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[jreiter@mccormickfoundation.org](mailto:jreiter@mccormickfoundation.org)**OUTDOOR SYMPHONY CONCERTS ARE BACK!**

**Wheaton, Ill., June 11, 2018** — Evening symphony concerts return to Cantigny Park this month after a two-year hiatus due to park construction. Tickets are now on sale for June and July performances:

- [DuPage Symphony Orchestra](#)  
**Saturday, June 23, 7:30 pm**

Join the DSO and Music Director Barbara Schubert for “Spanish Soundscape,” a virtual visit to the Iberian Peninsula through the works of Spanish, French and Russian composers of the 19<sup>th</sup> century. Enjoy Bizet, Fauré, Massenet and Rimsky-Korsakov, plus authentic Spanish treats by Falla and Albeniz.

- [West Suburban Symphony Orchestra](#)  
**Saturday, July 14, 7:30 pm**

Join Maestro Peter Lipari and the West Suburban Symphony for “Heartland,” a musical tour of America from Appalachia to the Wild West. Enjoy John Williams’ music from the 2012 movie *Lincoln* in celebration of the Illinois Bicentennial, selections from Aaron Copland’s *Rodeo* ballet, and medleys of favorite American songs.

A Symphony Passport (non-paper ticket) is required for each concert. Cost: \$30 in advance or \$35 the week of show; Cantigny Park members pay \$25. A Passport admits one car and passengers, up to four people total. Passports may be purchased at [Cantigny.org](http://Cantigny.org), in the Cantigny Shop or by calling 630.260.8162.

Picnics are encouraged for these “Ravinia style” events, performed on the plaza outside the First Division Museum. Gates open at 6 pm. Blankets or chairs are recommended as seating is on the lawn.

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**About Cantigny Park**

Cantigny Park, part of the Chicago-based Robert R. McCormick Foundations, is the 500-acre Wheaton estate of Robert R. McCormick (1880-1955). It is home to the McCormick House, the newly renovated First Division Museum, formal gardens, picnic grounds, walking trails and a Visitors Center with banquet and dining facilities. More information, including hours, directions and upcoming events is online at [Cantigny.org](http://Cantigny.org). Cantigny Golf, adjacent to the park, features a 27-hole championship golf course, full-service clubhouse, Cantigny Golf Academy and the 9-hole Cantigny Youth Links. For more information, visit [CantignyGolf.com](http://CantignyGolf.com).