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Gallagher in his final album, "I Am Who I Pretend To Be."

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Onstage

• **Gallagher - I Am Who I Pretend To Be** is the CD of his farewell stand-up tour from MVD Entertainment Group. When you hear the name Gallagher, you visualize the red-haired watermelon smasher. However his roots are in Stand-Up Comedy, and in this, his final album, recorded live, he offers solutions to problems between the sexes, between countries, and even with religion, just to name a few. Leo Anthony Gallagher has had an extraordinary life and career. To order his final album (\$12.74), online visit <http://mvd2b.com/s/GallagherIamWhoIPretendToBe/UP3937>.

• **Richard Stockton College Performing Arts Center**, in the M-Wing of the college's main campus at 101 Vera King Farris Drive in Galloway, NJ, presents *An Evening of Conversation and Song with Peter Yarrow*, Saturday, **October 25**, 7:30 p.m. Yarrow, singer/songwriter, has produced songs Peter, Paul & Mary recorded including *Puff, The Magic Dragon, Day Is Done, The Great Mandala* and *Light One Candle*. For tickets (\$32) or info, call 609-652-9000 or visit <http://stocktonpac.org>.

• **Keswick Theatre**, 291 North Keswick Avenue in Glenside, PA, presents *An Afternoon with Groucho*, starring Frank Ferrante, Sunday, **October 19**, at 3 p.m. Ferrante recreates his PBS, New York and London acclaimed portrayal of legendary comedian Groucho Marx in this fast paced 90 minutes of hilarity. The two-act comedy consists of the best Groucho one-liners, anecdotes and songs including *Hooray for Captain Spalding*, and *Lydia, the Tattooed Lady*. A fun-filled show perfect for all ages. For tickets (\$19.50 & \$29.50) or info, call 215-572-7650 or visit www.keswicktheatre.com.

• **Luna Theater Company**, 620 South 8th Street (between South and Bainbridge) in Philadelphia, presents *Quills*, **October 25 - November 15**. The infamous Marquis de Sade, locked away in the Charenton Insane Asylum, continues to write, until his selfish wife, together with the newly appointed head of the asylum set about depriving him of his quills and paper. Despite his imprisonment, the clever Marquis will stop at nothing to fulfill his artistic ambitions, no matter what the cost, no matter what the sacrifice. Recommended for mature audiences due to violence, sexual situations, and nudity. For tickets (\$15 - \$25) or info, call 215-704-0033 or visit www.lunatheater.org.

• **Inis Nua Theatre Company**, at the Off-Broad Street Theatre in the First Baptist Church, 1636 Sansom Street in Philadelphia, presents *Ciphers*, **through October 26**. This British espionage tale, a provocative spy thriller, draws a straight line from today's terrorist headlines to our age-old struggle to know who we really are. Justine, a new member of the British Security Services, trapped in a shadow world of surveillance and subterfuge finds herself in one too many double crossing games, it is up to us to decipher her fate. For tickets (\$25 and \$30) or info, call 215-454-9776 or visit www.inisnuatheatre.org.

Dining Around

• **Townsend**, 1623 East Passyunk Avenue in Philadelphia, offers Chef-Owner Townsend Wentz' *Wine Pairing Dinner*, Monday, **October 20** at 7 p.m., joined by South African winemaker Ken Forrester. For \$75 per person, plus tax and gratuity, guests will enjoy five courses of Chef Wentz's French fare, complemented by rare and special wines from Forrester's portfolio, and have the opportunity to chat with the renowned chef and award-winning winemaker. For reservations or info, call 267-639-3203 or visit www.townsendrestaurant.com.

• **Catelli Duo**, in the Voorhees Town Center, 12101 Town Center Boulevard in Voorhees, NJ, will participate in the annual *Fall Harvest Week*, by offering a special four-course meal for only \$35 from October 17 to 25. For reservations or info, call 856-751-6069 or visit www.catelliduo.com.

Special Events

• **Walnut Street Theatre's** 15th Annual Live and Silent Auction, *Supercalifragilisticexpialid-AUCTION*, Friday, **October 24**, at 8 p.m., offers luxury vacations, premium seats to Philadelphia sporting events, designer accessories, and a special preview performance by cast members of Walnut Street Theatre's production of *Mary Poppins*. For tickets (\$35 in advance or \$40 at the door) or info, call Shayna Freed at 215-574-3550, ext. 506 or email sf@walnutstreettheatre.org.

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Play On, Philly!

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Play On, Philly! students Morgan, Abeil and Khiyan wait to perform with Maestro Yannick Nezet-Seguin at The Philadelphia Orchestra. Photo/© Steven Krull Photography

music, composition, jazz and both large and small ensemble, they perform in their community and across Philadelphia at distinguished venues like the Kimmel Center and the Mann Center. World-class conductors like Maestro Yannick Nezet-Seguin of The Philadelphia Orchestra, and guest artists like Wynton Marsalis and Bobby McFerrin have joined the students on the stage and in the classroom.

Play On, Philly! aims not only to create musicians and future audiences, but through this training to impact the skills that make students successful in school and in life. Play On, Philly! now serves over 250 children at St. Francis de Sales and also at Freire Charter Middle School in Center City.

"Crescendo! The Power of Music" will be shown on **October 20** at 3 p.m. at The Ritz Bourse Theater and again on **October 25** at 3:15 p.m. at The Prince Music Theater (including a performance by POP students and a discussion with Jamie Bernstein). For tickets visit www.filmadelphia.org/tickets or call 267-607-3385. For information about Play On, Philly! visit www.playonphilly.org.

POP and the Harmony Program in Harlem, NYC.

You will be truly moved at the experiences of students Raven and Zebadiah - their struggles, heartbreak and joy - as they discover themselves through the mysterious power of music in the Play On, Philly! program.

Raven is a violin natural with a rambunctious spirit. Quiet, quirky Zebadiah overcomes his shyness and gains confidence through the viola.

Zebadiah is now in 11th grade at Central High School. He returns to St. Francis every week to mentor younger students as a POP Ambassador. Zeb plays viola in The Philadelphia Youth Orchestra, the Central High School Orchestra, and the Play On, Philly! Ambassador Ensemble. This past summer he attended The Performing Arts Institute at Wyoming College for 6 weeks on full scholarship.

Raven, now in 9th grade at String Theory Charter School, studies with a member of The Philadelphia Orchestra, plays in Philadelphia Sinfonia and Musicopia String Orchestra, and wants to be a professional violinist. For the past two summers she attended the distinguished Philadelphia International Music Festival on scholarship.

Play On, Philly!(POP) is unique in its approach to music education. Based on the successful El Sistema program of Venezuela, POP students are immersed in an intensive program for 3 hours daily - over 600 hours per student per year.

In addition to learning an orchestral instrument, general they perform in their community and across Philadelphia at distinguished venues like the Kimmel Center and the Mann Center. World-class conductors like Maestro Yannick Nezet-Seguin of The Philadelphia Orchestra, and guest artists like Wynton Marsalis and Bobby McFerrin have joined the students on the stage and in the classroom.

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