

GOLD COAST CHAMBER PLAYERS Presents

Brahms Reunion Friday, September 23, 2022

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Starring in this blockbuster program are two leading Italian musicians, cellist Luigi Piovano and violinist Grazia Raimondi . As Principal cellist of the Santa Cecilia Orchestra in Rome, Piovano is one of the most sought-after cellists throughout the world. The romantic program is well suited for Piovano to perform with his wife, Grazia Raimondi , a violin soloist who concertizes throughout Italy and abroad. Joining them is violinist Livia Sohn and pianist Bernadene Blaha who, with Piovano, formed the Latitude 41 Trio, and violist Pamela Freund-Striplen.

TICKETS: \$15-45, online: www.gccpmusic.com or By phone: (925) 283-3728 Discounted Subscriptions are available.

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