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Portrait of Rachmaninov	Thurs Oct 30	8pm	Cullen	47	38	17		
Bossa Nova	Sat Nov 1	8pm	Cullen	N/A	34	17		
Chava Alberstein	Thurs Nov 20	8pm	Cullen	47	38	17		
Song & Dance of West Africa	Sat Nov 22	8pm	Jones	43	38	29	17	
Mariachi Los Camperos	Thurs Dec 4	8pm	Jones	56	47	38	17	
DrumLine Live	Tues Jan 13	7:30pm	Jones	47	38	29	17	
Batsheva	Wed Jan 28	8pm	Jones	56	47	38	17	
Joshua Bell	Fri Jan 30	8pm	Jones	56	47	34	17	
Trockaderos	Sat Jan 31	8pm	Jones	56	47	29	17	
Cherryholmes	Fri Feb 6	7:30pm	Cullen	43	34	17		
Pilobolus	Fri Feb 13	8pm	Jones	56	47	34	17	
Acrobats of China	Sat Feb 14	2pm	Jones	47	38	29	17	
Acrobats of China	Sat Feb 14	7:30pm	Jones	47	38	29	17	
The Chieftains	Wed Feb 25	8pm	Jones	56	47	34	17	
James Galway	Wed March 4	8pm	Jones	61	47	38	17	
Joe Goode Performance Group	Fri March 6	8pm	Cullen	43	34	17		
Salzburg Chamber Soloists	Sat March 14	8pm	Cullen	52	38	17		
Alvin Ailey	Fri March 27	8pm	Jones	56	47	38	17	
Alvin Ailey	Sat March 28	8pm	Jones	56	47	38	17	
Alvin Ailey	Sun March 29	2pm	Jones	56	47	38	17	
Ten Tenors	Thurs April 9	8pm	Jones	61	52	38	17	
Monumental	Fri April 17	8pm	Cullen	38	29	17		
Aspen Santa Fe Ballet	Fri May 8	8pm	Cullen	N/A	34	17		
Hot Peas 'N Butter	Sat May 9	2pm	Cullen	38	29	17		

Subtotal

Post-performance party with **The Ten Tenors** No. of guests _____ x \$100

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SPA's "Make it your own!" 2008-2009 Season

Portrait of Rachmaninov

The Chamber Music Society of Lincoln Center
 8 pm • Thurs, Oct 30, 2008 • Wortham Center

Bossa Nova: Celebrating the First 50 Years

Featuring Oscar Castro-Neves and Friends
 8 pm • Sat, Nov 1, 2008 • Wortham Center

Chava Alberstein

8 pm • Thurs, Nov 20, 2008 • Wortham Center

The Song & Dance Ensemble of West Africa

8 pm • Sat, Nov 22, 2008 • Jones Hall

Mariachi Los Camperos de Nati Cano

In *Fiesta Navidad*
 8 pm • Thurs, Dec 4, 2008 • Jones Hall

DrumLine Live

7:30 pm • Tues, Jan 13, 2009 • Jones Hall

Batsheva Dance Company

8 pm • Wed, Jan 28, 2009 • Jones Hall

Joshua Bell, violin

8 pm • Fri, Jan 30, 2009 • Jones Hall

Les Ballets Trockadero de Monte Carlo

8 pm • Sat, Jan 31, 2009 • Jones Hall

Cherryholmes

7:30 pm • Fri, Feb 6, 2009 • Wortham Center

Pilobolus Dance Theatre

8 pm • Fri, Feb 13, 2009 • Jones Hall

The National Acrobats of China

2 & 7:30 pm • Sat, Feb 14, 2009 • Jones Hall

Paddy Moloney and Chieftains

8 pm • Wed, Feb 25, 2009 • Jones Hall

Sir James Galway, flute

8 pm • Wed, March 4, 2009 • Jones Hall

Joe Goode Performance Group

8 pm • Fri, March 6, 2009 • Wortham Center

Salzburg Chamber Soloists

8 pm • Sat, March 14, 2009 • Wortham Center

Alvin Ailey American Dance Theater

8 pm • Fri & Sat, March 27 & 28, 2009 • Jones Hall
 2 pm • Sun, March 29, 2009 • Jones Hall

The Ten Tenors

8 pm • Thurs, April 9, 2009 • Jones Hall

Monumental

8 pm • Fri, April 17, 2009 • Wortham Center

Aspen Santa Fe Ballet

8 pm • Fri, May 8, 2009 • Wortham Center

Hot Peas 'N Butter

2 pm • Sat, May 9, 2009 • Wortham Center



SPA's 2008-2009 Season

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You may now create your own package of only THREE EVENTS and SAVE 10%.

For the lover of dance, there is **Alvin Ailey American Dance Theater** with **Sweet Honey In The Rock**, the Houston debuts of **Aspen Santa Fe Ballet** and **Batsheva Dance Company**, and the return of **Pilobolus Dance Theatre**.

Classical music aficionados get set for violinist **Joshua Bell**, flutist **James Galway**, **The Chamber Music Society of Lincoln Center**, and **Salzburg Chamber Soloists**.

If world music is your desire, mark your calendar for Israeli folk singer extraordinaire **Chava Alberstein**, the sensational **Song and Dance Ensemble of West Africa**, Ireland's ever-popular **The Chieftains**, and **Mariachi Los Camperos de Nati Cano** in **Fiesta Navidad**.

