

COSMIC Symphony Newsletter

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IMPORTANT NOTE:

Read on for important ticketing info regarding future St. Mary's County concerts!

Don't Miss Our Season Finale!

GET (FREE) TICKETS FOR 4/26/2026 PERFORMANCE [HERE!](#)

COSMIC SYMPHONY PRESENTS:

SALUTE TO THE STATES

CELEBRATING 250 YEARS OF AMERICAN HISTORY AND HONORING OUR LOCAL MILITARY COMMUNITY

SEASON FINALE · DIRECTED BY WILL ESTERLING

SATURDAY, APR. 25, 2026 AT 3:00 PM
NO TICKET REQUIRED!
HUNTINGTOWN HIGH SCHOOL
4125 SOLOMONS ISLAND RD.
HUNTINGTOWN, MD 20639

SUNDAY, APR. 26, 2026 AT 3:00 PM
TICKET RESERVATION REQUIRED!
NANCY R. & NORTON T. DODGE PAC
47855 COLLEGE DR.
ST. MARY'S CITY, MD 20686

TICKET INFO AT
COSMICSYMPHONY.ORG/APRIL-CONCERTS/

NOTE: (FREE) TICKETS REQUIRED FOR ST. MARY'S PERFORMANCE

*The below information applies to St. Mary's County performances ONLY.
 Tickets are NOT required for any Calvert County performances.*

COSMIC is pleased to share that beginning with our April 26th performance of *Salute to the States*, we will be implementing a ticket reservation system at the Nancy R. and Norton T. Dodge Performing Arts Center at St. Mary's College of Maryland.

COSMIC fans that attended our recent exciting collaborative concerts, *A Night on Broadway* with The Newtowne Players and *Gloria* with St. Maries Choral Arts may recall just how large the turnout was. Though this was thrilling for our organization, it also unfortunately resulted in a number of patrons being turned away due to lack of seating. As an organization that relies entirely on the support of our community, the last thing we want is to disappoint our supporters by turning them away at the door when they have come to see us perform. Therefore, at the recommendation of the Dodge PAC staff, we will now require tickets for all performances at this venue, beginning with *Salute to the States*, our season finale.

Rest assured, **these concerts are still free to attend!** Tickets will be reserved at absolutely no charge to you. This is purely a means of tracking our anticipated attendance, which will allow us to notify you ahead of time if a show is sold out. Though they are free, **tickets are required to attend performances.** If you have difficulty securing a ticket, please contact us at orchestra@cosmicsymphony.org so we can assist you.

Please note that tickets are for **general admission** – seats are not reserved in advance. We recommend arriving early to secure your favorite seat, especially if you are coming with a group!

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Event Information

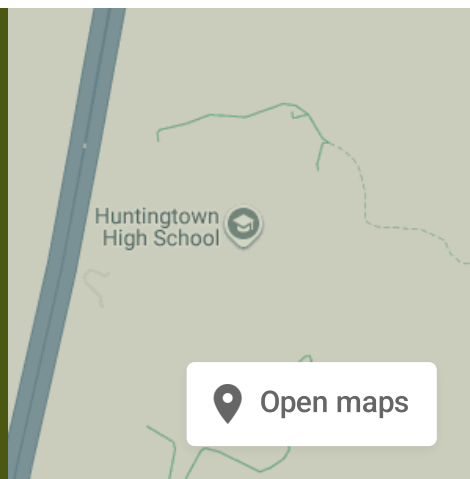
COSMIC Symphony Presents "Salute to the States" - CALVERT PERFORMANCE

When?

Saturday, Apr 25, 2026, 03:00 PM

Where?

Huntingtown High School, 4125 Solomons Island Road, Huntingtown, MD, USA



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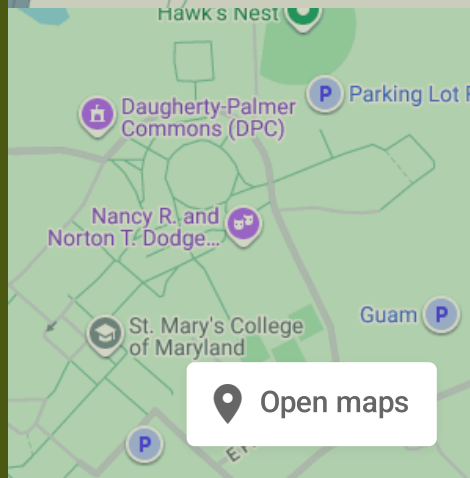
COSMIC Symphony Presents "Salute to the States" - ST. MARY'S PERFORMANCE

When?

Sunday, Apr 26, 2026, 03:00 PM

Where?

Nancy R. and Norton T. Dodge Performing Arts Center, 47855 College Drive, Saint Marys City, MD, USA



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COSMIC Flute Choir



COSMIC: "Symphonie espagnole, Op. 21" by Eduard Lalo, featuring Elizabeth Tober, violin.



COSMIC: "Piano Concerto No. 1" by Sergei Rachmaninoff, featuring Henry Horst, piano.



COSMIC: Symphony No. 8 by Antonin Dvorak.



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DID YOU KNOW?

Though the well-known lyrics to *The Star Spangled Banner* were written by Francis Scott Key, the music was actually written by English composer John Stafford Smith.

Copland's *Fanfare for the Common Man* was inspired by 1942 US Vice President Henry Wallace's speech, titled *The Century of the Common Man*, in which he spoke of a future where everyone, no matter who they were, would have freedom, dignity, and an importance in shaping the world.

The lyrics to *America the Beautiful*, originally a poem, were written by Katharine Lee Bates while visiting Colorado's Pike's Peak in 1893.

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