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Music in Norwich is produced by Culture Shift Norwich as a companion to Art in Norwich, a roundup of visual art exhibitions in Norwich and Norfolk.

You can find a downloadable pdf of Art in Norwich on www.artinnorwich.org.uk or printed copies around the city and county. The Autumn/Winter edition of Art in Norwich covers August 2023 to March 2024.

For information, downloadable files and updates also see <a href="www.musicinnorwich.org.uk">www.musicinnorwich.org.uk</a> and follow @musicinnorwich @norwichcultcity @artinnorwich

# MUSIC & ART IN NORWICH & NORFOLK BY POST

The impact of Covid means picking up printed material is harder than usual – venues are restricted and we are just going out less – making active choices is more important.

To make it easier, you can now order both booklets by post – visit the website, pay the postage and get your very own copy conveniently delivered to your door.

Go to www.artinnorwich.org.uk/AiNbypost or email info@theshiftnorwich.org.uk find out how to get your copy for the price of a stamp.

# **ARTS ROUNDUP**

What's on in Norwich & Norfolk info leaflet distribution service

One of the key places to pick up arts and events information are the Arts Roundup racks that are found all over the city, out in the county and sometimes across the border Suffolk!

In July 2022 the service was taken over from its previous operators by Andrew Stitt and Maja Shreeve – who have run the service in the past backed up by Marion Catlin of Culture Shift who publish Art & Music in Norwich and Norfolk.

Many arts and events organisations depend on the network of racks to get their information out to audiences around the county and they offer brilliant value for money.

So if you have any printed leaflets or flyers to distribute promoting the arts, culture or general events, please email artsroundup@gmail.com or visit the website for the latest details and updates. And where to find an Arts Roundup Information rack near you!

Arts Roundup information at www.whatsonnorfolk.co.uk

#### About Music in Norwich and Norfolk

This booklet is the result of a collaboration between a number of organisations who promote performance and classical, jazz and world music. It was started in 2003 by the Music in Norwich group as a way to cross-market and build audiences for classical music, and to co-programme and avoid clashes where possible. The aim is to gather music listings in one place so that they are easy to find and to offer an overview of performances throughout the year. The Music in Norwich group is a self-supporting partnership of organisations that are active and promoting music in Norwich & the surrounding county of Norfolk and who meet twice a year.

We hope you will keep this booklet safe as it covers more than six months' programming. Because of space limitations and lots going on, concert details are brief but you can find out more from individual organisations' websites – see the back of the booklet for venue and contact details. These days most groups are using Ticketsource for online bookings.

Please also visit www.musicinnorwich.org.uk where you can download a pdf of this programme and find out more about Music in Norwich partners. Sign up to the blog for music updates and extra events to your inbox. The next edition is due out in early April 2024 so look out on the Music in Norwich website for updates. Printed copies are also available by post. www.musicinnorwich.org.uk

Important: All information is subject to change – please check with individual organisations or venues before travelling.

Cover image : Steven Devine, harpsichord, playing for King's Lynn Festival see page 25





# Do you love to sing?

There are lots of opportunities to get involved in music and not just listen to others - have a look at the Voice Project's singing and voice courses, including Jon Baker's free daily warmup on Zoom, which you can find at www.voiceproject.co.uk

UEA Community Choir led by Stuart Dunlop is friendly and informal see https://bit.ly/2WKf5xi

Invidia Voices Rock and Soul Choir are friendly and inclusive and have practice sessions in five places on several days a week www.invidiavoices.co.uk

Music in Norwich is designed, edited and published by Marion de Mello Catlin, Culture Shift Norwich www.theshiftnorwich.org.uk.

Errors and omissions excepted, info is checked as well as possible before printing but cannot be guaranteed. There will be a new edition in April 2024.

If you require copies to display or would like to include content in future editions please email info@theshiftnorwich.org.uk



Welcome to the latest edition of Music in Norwich and Norfolk. I am amazed to realise that it is 20 years since I started the publication as a way of music organisations working together to co-

promote and to avoid clashes of programming and dates. It was originally funded by the Arts Council for two years but quickly proved popular and continued, funded by the groups paying for the pages they occupy. From each page price, a proportion goes towards the 'common' pages, the calendar, cover etc and the more money in the pot, the more are printed. Organisations also help with distribution and so it is a truly collaborative publication, though I admit I have to do a lot of rounding up to get the info on pages and off to print – but it works!

