

# Napa Valley Symphony Youth Orchestra

## American Celebration of Music in Germany, the Czech Republic, & Austria

Custom Tour #2 (7 nights/9 days)

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**Day 1 Tuesday, June 21, 2022**

Depart via scheduled air service to Berlin, Germany

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**Day 2 Wednesday, June 22 Berlin / Leipzig (D)**

Arrive in Berlin

Meet your MCI Tour Manager, who will assist the group to awaiting chartered motorcoach, and transfer to Leipzig

Lunch, on own

Late afternoon hotel check-in

Evening Welcome Dinner included

Overnight at hotel

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**Day 3 Thursday, June 23 Leipzig (B,D)**

Breakfast included at the hotel

Guided tour of Leipzig includes entrance to the Mendelssohn Museum, the St. Thomas Church (famous because Bach was the organist and choirmaster here, which is the home of the St. Thomas Boys Choir, one of the most famous in the world). Also visit the Bach Museum. The reconstructed Bose House was once the home of the Bach family and now contains the largest Bach archives in Germany

*Morning Clinic/Workshop\**

Lunch, on own

*Performance at St. Peter's Church in Leipzig as part of the American Celebration of Music in Germany\**

Evening dinner included, followed by overnight at the hotel

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**Day 4 Friday, June 24 Prague (B,D)**

Breakfast included at the hotel, followed by check-out

Morning transfer to Prague

Lunch, on own

Enjoy a guided tour of Prague's Castle District where entrance is included to Hradcany Castle, St. Vitus Cathedral, the Old Royal Palace, the Golden Lane, and Daliborka Tower

Visit Lobkowitz Palace with its large music archive containing works by over five hundred composers and musicians. The Music Archive is most celebrated for its collection of works by Handel, Mozart, Haydn and Beethoven, including the original manuscripts of his 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, and 5<sup>th</sup> symphonies

Evening dinner, followed by overnight at hotel

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**Day 5 Saturday, June 25 Prague (B,D)**

Breakfast included at the hotel

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Orientation tour of Prague includes seeing the Charles Bridge, Old Town Square, the Tyn Church, the Astronomical Clock, and the Jewish Quarter  
Time at leisure to explore Prague

Lunch, on own

*Afternoon Rehearsal\**

*Performance at St. Salvator Church in Prague as part of the American Celebration of Music in the Czech Republic\**

Evening dinner included, followed by overnight at the hotel

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**Day 6 Sunday, June 26 Vienna (B,D)**

Breakfast included at the hotel, followed by check-out

Morning transfer to Vienna

Lunch, on own

Stop at the Vienna City Cemetery to visit the graves of Beethoven, Strauss, Brahms, Schubert and the Mozart Memorial

Enjoy an orientation tour of Vienna

Hotel check-in, followed by evening dinner

Overnight at the hotel

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**Day 7 Monday, June 27 Vienna (B,D)**

Breakfast included at the hotel

Guided tour of Historical Vienna includes the Ringstraße, Imperial Palace, State Opera, Town Hall, Burgkapelle (home of the Vienna Boys Choir), Palace Stables, Strauß Monument, and entrance to Schönbrunn Palace

Excursion to Kahlenberg to walk the “Beethoven trail” (a route he often walked), and visit the Vienna woods

Lunch, on own

Afternoon visit to the Vienna House of Music

Evening dinner included, and overnight

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**Day 8 Tuesday, June 28 Vienna (B,D)**

Breakfast included at the hotel

Morning visit to the Pasqualati House (Beethoven residence) and Museum

*Rehearsal in the Golden Hall of the Musikverein*

Evening dinner included

*Festival Concert in the Golden Hall of the Musikverein*

Overnight at the hotel

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**Day 9 Wednesday, June 29 Depart for home (B)**

Breakfast included at the hotel, followed by check-out

Transfer to Vienna airport for return flight home

*\*Subject to confirmation*

***This is a very flexible itinerary.*** Except for confirmed appointments and performances, the places of interest and the sequence of sightseeing might be changed if necessary or desirable. In the event of an unavoidable conflict in the performance and the sightseeing schedule, the concert schedule will prevail, and it may be necessary to exclude some sightseeing activities.

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