

For immediate release: March 8, 2016



Mesa, AZ – *Star Trek: The Ultimate Voyage,* a North American concert tour playing performing arts centers in more than 100 cities, will play Mesa Arts Center Monday, April 4 at 7:30 p.m. in the Ikeda Theater. Tickets are available at mesaartscenter.com, at the Mesa Arts Center Box Office, or by calling 480-644-6500.

Star Trek: The Ultimate Voyage is produced by CineConcerts, known for its popular live to projection, symphonic concert experiences. Justin Freer, Producer and Founder of CineConcerts said, "The *Star Trek* franchise has for many years been an important and meaningful part of our culture in so many ways. This exciting concert experience, featuring the greatest music and visuals spanning five decades, will be an extraordinary and memorable event."

People of all ages and backgrounds will experience the groundbreaking and wildly popular musical achievements while the most iconic *Star Trek* film and TV footage is simultaneously beamed in high definition to a 40-foot wide screen. The concert will feature some of the greatest music written for the franchise, played by the Czech National Symphony Orchestra, including music from *Star Trek: The Original Series, Star Trek: The Motion Picture, Star Trek II: The Wrath of Khan, Star Trek IV: The Voyage Home, Star Trek: Insurrection, Star Trek: The Next Generation, Star Trek: Deep Space Nine, Star Trek: Voyager and more. This never-before-seen concert event is perfect for music lovers, filmgoers, science fiction fans and anyone looking for an exciting and unique concert experience.*

CineConcerts Co-Founder and Producer Brady Beaubien said, "When a story has renamed aircraft carriers, NASA space shuttles and the first names of thousands of children in hundreds

of countries, you realize these characters go beyond entertainment, but are more like family. *Star Trek* breaks every boundary of judgment or expectation. It inspires, challenges and rethinks. *Star Trek* is who we want to be: inspired, fiercely loyal, and sometimes reckless."

Star Trek: The Ultimate Voyage will be conducted by Justin Freer, who has quickly become one of the most sought-after conductors of film music with a long list of full symphonic live to projection projects under his belt, ranging from *The Lord of the Rings* trilogy to *The Godfather* to *Gladiator*.

###

About Mesa Arts Center

The Mesa Arts Center mission is to inspire people through engaging arts experiences that are diverse, accessible, and relevant. Owned and operated by the City of Mesa, Arizona's largest arts center is recognized as an international award-winning venue. The unique and architecturally stunning facility is home to four theaters, five art galleries, and 14 art studios and an artist cooperative gallery. For more information, visit <u>mesaartscenter.com</u>.

About CineConcerts:

CineConcerts is one of the leading producers of live music experiences performed with visual media. Founded by producer/conductor Justin Freer and producer Brady Beaubien, CineConcerts has engaged millions of people worldwide in concert presentations that redefine the evolution of live experience. From full-length movie screenings with live orchestras to music-interactive sporting event experiences to original 3D-environment holiday programming, CineConcerts is at the forefront of live entertainment.

About CBS Consumer Products

CBS Consumer Products manages worldwide licensing and merchandising for a diverse slate of television brands and series from CBS, CBS Television Studios and CBS Television Distribution, as well as from the company's extensive library of titles, Showtime and CBS Films. Additionally, the group oversees online sales of programming merchandise. For more information, visit www.cbsconsumerproducts.com.

[™] & ©2015 CBS Studios Inc. STAR TREK and related marks and logos are trademarks of CBS Studios Inc. All Rights Reserved.

About Paramount Pictures

Paramount Pictures Corporation (PPC), a global producer and distributor of filmed entertainment, is a unit of Viacom (NASDAQ: VIAB, VIA), a leading content company with prominent and respected film, television and digital entertainment brands.

Paramount controls a collection of some of the most powerful brands in filmed entertainment, including Paramount Pictures, Paramount Animation, Paramount Television, Paramount Vantage, Paramount Classics, Insurge Pictures, MTV Films and Nickelodeon Movies. PPC operations also include Paramount Home Media Distribution, Paramount Pictures International, Paramount Licensing Inc. and Paramount Studio Group.