Distribution is a bit harder than it used to be, so there is now a Music in Norwich by Post facility. For the price of a stamp and an envelope you can order a copy for yourself or extra copies for few friends. If you can help with distribution in your local area please get in touch as it really helps to have a good spread of distributors across the county.

St Peter Mancroft Church is a central place to pick up copies of Music in Norwich & Norfolk following the closure of the Tourist Information Centre. Norwich Cathedral serves the north of the city (The Halls is closed for a year from 2 January 2024). Arts Roundup racks around the city and county are also vitally important to arts info distribution.

There has been a re-launch of Arts Roundup information service. If you can accommodate a rack or if you have printed materials to get out to audiences across Norfolk, please get in touch at www.whatsonnorfolk.co.uk.

This publication covers venues across Norfolk and includes the King's Lynn Festival in the west and Great Yarmouth Arts Festival in the east. Diss Corn Hall in South Norfolk also has a wide range of concerts, classical, folk, jazz and world music. In north Norfolk, the Yorke Trust has a series of concerts in a chapel in South Creake to support young musicians who have suffered a lack of performance opportunities through the pandemic and are fund-raising for repairs to their building.

It is a sad season for Norwich Phil as their conductor David Dunnett has decided to retire. It will be a great loss for the Phil but he is going out in style with a final, celebratory concert conducting Elgar's *The Kingdom* on 4 November, see page 44.

Over the border in Lowestoft, The Pakefield Singers are performing at a fundraising concert for the Britten as a Boy statue (page 49) and the East Point Pavilion hosts music nights on the most Easterly point of England, see page 20.

There is a wider range of venues this season as The Halls will close for restoration. St Peter Mancroft and Norwich Cathedral will be taking many of the regular bookings while it is closed. The Cathedral is also celebrating the renovation of its organ with a series of recitals, plus collaborations with Norwich Baroque.

Of course, there are many more concerts and recitals – and we can't highlight them all so enjoy exploring the booklet and don't forget to sign up to the blog and Twitter/Facebook accounts for updates. #Musicinnorwich #musicinnorfolk

Opportunity for young musicians

# NORFOLK YOUNG MUSICIAN COMPETITION 2024

Sunday 21st January 2024

John Innes Centre, Colney, Norwich

Three cash prizes: £200, £150, £100

Badminton Prize £150 - for the most promising string player

Mrs E Sturgeon Prize £150 - for the most promising young pianist

Norwich Chamber Music Prize £150 - for the most promising young wind player

Jane Roberson Prize £150 - for voice

Closing date for applications Friday 1 December 2023

For details and application form, email astsally 215@gmail.com or www.academyofstthomas/trust

The Michael Badminton Trust was established in 1998 by Michael Badminton to support talented young string players in Norfolk. Since his death in 1999, the Trust has offered a number of young players help with tuition costs, loans of instruments and assistance to attend courses both here and abroad. For details of the Trust, please contact Jonathan Wortley at jonathanwortley@howespercival.com

# **Academy of St Thomas**



Academy of St Thomas 2019, photo Matthew Usher

The Academy of St Thomas was founded in 1973 and has been promoting high calibre concerts in the region ever since. The players of the Academy are drawn from professional musicians and peripatetic teachers who donate their talents in order to play in a high-standard orchestra. Concerts have been acclaimed for their high professional standards and exhilarating performances.

In October 2023 the Academy of St Thomas will celebrate its 50th anniversary.

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#### Concerts

# ACADEMY OF ST THOMAS 50TH ANNIVERSARY CONCERT Saturday 21 October 2023, 7.30pm

St Andrew's Hall, The Halls, Norwich NR3 1AU

Piers Lane piano Benjamin Pope conductor Vaughan Williams Fantasia on a theme of Thomas Tallis Beethoven Piano Concerto No 5

Mozart Symphony No. 40

'Emperor'

A very special concert to celebrate 50 years! Vaughan Williams' *Tallis Fantasia* is one of the Academy's most popular works.

One of our favourite pianists, Piers Lane, will perform the magnificent *Emperor Piano Concerto* by Beethoven.



