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The TBSO Presents Northern Jazz with Robin Ranger

February 17 & 18, 2023 - 7:30 p.m.

Italian Cultural Centre

Andrew Balfour, artistic consultant & conductor

Robin Ranger, vocals & guitar

Dino Pepe, saxophone

Mario Potestio, guitar

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Robin Ranger, vocals and guitar

Robin Ranger didn't set out to be a jazz musician. While walking the streets of Toronto in his early-20s, he heard a guitar-playing busker hit a chord that captivated his ears. It was a B-flat minor 6. He went back to his guitar and experimented with the sound. He added seventh, ninth and major-seventh chords and quite by accident his sound was born. His deep, soulful voice tells a uniquely northern jazz story that the TBSO is thrilled to share.



Andrew Balfour, artistic consultant & conductor



Of Cree descent, Andrew Balfour is an innovative composer, conductor, singer, and sound designer with a large body of choral, instrumental, electro-acoustic and orchestral works, including *Take the Indian* (a vocal reflection on missing children), *Empire Étrange: The Death of Louis Riel*, *Bawajigaywin (Vision Quest)* and *Manitou Sky*, an orchestral tone poem. His new Indigenous opera, *Mishabooz 's Realm*, was commissioned by L'Atelier Lyrique de l'Opéra de Montréal and Highlands Opera Workshop. Andrew is also the founder and Artistic Director of the vocal group *Camerata Nova*.

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Duke Ellington! (A Medley for Orchestra)	Duke Ellington, arr. Custer
Under Your Sky How Could I	Robin Ranger, arr. Ted Vaillant
You Will Always Be Mine	Robin Ranger
Lullaby For My Beautiful Love	Robin Ranger, arr. Ted Vaillant
Please Forgive Me	Robin Ranger
Nothing Can Hold You Down	Robin Ranger, arr. Ted Vaillant
A Touch of Jazz	arr. Jerry Brubaker

INTERMISSION

Caravan	Ellington, Tizol & Mills, arr. Ployhar
Salute to the Big Bands	arr. Custer
This Endless Night Let Me Sing For You	Robin Ranger, arr. Ted Vaillant
The Warmth of my Hands	Robin Ranger
Could Not Wait For I Can Hear The Sunshine	Robin Ranger, arr. Ted Vaillant
Northbound Train	Robin Ranger
It's Only For Us	Robin Ranger, arr. Ted Vaillant

Orchestra Musicians

VIOLIN 1 Kathlyn Stevens, CM Lindsey Herle, ACM William Sirois Elsa Barozzi	VIOLA John Sellick Patrick Horn Geena Salway	FLUTE Sarah Pollard Heather Kilborn	BASSOON Kristy Tucker Aviner Hartwick	TROMBONE Erik Hongisto
VIOLIN 2 Michelle Zapf-Bélanger Allison Lee James Moat Jaedon Daly	CELLO Marc Palmquist Luis Almeida Bryce Penny	OBOE Colleen Kennedy Gwendolyn Buttemer	HORN Janelle Wiebe Damian Rivers-Moore	TIMPANI & PERCUSSION Kevin Brohman
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