

## EUROPEAN CONCERT TOUR 2007

### PHOENIX BOY'S CHOIR JUNE 20 - JULY 11, 2007 & THE MEN OF THE PHOENIX BOY'S CHOIR JUNE 29 - JULY 11, 2007

**GEORG STANGELBERGER, CONDUCTOR**

#### Day 01 Wed June 20

#### PHOENIX TO VIENNA

**THE PHOENIX BOYS CHOIR** depart Phoenix for Vienna  
Dinner and breakfast (shortly before arrival) served on board

#### Day 02 Thu June 21

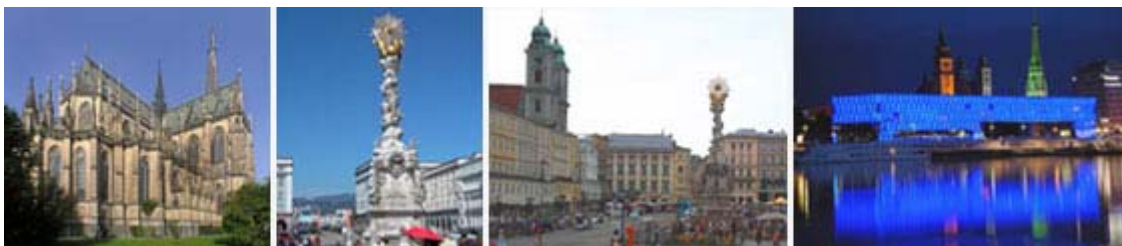
#### VIENNA TO LINZ

9:10 AM **THE PHOENIX BOYS CHOIR** arrive Vienna International airport and will be met by your professional English-speaking tour guide and your driver.  
Transfer by deluxe air-conditioned motor coach to Linz.  
Lunch box provided  
Arrive **Linz** and check-in to youth-hostel

*Welcome to Linz, Upper Austria's capital sprawls along the banks of the Danube and is situated on the ancient Salt Road, that used to link Salzkammergut to Bohemia. The city offers a perfect blend of cultural pursuits and fine sightseeing options. The innovative art and culture made Linz the **European Capital of Culture 2009**.*

6:00 PM Dinner provided at hostel

Overnight Linz (1)



#### Day 03 Fri June 22

#### LINZ

8:15-9:00 AM Breakfast  
Lunch box provided

9:00 AM meet your local guide at hostel and start your Sightseeing of Linz

5:00 PM Early dinner provided at hostel

6:00 PM Depart for Kremsmünster

6:30 PM Set-up and sound-check

7:30PM **EVENING CONCERT TOUR PERFORMANCE (#1) by THE PHOENIX BOYS CHOIR CONDUCTED BY GEORG STANGELBERGER IN STIFT KREMSMÜNSTER**

Overnight Linz (2)

**Day 04 Sat June 23** **LINZ**

8:15-9:00 AM Breakfast  
Lunch box provided  
6:00 PM Dinner provided at hostel  
Overnight Linz (3)

**Day 05 Sun June 24** **LINZ TO INNSBRUCK**

8:15-9:00 AM Breakfast  
9:00 AM Depart for Innsbruck  
Lunch box provided  
1:00 PM Arrive **Innsbruck** and check-in to Stift Stams  
Tirol's capital has all the cultural diversity!

*All important eras - from the Gothic, Baroque and Renaissance to the kk monarchy - take the visitors on a journey back in time. Lovers of modern art will find plenty of galleries and special exhibitions here for a rewarding visit. It's the diversity that makes Innsbruck interesting.*

*Innsbruck was two-time host of the Olympic Winter Games (1964 and 1976) and has a history of 800 years. The city offers art treasures and is famous for buildings such as the Golden Roof, the Hofburg and Ambras castle. It combines tradition and modernity: city strolls and mountaineering, Baroque operas and folklore music, Tuxedos and Lederhosen.*



6:00 PM Dinner provided at Stift  
7:30 PM Set-up and sound-check  
8:00 PM **EVENING CONCERT TOUR PERFORMANCE (#2) by THE PHOENIX BOYS CHOIR CONDUCTED BY GEORG STANGELBERGER IN STIFT STAMS**

Overnight Innsbruck/Stams (4)

**Day 06 Mon June 25** **INNSBRUCK**

8:15-9:00 AM Breakfast  
Lunch box provided  
9:30 AM meet your local guide and start your Sightseeing of Innsbruck  
6:00 PM Dinner provided at Stift  
Overnight Innsbruck/Stams (5)

**Day 07 Tue June 26****INNSBRUCK TO VICENZA**

8:15-9:00 AM Breakfast  
 9:00 AM Depart for **Verona** - stop for Sightseeing



**Verona:** *a first glimpse of the city is love at first sight, and will entice you to come back and explore it thoroughly. For the past two thousand years and more, the city walls enclose a unique and breathtaking range of art-works and monuments.*

