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Dear Valued Subscriber,

What can I say about the wonderful line-up of performances POPS Music Director Michael Krajewski has created for the 2016-17 season? It's simply amazing, from start to finish. Join us as we *swing* through the best music from every decade of the best half of the 20th century — from the '40s all the way through to the **new Millennium!**

2016-17 CONCERT SCHEDULE

OCTOBER 21-23, 2016 — ELVIS: *The King's Songbook*

We kick off our season with a tribute to "The King"! Joined by "Roots of Rock" legend Dave Bennett and Broadway's acclaimed Allison Blackwell, we'll rock out to smash hits from the early years through the peak of Elvis' career, including *Heartbreak Hotel*, *Hound Dog*, *Love Me Tender*, and much more ...

FEBRUARY 3-5, 2017 — *Sgt. Pepper Celebration*

Let's celebrate the 50th anniversary of The Beatles' groundbreaking *Sgt. Pepper's Lonely Hearts Club Band* album! Joined by widely acclaimed tribute band Classical Mystery Tour, we'll cover *Lucy In the Sky With Diamonds*, *With a Little Help From My Friends*, *When I'm 64*, and other timeless "Fab Four" classics ...

FEBRUARY 24-26, 2017 — *Blockbuster Broadway With David Charles Abell*

Internationally celebrated conductor David Charles Abell — who has wowed our *Christmas Spectacular* audiences for the past three seasons — brings us the best of modern Broadway with showstoppers from *Into the Woods*, *Phantom*, *Hairspray*, *Wicked*, and more ...

MARCH 31-APRIL 2, 2017 — *Ella, Louis & All That Jazz with Byron Stripling*

To mark Ella Fitzgerald's 100th birthday, we're celebrating "The First Lady of Song" and fellow jazz great Louis Armstrong with a swinging lineup that includes *It Don't Mean a Thing (If It Ain't Got That Swing)*, *A Tisket, A Tasket*, and *What a Wonderful World*. Our special guests are the audience-dazzling master pops jazz trumpeter/vocalist Byron Stripling and actress and R&B singing sensation Marva Hicks ...

MAY 5-7, 2017 — *The POPS ROCKS: Eagles, Fleetwood Mac and Journey*

Joined by vocalists/guitarists Micah and Lori Wilshire and Shem von Schroeck, we'll end the season by revisiting chart-topping rock bands from the golden musical era of the '70s with unforgettable hits like *Take It Easy*, *Hotel California*, *Desperado*, *Go Your Own Way*, and more ...

DON'T FORGET TO ADD ON A PERFORMANCE OF PHILLY'S FAVORITE HOLIDAY TRADITION, A PHILLY POPS CHRISTMAS, DECEMBER 2-18, 2016. Maestro Michael Krajewski leads an all-new spectacular lineup of arrangements featuring internationally acclaimed pianist-vocalist Tony DeSare — a returning POPS audience favorite dubbed "Two parts Sinatra, one part Billy Joel" — as well as 300+ remarkable musicians and choir members. It's sure to delight your entire family!

You won't want to miss a note of The Philly POPS' 2016-17 Season! I look forward to seeing you in Verizon Hall.

Sincerely,



Frank Giordano, President and CEO

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