

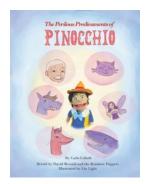


## **The Official Newsletter of Tidewater Winds**

Spring 2022

# Pinocchio: A Free Concert! Now on May 22nd Changed due to weather concerns!

Tidewater Winds and Virginia Beach Production Partner, IMGoing present a sneak-peak to our family entertainment concert that will soon become our RiME Project (Reading in Music Education). The program will perform with reductions for the public on **May 22nd at 1:30 pm** on 24th Street Stage and Park at the Oceanfront in Virginia Beach!



Pinocchio is a timeless tale of consequences, responsibility and growing up. Designed for grades K through 5, Tidewater Winds performs Pinocchio with theatrical stage company Rainbow Puppets!



Maestro John Brewington is not just our conductor, but a passionate educator who really supports one solid effort... community! Join Maestro Brewington for the free family production debut of Pinocchio!

Support Pinocchio The R.i.M.E. Project (Reading in Music Education) was the creative vision of John Brewington, who throughout the Covid pandemic grew more and more concerned about what children were missing from school as they isolated in their homes...social interaction, community, and growth in school subjects such as Music and English were among the top issues. He vowed that when the world came back to some normality, Tidewater Winds and public schools would be there to pick up the pieces. So, R.i.M.E. was born. Essentially, the program partners with school districts to develop themed lesson plans for in-school instruction. The lessons guide students through the basics including exposition, setting, story-structure, and character analysis. When the lessons are completed, students attend the Tidewater Winds matinee on the same theme to experience the full staged musical performance of the story. Students enjoy lobby activities with music, puppets and literacy games before and after the concert, then return to classrooms to complete the lesson analysis. The bigger impact for students and teachers is the return to experience the arts in a social setting. What a powerful impact we can make on children's lives by bringing them together to enjoy concert music and theatrics in a relatable context. This first year of RiME presents Pinocchio, but future productions are being developed now. This new signature service from Tidewater Winds has the potential to reach students across the region and offer a powerful and purposeful means of regaining lost learning but also, rebuilding social and mental health in our children. Please help support our RiME Project as we share our love of music and stories with the children of Hampton Roads.

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY AMERICA!



#### Chesapeake July 3rd

Start the July 4th celebrations early with the City of Chesapeake and Tidewater Winds! We'll open the ceremonies at Chesapeake City Park and then turn it over to the Military Rock Band! Join all of us at the Bagley Stage for beautiful Music and Fireworks to celebrate our country and our freedom!



#### Virginia Beach July 4th

Don't forget your lawn chairs for the 4th of July events at the Oceanfront in Virginia Beach! Hear Tidewater Winds on the beach as we celebrate our freedom! Join us for fireworks after the concert and give thanks for the land of the free and the home of the brave! YES, I'M TALKING ABOUT YOU!

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### An Italian Summer! The 2022 Free Summer Concert Series!

TIDEWATER WINDS July 2022					Tidewater Winds PO Box 62000 Virginia Beach, VA 23466 www.tidewaterwinds.org 757-480-0953	
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1	2
3 Chesapeake City Park Bagley Outdoor Stage Independence Day	4 24th Street Stage Virginia Beach Independence Day	5	6	7	8	9
1D Frank Sings Frank Norfolk Collegiate Granby Street 7:30 pm	11 Frank Sings Frank Regent University Chapel VA Beach 7:30 pm	12 Frank Sings Frank 24th Street Stage VB Oceanfront 7:30 pm	13 Frank Sings Frank Chesapeake City Park Bagley Stage 7:00 pm	14	15	16
17 Kings Queens Counts Dukes Norfolk Collegiate Granby Street 7:30 pm	18 Kings Queens Counts Dukes Corporate Landing MS VA Beach, TENTATIVE 7:30 pm	19 Kings Queens Counts Dukes 24th Street Stage Oceanfront 7:30 pm	20 Kings Queens Counts Dukes Chesapeake City Park Bagley Stage 7:00 pm	21	22	23
24 The Italian Connection Norfolk Collegiate Granby Street 7:30 pm	25 The Italian Connection Hickory High School VA Beach, TENTATIVE 7:30 pm	26 The Italian Connection 24th Street Stage Oceanfront 7:30 pm	27 The Italian Connection Chesapeake City Park Bagley Stage 7:00 pm	28	29	30
31 A Bernstein Tribute Norfolk Collegiate Granby Street 7:30 pm	A Bernstein Tribute Corporate Landing MS VA Beach, <u>TENTATIVE</u> 7:30 pm	2 A Bernstein Tribute 24th Street Stage Oceanfront 7:30 pm	3 Bernstein Tribute Chesapeake City Park Bagley Stage 7:00 pm			

## Please check our website or facebook page for weather and concert updates prior to attending our outdoor programs.



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