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Fiesta Navidad **Mariachi Los Camperos de Nati Cano**

Well known for their collaborations on Linda Ronstadt's albums *Canciones de Mi Padre* and *Mas Canciones* and their recent appearance in the film *Sex and the City*, the Grammy Award-winning Mariachi Los Camperos de Nati Cano will bring the most festive of Christmas traditions to Jones Hall. Don't miss this vibrant holiday fiesta for the whole family, complete with singing, vivid sets and dynamic choreography performed by exuberant dancers!

8 pm, Thursday, December 4, 2008

Jones Hall

DrumLine Live

DrumLine Live brings show-style marching band performers from America's top historically Black Colleges and Universities to the theatrical stage for the first time! Created by the music team behind 20th Century Fox's hit movie *DRUMLINE*, this showdown of rhythm and speed between the "lines" will feature the music of the great brass past — like *Earth, Wind and Fire* and *Tower of Power* — alongside the hottest contemporary hip hop and R&B music.

7:30 pm, Tuesday, January 13, 2009

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Batsheva Dance Company

Founded in 1964 by Martha Graham and Baroness Batsheva De Rothschild, Batsheva entered a new era in 1990 with the appointment of internationally acclaimed choreographer Ohad Naharin as artistic director. Now Batsheva makes its Houston debut with Naharin's *Deca Dance*, a reconstruction of existing works exposing the most provocative, bombastic elements of his choreographic genius. *Adult content.*

Presented in partnership with the Jewish Community Center Dance Month at the Kaplan Theatre in celebration of the 60th Anniversary of Israel.

8 pm, Wednesday, January 28, 2009 • Jones Hall



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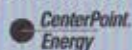
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Joshua Bell, violin Jeremy Denk, piano

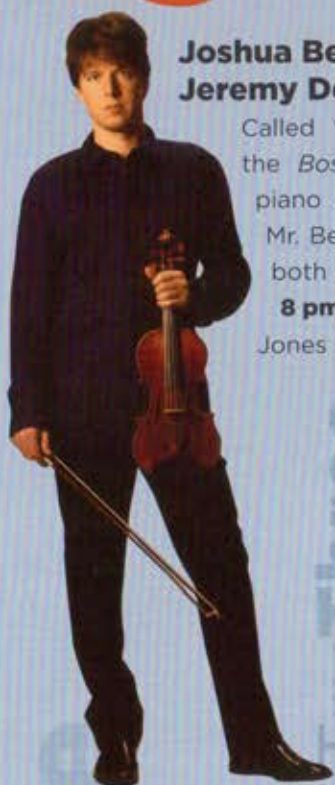
Called "the greatest American violinist active today" by the *Boston Herald*, Joshua Bell returns to Houston with piano virtuoso Jeremy Denk in an adventurous program. Mr. Bell is a "true artist and intellectual whose music feeds both your brain and your heart" (*Newsweek*).

8 pm, Friday, January 30, 2009



Jones Hall

MUSIC SERIES



Les Ballets Trockadero de Monte Carlo

After 34 years, the all-male ballerina troupe known affectionately as "The Trocks" are still going strong, presenting a playful, entertaining view of traditional, classical ballet in parody form and *en travesti*. Of the Trocks' second sold-out run at the Peacock Theatre in London, *The Daily Telegraph* wrote "These guys are really funny. But they can really dance, too." Pure fun!

8pm, Saturday, January 31, 2009

Jones Hall

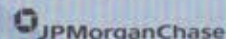
The National Acrobats of China

Direct from China, this dazzling company of 35 performers will mesmerize and mystify with its stunning displays of the best in Chinese martial arts, illusion and acrobats, all set to traditional music.

From plate-spinning to cycling stunts to bench-juggling with their feet, The National Acrobats of China never cease to amaze audiences around the globe.

2 & 7:30 pm,
Saturday, February 14, 2009

Jones Hall



Paddy Moloney with Chieftains and Special Guests

Six-time Grammy winners, The Chieftains are now recognized for bringing traditional Irish music to the world's attention. The Chieftains tour the U.S. for only three weeks each year, making this appearance a true jewel on the SPA season.

8 pm, Wednesday, February 25, 2009

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Alvin Ailey American Dance Theater JUDITH JAMISON ARTISTIC DIRECTOR Masazumi Chaya, ASSOCIATE ARTISTIC DIRECTOR

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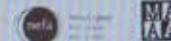
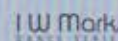
Sweet Honey In The Rock



Join Alvin Ailey® American Dance Theater's 50th anniversary celebration with its eagerly anticipated collaboration between AAADT and Sweet Honey In The Rock. Performing live on stage with the dancers, the Grammy Award-winning female a cappella ensemble will match their soulful harmonies and intricate rhythms to company member Hope Boykin's powerful choreography.

8 pm, Friday & Saturday, March 27 & 28, 2009

2 pm, Sunday, March 29, 2009 • Jones Hall



The Ten Tenors

Australia's hot tenor export makes its Houston debut with an eclectic program drawing from the classical tenor repertoire, Neapolitan ballads and rock classics! The Ten Tenors sing it all — from Queen to Puccini — and are performing to sold-out engagements across the country.

8 pm, Thursday, April 9, 2009 • Jones Hall



See *The Ten Tenors* in concert and then join us for a post-performance party! An additional \$100 puts you on the guest list.

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