VIVAT HELVETIA

SNO CONCERT ON THE SWISS NATIONAL DAY

Grosser Saal, Casino Bern, August 1, 2024 at 11:00 a.m.

Welcome by the SNO President, Mr. Markus Brülhart, and the General Secretary of the Department of Foreign affairs (FDFA), Dr. Markus Seiler

National Anthem

Introduction by the SNO Artistic Director, Igor Longato

Hans Huber	IV. Movement: Andante - Allegro con fuoco from the 'Tell Symphony' in D minor, No. 1, Op. 63
Giacomo Puccini	Intermezzo from the opera "Manon Lescaut"
Piotr Tchaikovsky	Polonaise from the opera "Eugene Onegin", Op. 24

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Arthur Honegger	Symphonic Poem "Pastorale d'été", H.31
Siegfried Wagner	Konzertstück for Flute and small Orchestra

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Gaetano Donizetti	Introduzione and Cavatina "In questo semplice" from the opera "Betly, ossia la Capanna Svizzera"
Sergei Rachmaninov	Vocalise, Op. 34, No. 14 for Soprano and Orchestra
Gioacchino Rossini	Ouverture from the opera "Guillaume Tell"

Soloists	Sebastian Jacot, Flute Regula Mühlemann, Soprano
Conductor	John Axelrod

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