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If you've never been to a Cirque du Soleil show, here's your chance! **Ovo**, which is Portuguese for "egg" (as in the beginning of life), introduces audiences to a colorful ecosystem teeming with ladybugs, spiders, grasshoppers, crickets, and other insects. With stunning costumes and even more impressive athleticism, the insects leap, fly, eat, flutter, play, work, fight, and look for love, all while leaving the audience floored.

Under the grand chapiteau, Cirque du Soleil presents **Ovo** January 28–February 27 at Dr Pepper Arena (2601 Ave. of the Stars) in Frisco. Tickets range from \$45–\$225 for adults and \$31.50–\$157.50 for children 2–12. Family 4 Packs and group offers are available.

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three events you don't want to miss this month

BY BRIT MOTT

Sunday in New York

Eileen has discovered that being a "good girl" makes it hard to get a man. But when she becomes attached to one on a crowded Fifth Avenue bus and they are caught in a downpour, how does she explain the two of them lounging around in bathrobes to her fiancé? A small fib, in order to avoid a misunderstanding,

quickly gets out of hand, and our heroine is hard-pressed to convey the truth to save her engagement and her reputation.

Rover Dramawerks presents **Sunday in New York**, directed by Mark Guerra, January 20–February 12 at the Cox Building Playhouse. Performances are Thursday through Saturday at 8 p.m. with a Saturday matinee on January 29 at 2 p.m.

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The cast of **Sunday in New York** includes **Jake Shanahan, Kelsey Kruse, Matthew Clark, and Chester Maple.** Photo/Carol M. Rice



jae hyuck cho

Scheherazade

The Plano Symphony Orchestra presents Nikolai Rimsky-Korsakov's most popular work, **Scheherazade**, on Saturday, January 29. According to the symphony, the work's popularity is due in part to its "beguiling orchestral colors, rhythmic vitality, haunting melodies, and oriental flavor."

This performance also includes the beloved Rachmaninoff's Piano Concerto No. 3, played by guest artist **Jae Hyuck Cho**, who was described by *The New York Times* as "splendidly clear and his ideas unaffected...fluent and resolute." The concert opens with the Texas Premiere of "Popohl-Voh" by Allen Toussaint, known for his jazz influenced compositions.

Audiences will take their seat at 8:15 p.m. at St. Andrew United Methodist Church. Advanced tickets start at \$9; add \$2 at the door. Group and student rates are available.

► **Saturday, January 29 • 972.473.7262 • planosymphony.org**

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