyon Arts Council 26<sup>th</sup> season. We look forward to seeing you at our performances and the Season Opener November 6, 2022 4:30-7:00pm in the MountainBrook Superstition Center. Thank you to Lucienne Arnold and her committee for the coordinaion of this event.

I am thrilled about our season opener "John O'Coner, classical Pianist". Please view the website for the details of his public performance and his lecture/recital on November 19.

GCAC performances and outreach connect and inspire us through the artistic beauty of music. The quality of our performances at our location is truly a testament to your commitment to the Arts. Please share with others and invite them to GCAC performances and membership. Real Estate sales have been active and new residents should know you don't have to drive to Scottsdale to see high quality performances. Thank you.

I want to honor all the volunteers that make this possible. Thank you to the many many hands that have helped make Gold Canyon Arts Council performances and programs remarkable.

Please always feel free to email me at [ingypigood@hotmail.com](mailto:ingypigood@hotmail.com). Thank you. Pam

## Upcoming Arts Council Events

11/6/22-Season Opener  
11/19-John O'Connor-Concert Pianist  
1/13/23-Folk Legacy Trio  
1/28/23-GC Arts Festival  
2/10/23-Blacket Market Trust  
2/24/23-The Fitzgeralds  
3/24/23-Black Oak Ensemble

( Performances begin at 7:00 pm at the Gold Canyon  
United Methodist Church, Kings Ranch Road, Gold Canyon)

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## Canyon Sounds Brochure 2022-2023 (Front)

### Membership

#### BECOME A MEMBER & ENJOY THESE BENEFITS

- Reduced Ticket Prices
- Meet the Artist Receptions
- Season Opener Social
- Annual Meeting Festivities

#### MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES:

Golden Barrel	\$50 (minimum for single membership)
Prickly Pear	\$100 - \$249
Cholla	\$250 - \$499
Ocotillo	\$500 - \$999
Saguaro	\$1000 and Up

### Yes! Make Me a Member

- Pay for membership by credit card at our website:  
[www.goldcanyonarts.org](http://www.goldcanyonarts.org)
- Via check to:  
Gold Canyon Arts Council  
5301 S. Superstition Mountain Dr. Suite 104 #183  
Gold Canyon, AZ 85118

Membership Category \_\_\_\_\_

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ New \_\_\_\_\_ Renew \_\_\_\_\_

Name(s) to appear in program and on name tags  
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#### CONTACT:

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Phone: 480-493-6731

### 22nd Annual GOLD CANYON ARTS FESTIVAL



Saturday, January 28, 2023 • 9am - 4pm

[www.goldcanyonarts.org](http://www.goldcanyonarts.org)

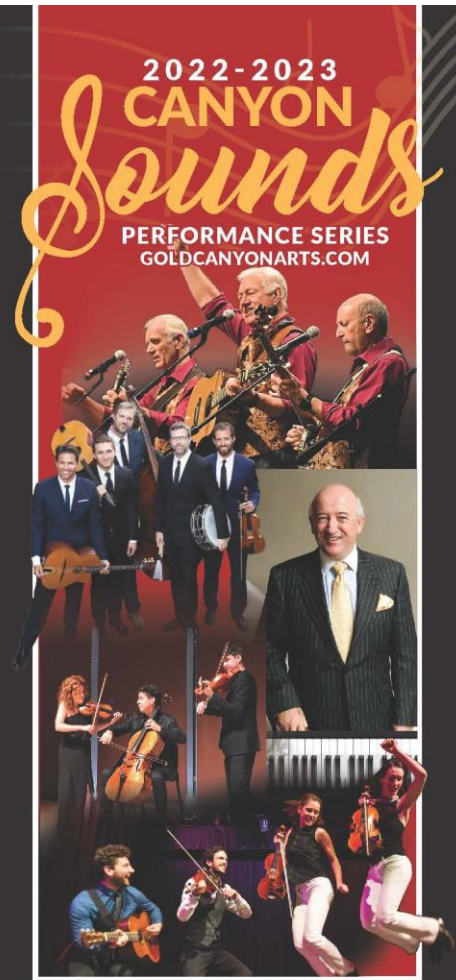
On the grounds of the Gold Canyon United Methodist Church on Kings Ranch Road in Gold Canyon. Live Western, Jazz, Hispanic and Native American music and dance.  
85 - 90 juried artists with original creations for sale.



