

# 2024-25 SEASON

## SEASON SUBSCRIPTIONS

Purchase a season subscription and receive discounts and special seating for the series.

- ▶ **Adults** (18-62)
- ▶ **Seniors** (63+)
- ▶ **YSU Faculty/Staff** (mail order must include a copy of your YSU ID card)\*
- ▶ **Youth** (13-17)
- ▶ **Children** (12 and under)

## INDIVIDUAL TICKETS

Individual tickets are general admission.

### Four Ways to Purchase Tickets:

- 1) Use the form included here;
- 2) Online at [ysu.tix.com](https://www.ytuix.com);
- 3) Call (330) 941-3105; or
- 4) At the performance venue\*

*\*On the day of the performance, tickets may be purchased at the venue where the performance will be held, beginning 1 hour prior to the performance.*

**Note:** Please indicate number of tickets ordered in each ticket category. Orders received too late for return mail will be held at the respective box offices for pick-up. Convenience fees are included in all ticket prices.

### YSU Students

Tickets for all events are free with a valid YSU ID.

### Parking

Performance venues are noted with each event. For directions and parking information, please visit [YSU.EDU/CPAS](https://www.ytu.edu/cpas).

### Performance Cancellations

Although the Cliffe College Performing Arts Series prides itself in bringing some of the finest performers in the world to Youngstown State University and the surrounding areas each season, occasionally an unforeseen occurrence calls for an artist to cancel a performance. If a cancellation occurs, the series will always seek to substitute a comparable artist with similar credentials and performance standards within a related genre.

[YSU.EDU/CPAS](https://www.ytu.edu/cpas)



SEASON TICKETS					
SEASON SUBSCRIPTION	Adult	Senior; Faculty/Staff*	Youth (13+)	Children	TOTAL
Three Performances <small>*does not include Alla Boara</small>	@\$57	@\$48	@\$18	free	\$

Total # of season tickets ordered: \_\_\_\_\_ TOTAL \$: \_\_\_\_\_  
*No refunds or exchanges*

INDIVIDUAL TICKETS					
INDIVIDUAL TICKETS	Adult	Senior; Faculty/Staff*	Youth (13+)	Children	TOTAL
<b>NOBUNTU</b> October 27, 2024	@\$30	@\$25	@\$10	free	\$
<b>SPECIAL EVENT</b>					
<b>ALLA BOARA</b> January 19, 2025	@\$75	@\$75	@\$75	@\$75	\$
<b>HARLEM QUARTET</b> February 1, 2025	free	free	free	free	\$
<b>IMANI WINDS</b> April 4, 2025	@\$30	@\$25	@\$10	free	\$

Total # of individual tickets ordered: \_\_\_\_\_ TOTAL \$: \_\_\_\_\_  
*No refunds or exchanges*

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Check (Payable to Cliffe College of Creative Arts)

Credit Card:  Discover  MasterCard  Visa

TOTAL AMOUNT \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Card No. \_\_\_\_\_

CSV \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. \_\_\_\_\_

Name as it appears on credit card

Signature as it appears on credit card

Mail this form w/check or card information to:

Cliffe College of Creative Arts  
Youngstown State University  
1 Tressel Way  
Youngstown, OH 44555

OFFICE USE ONLY:

Date tickets mailed \_\_\_\_\_

TRX# \_\_\_\_\_

\*Include a copy of your YSU ID Card



NOBUNTU



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### BRINGING THE WORLD'S FINEST PERFORMERS TO YOUNGSTOWN STATE UNIVERSITY

The Cliffe College of Creative Arts invites you to join our Performing Arts Series for a stunning 2024-25 season. For well over four decades, the College has hosted hundreds of cultural events for our campus and community in some of the finest performance venues in our region.

[YSU.EDU/CPAS](https://www.ytu.edu/cpas)



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## IMANI WINDS

### SEASON PERFORMANCES

Nobuntu • Harlem Quartet • Imani Winds

#### Special Event

Alla Boara's *Serata Italiana*



A program of the  
CLIFFE COLLEGE OF CREATIVE ARTS





**NOBUNTU**  
 October 27, 2024, 6:30 PM  
 YSU Ford Theater, Bliss Hall

Nobuntu, a female a cappella quartet from Zimbabwe, has drawn international acclaim for its inventive performances that range from traditional Zimbabwean songs to Afro Jazz and Gospel. The ensemble's concerts are performed with pure voices, augmented by minimalistic percussion, traditional instruments such as the Mbira (thumb piano), and organic, authentic dance movements.

