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## UConn Opera Theatre's Educational Outreach Brochure 2012/2013

UConn Opera Outreach

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**Opera Outreach  
Limited Offerings  
2012-2013**



**Selections from The Crucible**

**by R. Ward**

Arthur Miller's compelling story about the Salem witch trials comes to life in this dramatic adaptation by composer Robert Ward. This offering provides a great opportunity for cross discipline learning in English, Drama, and Music.

# *The Magic Flute*

**Opera Express!**

**The Magic Flute by W. A. Mozart**

**(Sung in English)**

This beloved opera is presented in an outreach version to highlight the musical style, characters, and key scenes /arias of Mozart's masterpiece. This opera express version is for audiences of all ages!

## WHAT IS OPERA OUTREACH?

Each year, the UConn Departments of Voice and Opera bring the joy of opera to children of all ages throughout the state of Connecticut. UConn Opera Outreach is an ensemble of dedicated voice students at the undergraduate and graduate level that tours with a variety of educational programs designed for every age group. Audiences will experience a fun and educational program that uses an interdisciplinary approach focusing on music, drama, and literature.

## CLASSROOM VISITS



The additional classroom visits bring our teaching artists into your classroom for a one-on-one behind the scenes musical experience. Our students will perform an interactive presentation about the vocal arts, which will help bring to life the outreach performances. The Opera Outreach Ensemble brings together the larger musical concepts of opera with fun games, musical sampling, and their informative presentation on our opera.

### UConn Opera Outreach 2011/2012 performance of "Little Red's Most Unusual Day"

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*Call or e-mail today to reserve your performance!*

# UConn

2012-2013  
Outreach Season  
Educational Opera  
for  
All Ages

### Welcome to our exciting season of opera!

We are pleased to offer a variety of musical selections to help bring opera education into your classroom!



**(Selections) The Crucible 9-12**

**Three Billy Goats Gruff K-6**

**The Magic Flute Opera Express K-12**

**Opera Cat Pre-K to 2**



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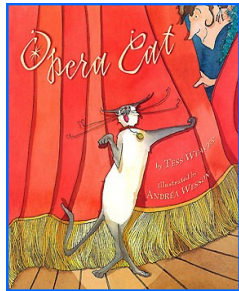
# UConn Opera Outreach 2012-2013 Season Offerings



## *Three Billy Goats Gruff*

by John Davies

An operatic version of the story of the Billy Goats Gruff based on scenes from operas by W. A. Mozart, G. Donizetti, and G. Rossini.



## *Opera Cat*

Storytime Opera is a special program designed to introduce our youngest members to the world of opera. A singer from the UConn Opera department will present an interactive reading of Tess Weaver's *Opera Cat*. This program will include an exploration of musical ideas and a puppet craft activity.

## Price List 2012-2013 Offerings

<i>The Billy Goats Gruff</i> Performances and Opera Education Classroom Visits	Performance \$550.00 w/\$35.00 per classroom visit
<i>Opera Cat</i> (Storytime Opera)	Performance \$300.00
Opera Express <i>Magic Flute</i> (Sung in English) *Limited Offering Spring 2013 Dates Available:  April 9th 9:00am-10:30am April 11th 9:00am-10:30am April 15th 9:00am-10:30am April 17th 9:00am-10:30am April 23rd 9:00am-10:30am April 25th 9:00am-10:30am	Performance \$700.00 w/\$35.00 per classroom visit
Selections from <i>The Crucible</i> by Robert Ward *Limited Offerings Fall 2012 Dates Available:  November 13th 9:00am-10:30am November 15th 9:00am-10:30am November 27th 9:00am-10:30am November 29th 9:00am-10:30am December 4th 9:00am-10:30am December 6th 9:00am-10:30am	Performance \$700.00 w/\$35.00 per classroom visit

\*Call or e-mail today to reserve one of our limited offerings for Fall and Spring!

## Ordering Information

Please contact the opera outreach office at the University of Connecticut by phone or e-mail listed below. For more information, please visit our online link below. You will find information on availability, synopses, a frequently asked questions section, and order forms. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact our opera outreach coordinator, Mr. Joshua May. We look forward to bringing the magic of opera into your school!



Mozart's *Magic Flute*, UConn Opera 2006

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