



Asher Elliott Senior Recital

**Saturday, May 18, 2024
11:00 a.m.
Barrett Hall**



100 North Hill Avenue, Pasadena, CA 91106

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The two words that Asher Elliott associates with playing the cello are “really?” and “bravo!” During the 9 years of studying cello with Andrew Cook, those are the words he heard the most. Moving from the Young Musicians Program at the age of 9, Asher chose to study cello because he feels that it is the greatest instrument. Studying with him has been one of the highlights of Asher’s academic career. Not only did Andrew Cook care about Asher as a musician but also took an interest in developing his character. A fond memory of this is the time Asher forgot his bow and was required to find a way to pay for the missed lesson, which was weeding his parents’ garden. Asher plans to study Business Management at Northumbria University in Newcastle England, while playing for I2I Soccer Academy, a pro-level soccer development program.

PROGRAM

Cello Suite No. 3 in C Major, BWV 1009
II. Allemande
III. Courante
VI. Gigue
Johann Sebastian Bach

Song Without Words, Op. 109
I. Andante
Felix Mendelssohn

Concertino in C Major, Op. 7
I. Allegro
II. Andante
Julius Klengel

Concerto in C Minor
I. Allegro molto ma maestoso
Johann Christian Bach

Concerto in E Minor, Op. 85
I Adagio
Edward Elgar

Capriccio, Op. 24
I. Vivace
Georg Goltermann

Asher Elliott, cello
Katelyn Vahala, piano