[allianceartistmanagement.com/nobuntu](http://allianceartistmanagement.com/nobuntu)



**HARLEM QUARTET**  
 February 22, 2025, 7:00 PM  
 St. John's Episcopal Church, Youngstown  
 Co-sponsored by 88.5 WYSU-FM

Harlem Quartet is a New York-based string quartet that advances diversity in classical music with varied repertoire, including works by minority composers. Since its public debut at Carnegie Hall in 2006, the quartet has appeared throughout the U.S. as well as in Belgium, Brazil, Canada, Ethiopia, France, Panama, South Africa, Venezuela, and the U.K. The quartet has performed on chamber series across the country; engaged in numerous educational residencies and masterclasses; and collaborated with other talented artists, including violinist Itzhak Perlman, cellist Carter Brey, clarinetist Paquito D'Rivera, saxophonist and composer Tim Garland, and jazz artists Chick Corea, Gary Burton, and John Patitucci.

[harlemquartet.com](http://harlemquartet.com)

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 AT YOUNGSTOWN STATE UNIVERSITY

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**SPECIAL EVENT**

*(Not included in season subscription\*\*)*

**ALLA BOARA'S SERATA ITALIANA**

**A Night of Italian Music and Cuisine**

JANUARY 31, 2025, 6:30 PM

Our Lady of Mount Carmel Basilica, Youngstown  
 Dinner by Station Square Ristorante

Join the Cliffe College Performing Arts Series for a unique experience of Italian music, cuisine, and culture at our *Serata Italiana: A Night of Italian Music and Cuisine* special event.

Enjoy the rich traditions of Italy as we welcome Alla Boara, a vibrant six-piece Italian folk group—founded by Dana School of Music alumnus Anthony Taddeo—that seeks to bring recognition and new life to Italy's diverse history of regional folk music. With modern arrangements that are variously surprising, playful, mournful, tender, and bewitching, Alla Boara's dynamic songs move audiences of all ethnic heritages to treasure their musical roots and consider historical songs' contemporary cultural relevance.

This special event will feature an Italian dinner catered by **Chef Ottavio Musumeci of Station Square Ristorante**, with a menu created to celebrate the authentic flavors of Italy. Whether you're a lover of Italian culture, a foodie, or simply looking for a delightful night out, this event promises an unforgettable experience filled with joy, tradition, and the spirit of Italy.

[allaboara.com](http://allaboara.com)

*\*\* Alla Boara tickets must be purchased in advance.*

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**IMANI WINDS**

APRIL 4, 2025, 7:00 PM

YSU Ford Theater, Bliss Hall

Imani Winds was named the 2024 GRAMMY® Award winner in the Classical Compendium category for Jeff Scott's "Passion for Bach and Coltrane," released on their recently formed record label, Imani Winds Media. Celebrating over a quarter century of music making, the three-time GRAMMY® nominated group has led both a revolution and evolution of the wind quintet through their dynamic playing, adventurous programming, imaginative collaborations, and outreach endeavors that have inspired audiences of all ages and backgrounds. Classical Magazine *Gramophone* wrote, "the ensemble's hot rapport churns with conviction throughout."

[imaniwinds.com](http://imaniwinds.com)

*This series is presented by the*  
**Cliffe College of Creative Arts**  
*which wishes to thank these terrific supporters!*

The Cliffe College Performing Arts Series brings to Youngstown the types of cultural opportunities usually found only in large metropolitan areas. YSU believes that the arts are vital to the university, our community, and region, and the Cliffe College of Creative Arts is proud to host this Performing Arts Series.

Additional funding for the Series has been provided in part by the Youngstown State University Foundation; 88.5 WYSU-FM; WKBN First News 27; Boardman Subaru; Schwebel's Bakery; Lafarge; Armstrong; and the City of Youngstown. Accommodations for guest artists have been provided by the DoubleTree by Hilton Youngstown Downtown, 44 East Federal Plaza, Youngstown, Ohio, 44503 (330-333-8284).