*Recently awarded the status of a "World Heritage Site", Verona has delighted painters, poets, travellers and celebrities for centuries. Verona is a work of art in itself: a fascinating cross-roads of historical periods and cultures (both classical and Germanic), a blend of both Nordic and "Mediterranean" influences; the city is at the same time both ancient and modern.*

3:00 PM Lunch box provided  
 Arrive Vicenza and check-in to hotel  
 6:00 PM Dinner provided at hotel

Overnight Vicenza (6)

**Day 08 Wed June 27****VICENZA**

8:15-9:00 AM Breakfast  
 Lunch box provided  
 6:00 PM Dinner provided at hotel

7:00 PM Depart for concert-venue  
 8:00 PM Rehearsal and set-up  
 9:00 PM

**EVENING FESTIVAL CONCERT TOUR PERFORMANCE (#3) by THE PHOENIX BOYS CHOIR CONDUCTED BY GEORG STANGELBERGER – CHIESA DI SANTA MARIA ASSUNTA – FESTIVAL CONCERT CORO GIOVENTU INVITARE IN MAROSTICA**

Overnight Vicenza (7)



**Day 09 Thu June 28****VICENZA to LAKE BLED**

8:15-9:00 AM Breakfast  
 9:00 AM Depart for **Lake Bled/Ljubljana**

Lunch box provided

2:00 PM Arrive Ljubljana and check-in to hotel  
 3:30 PM Depart for Lake Bled

*With immense natural beauty, Bled, together with its surroundings, ranks among the most beautiful alpine resorts, renowned for its mild, healing climate and thermal lake water. The beauty of the mountains reflected on the lake, the sun, the serenity and the fresh air arouse pleasant feelings in visitors throughout the year, guaranteeing an ideal base or a relaxing break or an active holiday. Bled attracts businessmen, artists, athletes, explorers, sport enthusiasts, the old and the young, from all over the world, enchanting them to return again and again.*

6:00 PM Dinner provided at concert-venue

8:30 PM **EVENING CONCERT TOUR PERFORMANCE (#4) by THE PHOENIX BOYS CHOIR CONDUCTED BY GEORG STANGELBERGER IN LAKE BLED – GRAND HOTEL TOPLICE**

Overnight in Ljubljana (8)

**Day 10 Fri June 29****LAKE BLED to LAKE BALATON**

8:15-9:00 AM Breakfast  
 9:00 AM Depart for Lake Balaton, the largest lake in Central Europe.  
 Lunch box provided

2:00 PM Arrive in Keszthely and check-in to hostel

5:00 PM **CONCERT TOUR PERFORMANCE (#5) by THE PHOENIX BOYS CHOIR CONDUCTED BY GEORG STANGELBERGER IN KESZTEHLY CHURCH/LAKE BALATON**

7:30PM Dinner provided at local restaurant  
 Overnight in Keszthely (9)

THE MEN'S OF THE PHOENIX BOYS CHOIR depart Phoenix for Budapest  
 Dinner and breakfast (shortly before arrival) served on board



**Day 11 Sat June 30****LAKE BALATON to BUDAPEST**

- 8:15-9:00 AM Breakfast  
 9:00 AM Phoenix Boys Choir depart for Budapest  
 Lunch box provided  
 11:00 AM Arrive Budapest

*Budapest offers breathtaking Old World grandeur and a thriving cultural life. Situated on both banks of the Danube River, the city unites the colorful hills of Buda and the wide, businesslike boulevards of Pest. Much of the charm of a visit to Budapest lies in unexpected glimpses into shadowy courtyards and in long vistas down sunlit cobbled streets. Although some 30,000 buildings were destroyed during World War II and in the 1956 Revolution, the past lingers on in the architectural details of the antique structures that remain.*

- 11:10 AM THE MEN'S OF THE PHOENIX BOYS CHOIR arrive Budapest

- 3:00 PM Joint rehearsal at hotel  
 5:30 PM Depart for dinner  
 6:30 PM Dinner provided at local restaurant  
 8:00 PM Transfer back to hotel  
 Overnight Budapest(10)

**Day 12 Sun July 01****BUDAPEST**

- 8:15-9:00 AM Breakfast  
 Sightseeing of Budapest  
 Lunch box provided (Boys) and Lunch on own arrangements (Men)

- 6:00 PM Dinner provided at local restaurant  
 7:00 PM Set-up and sound-check  
 8:00 PM

**EVENING CONCERT TOUR PERFORMANCE (#6) by THE PHOENIX BOYS CHOIR & MEN CONDUCTED BY GEORG STANGELBERGER IN BUDAPEST AT MATYAS TEMPLON**

Overnight Budapest(11)

