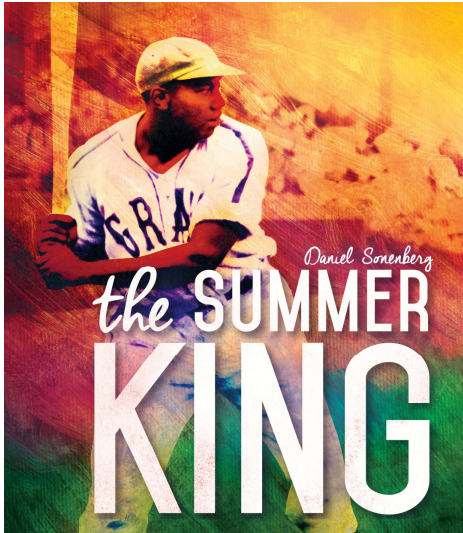


2016–2017 Pittsburgh Opera

Student Matinee



The Summer King – The Josh Gibson Story

by Daniel Sonenberg

The very first world premiere in Pittsburgh Opera's distinguished history hits close to home. It's the story of baseball legend Josh Gibson, who went from the sandlots of Pittsburgh's North Side to the pinnacle of greatness in the Negro Leagues, before ultimately being enshrined in the Baseball Hall of Fame in Cooperstown, NY.

Student Matinee

Bring your students to a complete mainstage performance of Sonenberg's enlightening opera with full orchestra, top-quality singers, chorus, and production elements.

Sung in English with English texts projected above the stage.

Who: Suggested for grades 3–12

Where: Benedum Center

When: Thursday, May 4, 2017

Time: 10:30 am – 1:00 pm

Tickets: **Only \$10 for students and adults.**

Workshop for Educators

Who: At least one teacher from each school must attend the prerequisite full-day Workshop for Educators before tickets are issued.

Where: Pittsburgh Opera
2425 Liberty Avenue
Pittsburgh, PA 15222

When: April 6 and 8, 2017

Time: 9:00 am–2:00 pm

Fee: **Free for teachers from schools that book 50 seats, otherwise \$100 per teacher.**

Workshop includes:

Activities, books, CDs, lesson ideas, live performance, meals, and PowerPoints. Additional materials include **The Summer King Study Guide** for students and an extensive **Arts Event Discovery Packet** for teachers—filled with activities to create learning opportunities around the opera, and to address Academic Standards in all content areas.

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