

# FRIENDS OF STALLER CENTER

- SBSO: The Stony Brook Symphony Orchestra is programmed by Stony Brook University's Department of Music and is part of the *Staller Center presents* series. Stony Brook Symphony Orchestra, SBSO for short, consists of five orchestral concerts per year, plus an opera in the Spring. Individual tickets are available for all performances.
- SB Opera: The Stony Brook Opera is programmed by Stony Brook University's Department of Music and is part of the *Staller Center presents* series. Each year, the opera programs one Baroque opera or one contemporary opera and a standard work with orchestra, all staged or semi-staged.
- Playbill: The Staller Center for the Arts prints a program and playbill for all *Staller Center presents* events. Digital Programs are also offered at [stallercenter.com/program](http://stallercenter.com/program)
- Concession: The Staller Center for the Arts offers a light concession before shows and during intermissions when applicable. This is a cash-only concession.
- Early Access: Purchase your *Staller Center presents* performance tickets before the General Public. As of April 2023, the Staller Center has no pre-sale discounts available to the general public. The only way to receive early access and discounts is by becoming a member.
- Staller Center presents: *Staller Center presents* is a series offering diverse shows each year, including a Fall and Spring season featuring professional performances by the stars you know and love, Broadway touring productions and renowned dance companies, and entertainers from around the globe. The [Stony Brook Film Festival](#), our ten day Festival offered in July, is also included in this series, as is the [On the Screen in HD](#) series from London's National Theatre and the Metropolitan Opera.
- Convenience Fees: There are online fees, a charge of \$5 per ticket, with every purchase. We waive these online fees for our members. *Please note: There is still a one-time handling fee per order.*
- Premium Seating: Only Friends of the Staller Center at the \$500+ membership level or above will have a premium seating sections reserved for them for all Live Season performances.
- First Access: Members with First Access will be able to purchase tickets for all *Staller Center presents* events before the public and other *Friends of the Staller Center* members.
- Regular Pass: The [Stony Brook Film Festival](#) is a ten-day Festival hosted by the Staller Center for the Arts every July. The Regular Pass grants access to all Films during the ten-day Festival and includes Q&As following the films.
- Founder's Room: The AI & Harriet Zlatin Founder's Room is an exclusive donor's-only room. Members at the Benefactor-level and above are invited to relax and enjoy complimentary refreshments in this exclusive donor's room up to one hour before curtain and during intermissions of all *Staller Center presents* events.
- Gold Pass: The [Stony Brook Film Festival](#) is a ten-day Festival hosted by the Staller Center for the Arts every July. The Festival offers pass and ticketing options, but the

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Gold Pass is our VIP pass and grants access to all Festival events, including the Opening and Closing receptions and parties, as well as dinners and meet and greets.

- Concierge Ticketing Service: Members with Concierge Ticketing Service will receive special support from a dedicated staff member who will provide expedited response time, assistance with premium seating and ticketing options, and personalized support.
- Meet & Greets: A behind-the-scenes insider perk for members at the Sustainer level and above only. Select shows will have meet & greet opportunities, and members at this level will have the opportunity for photo opps with the stars.
- VIP Gala Tickets: The Staller Center's Annual Gala features some of the biggest names in the performing arts world. VIP Gala Tickets or Gala Supporter Tickets include reserved seating in our VIP section, admission to our Gala Celebration after the show, and acknowledgement in the Gala Program gold pages.