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Chicago Philharmonic Chamber Players
Spring 2016 City Winery Series Explores Love, Jazz, and Fairy Tales

Chicago, IL – (January 13, 2016) The Chicago Philharmonic Chamber Players (cp²) continue their residency at City Winery Chicago with a Valentine’s Day concert showcasing the many faces of love through a range of genres, a quartet performance of jazz standards, and a family-friendly telling of Hansel and Gretel set to music chosen by the audience. Program dates and performers are as follows:

**The Chocolate Box**
*A Musical Take on the Flavors of Love*

February 14, 2016, Noon
Cheryl Wilson, Vocals
Carmen Kassinger, Violin
Lisa Fako, Violin
Monica Reilly, Viola
Margaret Daly, Cello

**Don’t Mean a Thing**
*Timeless Tunes from the Giants of Jazz*

March 20, 2016, Noon
Ed Harrison, Vibraphone
Pete Labella, Piano
Collins Trier, Bass
Eric Millstein, Drums

**Set the Score**
*A Modern Retelling of Hansel and Gretel Set to Music You Choose*

April 17, 2016, Noon
Jennifer Clippert, Flute
Erica Anderson, Oboe
Barbara Drapcho, Clarinet
Collin Anderson, Bassoon
Jeremiah Frederick, Horn
The Chicago Philharmonic Society has been presenting its cp² City Winery Series since fall 2014. The most recent iteration of the series, in fall 2015, welcomed capacity audiences for performances of classical, soul, and holiday music.

About The Chicago Philharmonic Society

The Chicago Philharmonic Society is a collaboration of over 200 of the highest-level classical musicians performing in the Chicago metropolitan area. Governed under a groundbreaking structure of musician leadership, the Society presents concerts at venues throughout the Chicago area that cover the full spectrum of classical music, from Bach to Britten and beyond. The Society’s orchestra, known simply as the Chicago Philharmonic, has been called “one of the country’s finest symphonic orchestras” (Chicago Tribune), and its unique chamber music ensembles, which perform as the Chicago Philharmonic Chamber Players (cp²), draw from its vast pool of versatile musicians. The Society’s outreach programs connect Chicago-area youth to classical music and provide performance opportunities for members of the community. Founded 26 years ago by principal musicians from the Lyric Opera Orchestra, the Chicago Philharmonic currently serves as the official orchestra of the Joffrey Ballet, continues its 21-year association with the Ravinia Festival, and presents symphonic concerts in Evanston and, beginning in May 2016, at the Harris Theater.

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