## MEDIA ALERT

## MINNESOTA OPERA PRESENTS THE LUMINARY ARTS CENTER OPEN HOUSE

WHAT: The new Luminary Arts Center, owned and operated by MN Opera, is

now open to be explored. Join Minnesota Opera for a day of food trucks, live music and fun celebrating the Twin Cities' newly reimagined performing arts and event venue. Experience performances from local artists and learn more about rentals and other offerings in a day of

community celebration.

WHO: The event will feature three live performances:

12:00 p.m. - STRINGenius quartet and members of the Minnesota Opera Orchestra: Allison Ostrander (violin), Elise Meichels Parker (violin), Emily

Hagen (viola), and Rebecca Arons (cello)

1:00 p.m. - Mark Billy (baritone) and Andrew Sun (piano) 2:00 p.m. - Daniel Volovets (guitar) and Joseph Li (piano)

The event will also host food trucks including The Wakey Wakey Food

Truck and BLUE MOO Ice Cream.

WHEN: Saturday, August 20, 2022 from 11am-3pm

WHERE: Luminary Arts Center

700 North First Street Minneapolis, MN 55401

ADMISSION: Admission is free.

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