**Day 13 Mon July 02****BUDAPEST to BRNO**

- 5:50 AM Georg Stangelberger and Andrej Strejcek leave Budapest by train and proceed to Brno for first rehearsal with the Czech Virtuosi Chamber orchestra  
 7:00-7:30 AM Breakfast  
 7:30 AM Depart for **Brno**, the Moravian Capital, one-time headquarters of Napoleon (Battle of Austerlitz in 1805)  
 Lunch box provided (Boys) and Lunch on own arrangements (Men)  
 9:48 AM Georg Stangelberger and Andrej Strejcek arrive Brno and check in hotel  
 2:30 PM Group arrives Brno and check-in to hotel  
 1:00-3:00 PM Georg Stangelberger starts rehearsal with the Czech Virtuosi Chamber orchestra



3:30 PM Depart for rehearsal  
4:00-6:00 PM Rehearsal choir and orchestra

6:30 PM Set-up and sound-check  
7:00 PM **EVENING CONCERT TOUR PERFORMANCE (#7) by THE PHOENIX BOYS CHOIR & MEN AND THE CZECH VIRTUOSI CHAMBER ORCHESTRA CONDUCTED BY GEORG STANGELBERGER IN BRNO – ST. MARY’S CHURCH**

8:30 PM Dinner at local restaurant  
Overnight Brno (12)



**Day 14 Tue July 03**

**BRNO to HRADEC KRALOVE**

8:15-9:00 AM Breakfast  
9:00 AM Depart for Hradec Kralove  
Lunch box provided (Boys) and Lunch on own arrangements (Men)

12:00 PM Arrive **Hradec Kralove** and check-in to hotel

2:30-3:30 PM Rehearsal Phoenix Boy's & Men Choir  
3:30-3:45 PM Joint rehearsal  
5:00 PM **EVENING CONCERT TOUR PERFORMANCE (#8) by THE PHOENIX BOYS CHOIR & MEN AND THE CZECH BOYS CHOIR BONI PUERI CONDUCTED BY GEORG STANGELBERGER IN HRADEC KRALOVE - CITY MUSIC HALL**

6:30 PM Dinner provided at local restaurant  
Overnight in Hradec Kralove (13)

**Day 15 Wed July 04**

**PRAGUE**

8:15-9:00 AM Breakfast  
9:00 AM Depart for Prague  
Lunch box provided (Boys) and Lunch on own arrangements (Men)  
11:00 AM Arrive **Prague** and check in hotel (early check-in to be confirmed)

and sightseeing

*Prague, the city of hundred spires is the living soul of the Czech Republic. Prague has been a junction of European trade routes and a political and social center for centuries.*

*As history passed through Prague it left indelible marks everywhere, as well as the influence of many cultures that had met in Prague during past times. This beautiful mixture of many styles from Romanesque and Baroque to Art Nouveau, Cubist and contemporary styles together with the Jewish Quarter and innumerable entertainment opportunities has created the unforgettable atmosphere and made Prague one of the most surprising places in the world to visit.*

*The historic heart of Prague, due to its extraordinary character, is on the UNESCO list of World Monuments.*

1:00 PM depart hotel and start your guided city tour of Prague –Important: bring concert attire

5:30-6:30 PM Rehearsal and set-up

7:00 PM **EVENING CONCERT TOUR PERFORMANCE (#9) by THE PHOENIX BOYS CHOIR & MEN AND THE CZECH VIRTUOSI CHAMBER ORCHESTRA CONDUCTED BY GEORG STANGELBERGER IN PRAGUE AT ST. THOMAS CHURCH**

9:00 PM Dinner provided at hotel  
Overnight Prague (14)



#### Day 16 Thu July 05

#### PRAGUE to CESHKÉ BUDEJOVICE

8:15-9:00 AM Breakfast

9:00 AM Depart for Budweiss (Ceské Budejovice)  
Lunch box provided (Boys) and Lunch on own arrangements (Men)

1:00 PM Arrive **Budweiss (Ceské Budejovice)**

*The South Bohemian capital was founded by the Bohemian King Premysl Otakar II in 1265 on the confluence of the Rivers Malše and Vltava (Moldau) as a royal city.*

Check in hotel  
City tour

5:30-6:30 PM Rehearsal and set-up

7:00 PM **EVENING CONCERT TOUR PERFORMANCE (#10) by THE PHOENIX BOYS & MEN CHOIR AND THE CZECH VIRTUOSI CHAMBER ORCHESTRA CONDUCTED BY GEORG STANGELBERGER IN CESHKE BUDEJOVICE AT ST. NICHOLAS CHURCH**

8:30 PM Dinner provided at hotel

Overnight Ceské Budejovice (15)



**Day 17 Fri July 06****CESKÉ BUDEJOVICE to SALZBURG**

- 7:30-8:00 AM Breakfast  
 8:00 AM Depart for **Salzburg**  
 Lunch box provided (Boys) and Lunch on own arrangements (Men)  
 12:00 PM Arrive Salzburg and city-tour