### EDUCATIONAL OUTREACH

The ability to interact with youth is an important part of our mission and a key criteria for artist selection. Throughout the years, Canyon Sounds artists have reached over 40,000 students with these residency activities. They bring fine arts to underserved area schools in low-to-moderate income areas of Maricopa, Pinal and Gila counties, our local community colleges and the San Carlos Apache Reservation.

The Gold Canyon Art Council is supported by the Arizona Commission on the Arts, the NEA, WESTAF, SRP, Bank of the West, local businesses and generous people like yourself.



*Presented By*

GOLD CANYON ARTS COUNCIL

(Locations where the trifolds can be found are: MountainBrook's Admin. Building and the Superstition Center, Robin Rotella Realtors at 6641 Kings Ranch Rd, Chens Restaurant, Gold Canyon Dry Cleaners, Flaire Boutique on Kings Ranch Rd, Gold Canyon Golf Resort, Tressa's Beauty Salon, AJ Chamber of Commerce, and Gold Canyon Visitors Center at "Live It Well")



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## Canyon Sounds Brochure 2022-2023 (Back)

### To Order Tickets

Individual or season tickets can be purchased at:

- Online at [goldcanyonarts.org](http://goldcanyonarts.org)  
Present PayPal receipt to ticket taker.
- Robin Rotella Team, 6641 S Kings Ranch Rd, Suite 1,  
Gold Canyon, AZ 85118  
Cash Check or Credit Card.

Only individual tickets can be purchased at:

- Apache Junction Chamber of Commerce.  
567 Apache Trail, 85210. Cash Only.

**TICKET EXCHANGE:** Free ticket exchange on all advance purchases.

#### QUANTITY SEASON TICKETS

_____ Members	\$115
_____ 2019-2020 Season Ticket Holders	\$90
_____ Non Members	\$140

#### ADVANCE INDIVIDUAL CONCERT TICKETS

_____ Member	\$25
_____ Non-Member	\$30
_____ Student	\$5

#### TICKETS PURCHASED AT THE DOOR

_____ Member	\$30
_____ Non-Member	\$35

#### QUANTITY

_____ John O'Connor	11/18/2022
_____ The Folk Legacy Trio	01/13/2023
_____ The Black Market Trust	02/10/2023
_____ The Fitzgeralds	02/24/2023
_____ The Black Oak Ensemble	03/24/2023

Total Remitted \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Send order and a check made payable to Gold Canyon Arts Council, to 5301 S. Superstition Mountain Dr., Suite 104 #183, Gold Canyon, AZ 85118. Your tickets will be held at Will Call.

### Join us for our 25th Season!

All concerts are on Friday, 7:00 pm, at the Gold Canyon United Methodist Church, 6640 S. Kings Ranch Rd., Gold Canyon, AZ, just north of the intersection with U.S. 60. Go to [www.goldcanyonarts.org](http://www.goldcanyonarts.org) to purchase tickets through PayPal or to see designated ticket locations.

NOVEMBER 18-19, 2022

*John O'Connor*  
CLASSICAL PIANIST



Through his concert appearances and critically acclaimed recordings, the Irish pianist is a masterful interpreter of the Classic and Early Romantic piano repertoires. His formidable technique, mastery of keyboard color, and unique sound has earned him the title, "Poet of the Piano". Public performance on November 18. Lecture/recital and masterclass on November 19. See website for details.



JANUARY 13, 2023

*The Folk Legacy Trio*  
50'S-70'S FOLK MUSIC

This fabulous trio with their signature dynamic harmonies sings the songs of the great '50's Folk Era through the mid '70s including songs from The Kingston Trio, The New Christy Minstrels, Peter, Paul and Mary, The Chad Mitchell Trio, Judy Collins, Gordon Lightfoot, Simon and Garfunkel and many others. The trio have been members of The Kingston Trio, The Limelighters, and The Diamonds.

FEBRUARY 10, 2023

*The Black Market Trust*  
POP/JAZZ GROUP



This pop/vocal/instrumental group from Los Angeles combines the songs and sounds of legendary American crooners with the fire and energy of Gypsy Jazz guitarist Django Reinhardt. These five world class musicians have traveled the globe performing on the world's biggest stages.

