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NEWFOUNDLAND SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

# HALLOWE'EN SPOOKTACULAR

PERFORMING MUSIC FROM HARRY POTTER, THE NIGHTMARE  
BEFORE CHRISTMAS, AND OTHER SPOOKY TUNES



Featuring local youth actors  
performing an original script  
by **Kyle McDavid** of  
Best Kind Productions -

**Henry Hiccup and  
the Forbidden Orchestra**

**Oct. 29, 2021**

St. John's Arts & Culture Centre | 7pm

Photo: Alick Tsui





### Message from the Premier

Welcome to the Newfoundland Symphony Orchestra's 2021-22 season, "a tempo!" The Newfoundland Symphony Orchestra is a cultural institution in our province and this year it promises to deliver a memorable and outstanding experience that is bound to leave an impact. With a jam-packed season filled with in-person and virtual shows, there will be many ways to experience the remarkable talent of these professional musicians. Our culture is abundant with original and creative talent, and nowhere is this more evident than during musical performances held right here at home. As one of our province's most important educational, musical and cultural resources, the Newfoundland Symphony Orchestra deserves the accolades it receives and the Government of Newfoundland and Labrador remains a proud supporter. I thank the devoted board members, donors, sponsors, and you for supporting one of this province's finest institutions. Best of luck on a spectacular season and please enjoy the show!



Hon. Andrew Furey, Premier



### Message from the Mayor

As Mayor of our Capital City, it is my distinct pleasure to extend a warm welcome to all music lovers and Newfoundland Symphony Orchestra followers. Congratulations to the Newfoundland Symphony Orchestra on another exciting season. The City of St. John's is a proud supporter of the arts and of this vibrant organization. With multiple performances every season, the NSO provides entertainment and educational experiences to Newfoundlanders and Labradorians of all ages. This season promises to entertain with both live and digital concerts. We are extremely fortunate to have talented musicians as the heartbeat of our musical community and who are there to share their talent and love of music. The NSO board, staff, volunteers and sponsors work diligently each and every year to bring these shows to our community. Allow me to express my appreciation for your hard work and dedication and thank you for the significant contributions you make to the truly unique culture of our City.

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Danny Breen,  
Mayor



### Message from the Lieutenant Governor

As Patron of the Newfoundland and Labrador Symphony Orchestra (NSO), I welcome you to the 2021-2022 season "a tempo!" The NSO is known, and appreciated, for first-class entertainment featuring some of the most talented musicians, not only in our province, but our country. The amazing talent we are fortunate to enjoy, because of the NSO, enables us to experience wonderful music of various genres. The NSO, with more than 200 individuals, is the largest single employer of professional musicians in the province and contributes to the vibrant fabric of the Newfoundland and Labrador arts community. As an advocate for the arts, I commend the NSO on being innovative and finding ways to deal with the challenges that confronted the arts community during the pandemic. The innovation, combined with creativity and passion, shown by the NSO during COVID-19, have ensured the performances this upcoming season can be enjoyed as digital concerts, or live performances. I am looking forward to the 2021-2022 program which undoubtedly will be a success. Thank you for finding a way to lift our spirits during the pandemic, and continuing to do so this season.



Judy M. Foote P.C., O.N.L.  
Lieutenant Governor



Get ready to unwind with a pre show cocktail! This week's feature is:

## BUTTERBEER

### Makes 1 drink:

- 6 oz cream soda
  - 1 oz Vanilla Vodka
  - 1 oz Butterscotch Schnapps
  - 1/4 teaspoon butter extract
- Topping:
- 1/4 cup heavy whipping cream
  - 1 tablespoon marshmallow fluff
  - 1/2 oz Amaretto

1. In a tall, chilled beer mug, combine cream soda, vanilla vodka, butterscotch schnapps, and the butter extract. Mix well.

2. In a large bowl add the whipping cream, with a mixer, beat the whipping cream until soft peaks form, then add marshmallow fluff and Amaretto. Continue beating until hard peaks form.

3. Place a dollop of the cream on top!



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## BUTTERBEER (non-alcoholic)

### Makes 1 drink:

- 2 scoops of vanilla ice cream
- 1 cup of cream soda
- 1 heaping spoonful of butterscotch topping
- 4-5 ice cubes

1. Add all ingredients into a blender

2. Blend together

3. Pour into a mug and enjoy!

## The Cast

The Mountain King - Emmajane Donnan

Henry Hiccup - Elliott Lambe

Rubato - Charlie Cavanagh

Fermata - Sarah Connors

Reed - Anthony Donnan

Marimba - Riley Coombes-Lush

Hurdy Gurdy - Kieran Foley

Tremolo - Olivia Lawrence

Staccato - Kelsie Scott

Calliope - Olivia Sullivan

**Kyle McDavid** is an arts educator, musician, and the founder and co-Artistic Director of Best Kind Productions in St. John's NL. He is the writer/composer of the original musical, *Impresario*, based on the life of St. John's-born Broadway legend, John Murray Anderson, which was produced through the Resource Centre for the Arts presentation series in 2017, and children's musicals *How Do You Get To Jellybean Row?* which premiered in 2018 at the Bowring Park Amphitheatre, and the upcoming *Sidewalk Dandelion* (commissioned by Shallaway Youth Choir's neurodiverse ensemble, Lauda). Kyle is also the co-writer of musicals *Isobel Gunn*, *Red Rock*, and the upcoming *Sunset Flip*. He has composed for Ladies Who Lunch Productions' *Three Tales of Terror* series and created scripts for the Newfoundland Symphony Orchestra's family concerts, including *Henry Hiccup and the Forbidden Orchestra* (for the Halloween Spooktacular concert) and *Mighty Mabel Saves the Symphony* (for an upcoming Heroes & Villains concert).

Kyle has directed and performed in theatre productions in New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, and Ontario, and is an alumnus of the international leadership program *Up with People* where he toured North America and Europe performing in the musical *Roads*. He is also a freelance graphic designer and a nominee for MusicNL's Educator and Graphic Designer of the Year awards.

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## ORCHESTRA PLAYERS

Violin 1	Heather Kao Lauren Smee Rory Graham	Dominic Greene Daniel Fuchs Zhongli Hu	Andy Kao Natalie Finn
Violin 2	Nancy Case-Oates Jacquelyn Redmond Stewart Gillies	Carole Bestvater Naomi Brown	Elena Vigna Cathy Anstey
Viola	Kate Read Mahina Graham-Laidlaw	Chantelle Jubenville Norma Noseworthy	Ema Shiroma-Chao Jonathan Stevenson
Cello	Nathan Cook Sarah Jane Johnson Pierre Kusters	Sandra Pope Nancy Bannister	Laura Ivany Katherine Shipley
Bass	Frank Fusari	Denise Lear	Nick Howlett
Flute	Grace Dunsmore	Sarah Comerford	Donna Spurvey
Oboe	Valerie Holden	Kathy Conway-Ward	Annie Corrigan
Clarinet	Glenn Rice	Brenda Gatherall	
Bassoon	Grant Etchegary	Chris Williams (contra)	Nicole Hand
Horn	Emily Dunsmore David Natsheh	Dough Vaughan	Michelle Stevenson
Trumpet	Katie Sullivan	Jill Dawe	Christian Berglander
Trombone	Darren McDonald	Hillary Simms	
Bass Trombone	Andrew Cooper		
Tuba	Catherine Tansley		
Percussion	Rob Power David Kerr	Etienne Gendron Ethan MacGowan	Jamie Moran
Keyboard	Jenny Griffioen		
Harp	Sarah Veber		
Drums	Etienne Gendron		



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