



The 31st Keshet Eilon International String Summer Mastercourse

will take place this year in a worldwide virtual format,
parallel to an in-person Mastercourse at Keshet Eilon.

Musical Director: Itzhak Rashkovsky

The global virtual Mastercourse will take place between July 25 and August 11, 2021.
The in-person Mastercourse will take place at Keshet Eilon from August 1 to 11 2021.

**We are excited to invite the public to the
Western Galilee and celebrate the return of
live music to Keshet Eilon**

2021 Mastercourse Faculty

Violin: Shmuel Ashkenasi (Israel-USA)

Vadim Gluzman (Israel)

Ilya Kaler (USA)

Olga Kaler (USA)

Sergey Ostrovsky (Israel)

Itzhak Rashkovsky (Israel-UK)

Ani Schnarch (Israel-UK)

Roi Shiloah (Israel)

Chaim Taub (Israel)

Robin Wilson (Australia)

Qian Zhou (Singapore)

Guy Braunstein (Israel) - **Ivry Gitlis Chair**

Viola: Paul Coletti (USA)

Tatjana Masurenko (Germany-Russia)

Cello: Felix Nemirovsky (Israel)

Amit Peled (USA-Israel) | Hillel Zori (Israel)

Piano: Julia Gurvitch (Israel) | Ana Kavalerova (Israel)

Eugenia Lakernik (Israel) | Irina Zheleznova (Israel)

Atelier for string instruments


Adam Korman (Israel)

Archery Program

Eyal Naveh (Israel)

Special Events (In chronological order)

A Festive Opening Virtual Concert of the 2021 Mastercourse

Will be streamed online on 25th July at 19:00 | 5:00 pm GMT | 12:00 noon EST 

Featuring young musicians performing works by Haydn, Bach, Paganini, Mozart, Kreisler, Nedbal, Franck and Ravel.

Please note:

From August 1 all live activities and performances will be streamed live on Facebook, YouTube and the Violin Channel.

Additional information and links for viewing can be found on the following table.



 **Virtual events only**

Tribute to the Legendary Violinist the Late Ivry Gitlis – in collaboration with the Tel Aviv Soloists Ensemble, Family and Friends | August 1 in the Bar-Uryan Concert Hall.

The event will include a brief background about the great violinist and words of appreciation in his memory by Zubin Mehta, Itzhak Perlman, Mischa Maisky, Chaim Taub and others. Works especially associated with Gitlis will be performed by violinists Guy Braunstein, Yaakov Rubinstein and Or Nakash, pianist Itamar Golan, the Keshet Eilon Ensemble and the Tel Aviv Soloists Ensemble, conducted by Barak Tal.

"Open Door" in the Spirit of Ivry Gitlis | August 2 & 3 (See table)

Guy Braunstein as "Ivry Gitlis Chair" will present Open Door lessons for Mastercourse participants.

Maya Belitzman and Matan Efrat | August 2, in the acoustic shell at the Keshet Eilon Campus

Maya (cello and vocal) and Matan (percussions) will play selections from their repertoire, including original works, Israeli classics which were recorded over the past year, original instrumental pieces as well as old great love songs of the 20's.

Chamber Music Concert | August 6, at the Bar-Uryan Concert Hall.

Mastercourse faculty members and students will perform works by Prokofiev, Cassado, Fanny Mendelssohn, Bloch and Dvorak.

"Peter and the Wolf" - A musical fable for children and grown-ups by Sergei Prokofiev

August 7, in the acoustic shell at the Keshet Eilon Campus

A joint production of Keshet Eilon musicians and actors from Kibbutz Eilon Community Theater, arranged by Haim Dorchin and directed by Alon Goren.

Guest artists will also participate, including flutist Maron Khoury of the Metropolitan Opera in New York, cellist Felix Nemirovsky of the Israeli Philharmonic and double bass player Evie Bloom.

Diwan Saz Ensemble | August 9 in the acoustic shell at the Keshet Eilon Campus

The Ensemble players: Yochai Barak (Saz/Baglama), Amir Shahsar (Nay and Persian Vocals), Tzipporah El-Rei (Vocalist), Udi Ben Knaan (Lira), Rani Lorentz (Bass), Eyal Luman (Percussion, Qanun) will perform traditional musical pieces from Turkey, Central Asia, and the Middle East.

Gala Final Concert of the 2021 Mastercourse | August 11 in the Bar-Uryan Concert Hall.

Featuring both live and online Mastercourses participants, in a program including solo performances, chamber music and Keshet Eilon Ensemble.

The public is also invited to participate in the following activities; all of them are open to the public, except for the concerts in the Bar-Uryan Concert Hall:

- **Individual lessons** for Mastercourse participants - every day between 9:00 -13:00.
- **Masterclasses given by faculty members** to individual students open to the audience, every day at 17:00 in the Bar-Uryan Concert Hall. (details on the following table).
- **Concerts** presented by Mastercourse participants every evening in the Bar-Uryan Concert Hall. (tickets required*).
- **Olympic archery practice for string players led by a qualified instructor** - at the Kibbutz sports hall (spectators only). Information regarding opening hours - at the office.
- **Atelier for string instruments** - on the third floor of the Library Tower. Will be open from August 6 to 11 (please contact the office beforehand).
- **The Keshet Eilon Music library** on the ground floor of the tower is available for the use of Mastercourse participants and to the public. Open daily (opening hours - on the notice boards).

* Purchase of tickets

On the Keshet Eilon site www.keshetei.org.il or tel. 04-9858191/131

Ticket price for all concerts: 70 NIS.

All proceeds are dedicated to covering Keshet Eilon operating costs.