FEBRUARY 24, 2023

*The Fitzgerald Family*  
FIDDLERS/DANCERS



This Canadian family of fiddlers and dancers are Grandmaster Fiddle and Ontario Open Step Dance Champions. They will present an eclectic program which blends jigs and reels, bluegrass, Celtic and show-stopping Ottawa Valley step dancing. Vocal arrangements, novelty dance routines, and friendly banter make this a truly unforgettable musical experience.

MARCH 24, 2023

*The Black Oak Ensemble*  
CLASSICAL TRIO



Praised for their insightful and masterful performances and their fierce eloquence, the Black Oak Ensemble is one of the most innovative and exciting chamber ensembles on the international stage. Black Oak presents exciting programs from Bach to the music of today.



*The Gold Canyon Arts Festival*  
Returns January 28th, 2023

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*The Board of Directors of the  
Gold Canyon Arts Council*

*Invites you to attend*

## ***GCAC's 26<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Season Opener***

***Sunday, November 6, 2022***

***(4:30pm-7:00pm)***

*At Gold Canyon MountainBrook Village*

*Superstition Center*

*5674 S Marble Dr*

*Gold Canyon, AZ 85118*

*Beer, Wine, Water & Desserts provided by*

*GCAC Social Committee*

***Appetizers-Please bring something to share***

***We will again have a Silent Auction of quality items donated  
by the Festival vendors from the 2022 Arts Festival-Bring  
your checkbooks. This is a great time to kick off our 22-23  
season and say welcome back to our Arts Council friends***

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## *Volunteers Needed*

The Gold Canyon Arts Council is seeking GCAC members to form an **Artist Selection Committee** to work with **Artistic Director Jack Kukuk** as he begins his transition into retirement. Beginning this fall, this committee will work with Jack to select the artists for the 2023-2024 Canyon Sounds Performance Season and the Gold Canyon Arts Festival.

If you are interested in applying to be a member of this committee, please email your contact information and a brief statement stating your interest in serving on the committee. If you have had any past experience in this area, please indicate that as well. Do not worry if you do not have previous experience as an interest in this matter is sufficient. Five members will be selected from the list of applicants. Send your statement to Board Member **John Nuss** at **jknuss@live.com**. Applications are due no later than October 20, 2022.

The Artist Selection Committee will work with Jack Kukuk to review, select, and present the suggested list of performers to the GCAC Board. Upon approval by the board, the committee will contract, and schedule the artists.

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## *2022-2023 Canyon Sounds Series*



### **John O'Connor, Concert Pianist November 18 & 19, 2022**

Through his recitals, concerto appearances and critically acclaimed recordings, the Irish pianist John O'Connor has earned a reputation as a masterful interpreter of the Classic and Early Romantic piano repertoires. He has been praised for his formidable technique, mastery of keyboard color, and in particular his unique sound. He has been called a true 'Poet of the Piano'.

Prof. O'Connor is regarded as one of the most important concert artists and piano teachers in the world today. He is Distinguished Artist in Residence, Professor of Music and Chair of the Piano Division at Shenandoah Conservatory in Virginia, International Visiting Artist of the Royal Irish Academy of Music and Visiting Professor at Showa University in Japan. He will present a Friday evening concert and on Saturday, a masterclass and a lecture recital in cooperation with the Arizona Piano Institute.



### **The Folk Legacy Trio-Experience the Great Folk Era January 13, 2023**

The Folk Legacy Trio sings the songs of the great Folk Era from the '50s through the mid-'70s, including songs from The Weavers, The Kingston Trio, The Limelitters, Peter, Paul & Mary, The New

Christy Minstrels, The Brothers Four, The Chad Mitchell Trio, Tom Paxton, Judy Collins, Joan Baez, Gordon Lightfoot, Simon & Garfunkel, John Denver, and many others. It is a journey through American Musical History with their signature dynamic harmonies enriching some of the most beloved songs ever.

The members of the Folk Legacy Trio are George Grove, formerly with the **Kingston Trio** for 41 years, Rich Dougherty, former member of the **Limelitters** and **Kingston Trio** for 25 years and Jerry Siggins, former lead singer of **The Diamonds** for 27 years.

