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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5, 2024

3:00 P.M.

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How It All Began

AmateurPianists is a 501C3 non-profit organization founded in 2011 by Glenn Kramer to provide performance opportunities for amateur pianists of all professions, backgrounds, and skill levels. Since its formation, AmateurPianists has grown to over 2,300 Meetup members, which includes pianists and non-pianists alike. The group also provides educational opportunities, such as masterclasses and lectures on performance practice, the history of classical music, and much more.

One of our key events is the **San Diego International Piano Competition for Outstanding Amateurs**—our competition has been held every three years since 2016. Our next competition is from **June 27–29, 2025**. With the addition of our non-competitive Festival portion, even more amateurs will have an opportunity to play and be heard.

Classical music should be enjoyable and accessible to everyone, and AmateurPianists serves to facilitate this mission by connecting pianists with audiences.

About Amateur Pianists

Our mission: To provide performance opportunities for adult amateur pianists of all professions and backgrounds; to enable free access to piano music for audiences of all ages and walks of life; to educate the community in piano topics through masterclasses and lectures; and to host the San Diego International Piano Competition and Festival for Outstanding Amateurs.

Your tax-deductible donation will **encourage**, **inspire**, and **provide piano opportunities** for you, your friends, and our members!

If you believe in our mission, please consider a donation with PayPal:



PROGRAM 1 (3PM)

Bill Griswold

We Need More Peace
Bill Griswold

Aleks Telesnikov

Three short pieces
Alexander Scriabin (1872–1915)

Gerard Manecke and Lulu Hsu

Toccata from Suite Gothique, Op. 25

Leon Boellman (1862–1897)

Jim Frimmer

Prelude in G# Minor, Op. 32, No. 12 Prelude in B Minor, Op. 32, No. 10

Sergei Rachmaninoff (1873–1943)

Qi Wang Ballade No. 4, Op. 52

Frédéric Chopin (1810–1849)

Tom Wang Toccata

Aram Khachaturian (1903–1978)

PROGRAM 2 (4:15 PM)

Conner Brown

Original composition

Conner Brown

Alan Busteed

Three short sonatas

Dominico Scarlatti (1685–1757)

George Estrada

Barcarolle in F# Major, Op. 60

Frédéric Chopin (1810-1849)

Aaron Jones

Prelude and Fugue No. 24 in D Minor, Op. 87

Dmitri Shostakovich (1906–1975)

Kevin Fu

Goldberg Variations (selected)

Johann Sebastian Bach (1685–1750)