**Arrive Salzburg - The stage of the world!**

*Art lovers call Salzburg the Golden City of High Baroque; historians refer to it as the Florence of the North, or the German Rome; and music lovers know it as the Festival City -- birthplace of Mozart and home of the world-famous Salzburg Festival.*

- 3:00 PM Depart for Eugendorf  
 3:30 PM Check-in to hotel  
 4:45 PM Dinner provided at hotel  
 5:30 PM Depart for concert-venue

- 6:30 PM Set-up and sound-check  
 7:00 PM **EVENING CONCERT TOUR PERFORMANCE (#11) by THE PHOENIX BOYS CHOIR & MEN AND THE CZECH VIRTUOSI CHAMBER ORCHESTRA CONDUCTED BY GEORG STANGELBERGER IN SALZBURG – OBERNDORF "STILLE NACHT" - CHAPEL/ST. NICHOLAS CHURCH"**

Overnight Salzburg (16)

**Day 18 Sat July 07****SALZBURG to VIENNA**

- 6:30-7:00 AM Breakfast  
 7:00 AM Depart for Vienna  
 12:00 AM Arrive at Gloggnitz and have provided lunch

- 2:00 PM **LUNCH TIME CONCERT TOUR PERFORMANCE (#12) by THE PHOENIX BOYS CHOIR & MEN CONDUCTED BY GEORG STANGELBERGER IN GLOGGNITZ - STADTSAAL**

- 3:30 PM Depart for Vienna  
 5:30 PM Arrive **Vienna**

*Vienna, one of the great capitals of Europe was for centuries home to the Habsburg rulers of the Austro-Hungarian Empire. Today the empire is long gone, but many reminders of the city's imperial heyday remain, carefully preserved by the tradition-loving Viennese.*

*From the late 18th century on, Vienna's culture -- particularly its music -- was famous throughout Europe. Haydn, Mozart, Beethoven, Schubert, Brahms, Strauss, Mahler, and Bruckner all lived in the city.*

*And at the tail end of the 19th century the city's artists and architects -- Gustav Klimt, Egon Schiele, Oskar Kokoschka, Josef Hoffmann, Otto Wagner, and Adolf Loos among them -- brought about an artistic revolution that swept away the past and set the stage for the radically experimental art of the 20th century.*



- 5:45 PM Welcome Ceremony of the **FIRST SUMMA CUM LAUDE INTERNATIONAL YOUTH MUSIC FESTIVAL VIENNA - MUSIKVEREIN 2007 AT ORANGERIE SCHÖNBRUNN**
- 6:45 PM Welcome Ceremony
- 7:30 PM Check-in hotel and dinner provided  
**SUMMA CUM LAUDE INTERNATIONAL YOUTH MUSIC FESTIVAL VIENNA**

Overnight Vienna (17)



**Day 19 Sun July 08**

**VIENNA**

- 8:15-9:00 AM Breakfast
- 10:00 AM Depart for Workshop
- 10:55 AM-12:10 PM Workshop  
Lunch box provided (Boys) and Lunch on own arrangements (Men)
- 12:40-1:10 PM Lecture
- 1:30 PM-2:00PM Workshop
- 2:00 PM Depart for concert-venue
- 4:00 PM Concert at church in Albrechtsberg/Krems
- 5:30 PM Depart for concert-venue
- 7:00 PM Set up and sound-check
- 7:30 PM Concert at Stadtsaal in Gross-Siegharts
- 9:00 PM Dinner provided at local restaurant  
Overnight Vienna (18)

**Day 20 Mon July 09**

**VIENNA**

- 8:15-9:00 AM Breakfast  
Lunch box provided (Boys) and Lunch on own arrangements (Men)
- 1:15-3:15 PM Competition at the Musikverein
- 4:00 PM Depart for concert-venue
- 6:30 PM Set up and sound-check
- 7:30 PM Concert at church in Bad Tatzmannsdorf
- 9:00 PM Diner provided at local restaurant  
Overnight Vienna (19)



**Day 21 Tue July 10**

**VIENNA**

8:15-9:00 AM Breakfast  
Lunch box provided (Boys) and Lunch on own arrangements (Men)  
2:00-5:00 PM Rehearsal at Musikverein  
5:00-6:00 PM Dinner at local restaurant Augustinerkeller  
7:30 PM **Evening Gala and Winner Concert at the Musikverein**  
Overnight Vienna (20)



**Day 22 Wed July 11**

**VIENNA to PHOENIX**

10:50 AM **THE PHOENIX BOYS CHOIR** depart Vienna for Phoenix  
11:10 AM **THE MEN'S OF THE PHOENIX BOYS CHOIR** depart Vienna

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