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## **Black Market Trust**

February 10, 2023

**The Black Market Trust** is an American traditional pop/vocal Jazz group from Los Angeles who combine the sounds of the legendary American crooners and vocal groups with the fire and energy of Gypsy Jazz guitarist Django Reinhardt. Consisting of five world class musicians who have traveled the globe recording and performing on the world's biggest stages and with music's most renowned artists, **The Black**

**Market Trust** delivers a high energy, crowd pleasing performance filled with some of the best songs ever written.

The show features material from The Great American Songbook infused with Django's romantic and virtuosic flavor. Be transported as they meld two distinctly different vibes- one of a gypsy campfire, the other a slick metropolitan nightclub-into a cohesive, stylish sound.



## **The Fitzgeralds Canadian Fiddle and Step Dance Ensemble**

February 24, 2023

The members of The Fitzgeralds have been performing and touring since 2005. Featuring three-time Canadian Grandmaster Fiddle Champions and Ontario Open Step Dance Champions, The Fitzgeralds have a proven track record for providing an inspirational and upbeat show

with wide audience appeal.

The Fitzgeralds present an eclectic program, which blends traditional jigs and reels, bluegrass, jazz, Celtic and show-stopping Ottawa-Valley step dancing. Vocal arrangements, novelty routines and friendly family banter make this a truly unforgettable musical experience.

NOTE: Each of the artists scheduled will present in-school concerts, masterclasses and workshops.

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## Black Oak Ensemble March 24, 2023

Praised for their insightful and masterful performances and their fierce eloquence, the **Black Oak Ensemble** is one of the most innovative and exciting chamber ensembles on the international stage. Black Oak presents exciting programs from Bach to the music of today. Passionate advocates of new works, they have commissioned and premiered string trios from several renowned contemporary composers.

In addition to their active performance schedule, the Black Oak Ensemble has also put down roots in the south of France, co-founding Musique Dans Le Gers, a musical festival that provides an opportunity to work with young artists and share their experiences and music with the community. The ensemble is named for the black oak, a beautiful tree native to its home state of Illinois.



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*Please Patronize our '22-23 Support Team and Sponsors!*

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Apache Junction Tires & Service	482-982-9489	<a href="mailto:www.ajtiresandservice@yahoo.com">www.ajtiresandservice@yahoo.com</a>
Arizona Commission of the Arts	602-771-6501	<a href="http://azarts.gov">http://azarts.gov</a>
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Gold Canyon Dentistry	480-288-1800	<a href="http://www.goldcanyondentistry.com">www.goldcanyondentistry.com</a>
Gold Canyon Embroidery & Boutique	480-983-1142	<a href="http://www.GoldCanyonEmbroidery.com">www.GoldCanyonEmbroidery.com</a>
Gold Canyon Eye Center	480-474-2020	<a href="http://www.goldcanyoneyecenter.com">www.goldcanyoneyecenter.com</a>
Gold Canyon Hearing	480-983-4000	<a href="http://www.goldcanyonhearing.com">www.goldcanyonhearing.com</a>
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Gold Canyon United Methodist Church	480-982-3776	<a href="http://www.goldcanyonumc.org">www.goldcanyonumc.org</a>
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Mansur Design Co. – Jessie Mansur	602-565-4945	<a href="mailto:jessie@mansurdesign.com">jessie@mansurdesign.com</a>
Miners on Main, Superior	520-689-5663	<a href="http://www.minersonmain.com">www.minersonmain.com</a>
National Endowment for the Arts	202-682-5400	<a href="http://arts.gov">http://arts.gov</a>
Natural Healing Center	602-321-9456	FB: Natural Healing Center of Gold Canyon
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Rosati's Pizza	480-983-7400	<a href="http://www.myrosatis.com">www.myrosatis.com</a>
Save Money Market, Superior	520-689-2265	<a href="http://www.savemoneymeats.com">www.savemoneymeats.com</a>
Smiling Dog Landscapes	480-288-8749	<a href="http://www.SmilingDogLandscapes.com">www.SmilingDogLandscapes.com</a>
The UPS Store	480-474-9838	<a href="http://www.theupsstorelocal.com/3750">www.theupsstorelocal.com/3750</a>
Tressa's Hair Design & Spa	480-288-6318	<a href="http://www.tressashairdesign.com">www.tressashairdesign.com</a>
Waffle On Inn	480-983-5861	<a href="http://www.waffleoninn.com">www.waffleoninn.com</a>
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