To your knowledge:

- For arrivals to Kibbutz Eilon from the west: **entrance is only via the western gate of Kibbutz** (through the "Menta" gas station).
- The art works on display in the Bar Uryan Hall lobby are part of the "**Kav al Tav - artists play with music sheets**" art exhibition, which was on display at the Tel Aviv Rubin Museum in December 2019. The works were generously donated to Keshet Eilon by the artists and are being displayed for sale. Keshet Eilon is deeply grateful to the artists.

Keshet Eilon String Mastercourse 2021

Schedule of Activities

July 25 - August 11

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


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To view the events on [Facebook](#) or [YouTube](#) or [The Violin Channel](#) click on one of the icons



Events that will take place in virtual format **only**

Date	Time	Activities at Bar-Uryan Concert Hall
Sunday 25.7	17:00 EST 10:00 am GMT 2:00 pm	Masterclass with Sergey Ostrovsky (Israel), Violin 
	19:00 EST 12:00 noon GMT 4:00 pm	Festive Opening Concert of 2021 Mastercourse 
Monday 26.7	15:00 EST 10:00 am GMT 2:00 pm	Masterclass with Tatjana Masurenko (Germany-Russia), Viola 
Tuesday 27.7	17:00 EST 10:00 am GMT 2:00 pm	Masterclass with Hillel Zori (Israel), Cello 
Wednesday 28.7	14:00 EST 7:00 am GMT 11:00 am	Masterclass with Qian Zhou (Singapore), Violin 
Thursday 29.7	14:00 EST 7:00 am GMT 11:00 am	Masterclass with Robin Wilson (Australia), Violin 
Friday 30.7	Free day	
Saturday 31.7	17:00 EST 10:00 am GMT 2:00 pm	Masterclass with Shmuel Ashkenasi (Israel-USA), Violin 
Sunday 1.8	20:15 EST 1:15 pm GMT 5:15 pm	Tribute to the revered violinist, the late Ivry Gitlis
Monday 2.8	11:00 EST 4:00 am GMT 8:00 am	'Ivry Gitlis Chair' at Keshet Eilon Open Door lessons with Guy Braunstein (Israel) 
	15:00 EST 8:00 am GMT 12:00 noon	'Ivry Gitlis chair' at Keshet Eilon Open Door lessons with Guy Braunstein (Israel)
	17:00 EST 10:00 am GMT 2:00 pm	Masterclass with Amit Peled (Cello)
	20:15 EST 1:15 pm GMT 5:15 pm	Concert at the Acoustic Shell: Maya Belsizman & Matan Efrat
	22:00 EST 3:00 pm GMT 7:00 pm	'Ivry Gitlis Chair' at Keshet Eilon Open Door lessons with Guy Braunstein (Israel) 

Tuesday 3.8	11:00 EST 4:00 am GMT 8:00 am	'Ivry Gitlis Chair' at Keshet Eilon Open Door lessons with Guy Braunstein (Israel) 
	15:00 EST 8:00 am GMT 12:00 noon	'Ivry Gitlis Chair' at Keshet Eilon Open Door lessons with Guy Braunstein (Israel)
	17:00 EST 10:00 am GMT 2:00 pm	Masterclass with Roi Shiloah (Israel), Violin
	20:15 EST 1:15 pm GMT 5:15 pm	Young Artists' Concert
	22:00 EST 3:00 pm GMT 7:00 pm	'Ivry Gitlis Chair' at Keshet Eilon Open Door lessons with Guy Braunstein (Israel) 
Wednesday 4.8	17:00 EST 10:00 am GMT 2:00 pm	Masterclass with Itzhak Rashkovsky (Israel-UK), Violin
	20:15 EST 1:15 pm GMT 5:15 pm	Young Artists' Concert
	22:00 EST 3:00 pm GMT 7:00 pm	Masterclass with Olga Kaler (USA), Violin 
Thursday 5.8	17:00 EST 10:00 am GMT 2:00 pm	Masterclass with Vadim Gluzman (Israel), Violin
	20:15 EST 1:15 pm GMT 5:15 pm	Young Artists' Concert
Friday 6.8	17:00 EST 10:00 am GMT 2:00 pm	Masterclass with Chaim Taub (Israel), Violin
	20:15 EST 1:15 pm GMT 5:15 pm	Chamber Music Concert Faculty and Students
Saturday 7.8	17:30 EST 10:30 am GMT 2:30 pm	Celebrating the return of live music with the Mastercourse artists, in duo, trio and ensemble
	Keshet Eilon Friends Day 20:15 EST 1:15 pm GMT 5:15 pm	Concert at the Acoustic Shell: Prokofiev: "Peter and the Wolf" - a joint production of Keshet Eilon and Kibbutz Eilon community
Sunday 8.8	17:00 EST 10:00 am GMT 2:00 pm	Masterclass with Ani Schnarch (Israel-UK), Violin
	20:15 EST 1:15 pm GMT 5:15 pm	Young Artists' Concert
	22:00 EST 3:00 pm GMT 7:00 pm	Masterclass with Ilya Kaler (USA), Violin 
Monday 9.8	20:15 EST 1:15 pm GMT 5:15 pm	Concert at the Acoustic Shell: Diwan Saz Ensemble
Tuesday 10.8	17:00 EST 10:00 am GMT 2:00 pm	Masterclass with Felix Nemirovsky (Israel), Cello
	20:15 EST 1:15 pm GMT 5:15 pm	Young Artists' Concert
	22:00 EST 3:00 pm GMT 7:00 pm	Masterclass with Paul Coletti (USA), Viola
Wednesday 11.8	20:15 EST 1:15 pm GMT 5:15 pm	Final Gala Concert of 2021 Mastercourse 

The schedule is subject to change

Keshet Eilon Hall and the Acoustic Shell are accessible to the disabled

The 2021 Summer Mastercourse is supported by

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