Piers Lane



Benjamin Pope

Come and help us to celebrate our big birthday!

The 50th Anniversary Season is sponsored by Hilary and Lewis Jarrett

#### Saturday 2 March 2024, 7pm St Peter Mancroft Church, Norwich NR2 100

Hannah Perowne violin Toby Purser conductor

Berkeley Sinfonietta
Prokofiev Violin Concerto No 2
Beethoven Symphony No 4



Hannah Perowne

Hannah Perowne joins us as soloist to begin our 51st season. Originally from Norwich, Hannah has had a distinguished career as a soloist as well as guest leading orchestras all over Europe, most recently with the Halle Orchestra on their return to Norwich last May as part of the Norfolk and Norwich Festival. We are delighted to be working with conductor, Toby Purser, again.

Saturday 22 June 2024, 7.30pm Salle Church, near Reepham Norfolk NR10 4SE

Anna Douglass horn
Matthew Andrews conductor
Programme to include:
Gounod Petite Symphonie
Mozart Horn Concerto No 2



Anna Douglass

After her stunning performance of the Britten Serenade for Tenor, Horn and Strings in June 2022, we could not resist asking Anna back to play a concerto with us! This concert will feature a piece for the AST wind players.

Saturday 19 October 2024, 7pm St Peter Mancroft Church, Norwich NR2 100

Sarah Williamson clarinet Benjamin Pope conductor Programme to include Copland Clarinet Concerto Gershwin arr. Pope Three Preludes for clarinet



Sarah Williamson

To conclude our 51st Season, Sarah Williamson and Benjamin Pope will delight us with the Copland *Clarinet Concert* and a special arrangement of the Gershwin *Preludes for Clarinet*, especially arranged for Sarah for this concert by Benjamin Pope.

Tickets for all concerts can be booked through www.ticketSource.co.uk/ast as they become available

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# **Anteros** Arts Foundation



The Anteros Arts Foundation is a charity for the education and promotion of arts in East Anglia. We are fortunate to be housed in a characterful Tudor building which provides the perfect backdrop for our busy calendar of art exhibitions, art classes and performance events.

We are proud to host a diverse programme of music throughout the year with artists performing either in our beautiful timber-framed Music Room or outside in the Courtyard during the summer months.

With drinks available next door from the Merchant's House Café, we are able to provide the perfect setting for a relaxing evening of live music.

7-15 Fye Bridge Street, Norwich NR3 1LJ Tel 01603 766129







Hexachordia

# **Upcoming Music Events**

Saturday 7 October, 7.30pm £14 Lost Revellers (four-piece folk band)

Friday 3 November, 7pm £14 Mishra Music (global folk collective)

## Friday 10 November, 7.30pm £16

Huw V Williams Trio (an exploratory trio combining elements of modern and traditional jazz, contemporary free music and improvisation)

#### Thursday 7 December, 12pm £12

Hexachordia (a trio of early music specialists offering a fresh approach to 16th and 17th century music)

For 2024 dates and full details of these events, more about timings, programme, performers and to book please visit www.anterosartsfoundation.com/music

# **Assembly House Classical**



Throughout the years, the beautiful Georgian Assembly House has played host to a wide range of art exhibitions. live concerts, lectures, and other activities. Assembly House Classical presents a series of lunchtime classical concerts in the stunning Assembly House Music Room, showcasing some of the best up-and-coming

Concerts take place monthly on Thursday lunchtimes at 1pm in the Music Room at the Assembly House, tickets £20 - see www.assemblyhouseclassical.co.uk to book and for details and future listings. For all enquiries please email info@assemblyhouseclassical.co.uk

UK-based solo musicians and chamber groups.

The Assembly House, Theatre Street, Norwich NR2 1RQ

Thursday 21 September, 2023 1pm, doors 12.30pm MILENA SIMOVIC viola & VITALY PISARENKO piano Brahms, Shostakovich, Bowen

Thursday 19 October 2023, 1pm, doors 12.30pm

**OUARTETTO NOÛS** 

Boccherini, Mendelssohn, Shostakovich

Thursday, 23 November 2023, 1pm, doors 12.30pm ROSENBOOM cello & KULIKOVA piano

Beethoven Sonata for Piano and Cello in A major Rachmaninov Sonata for Cello and Piano G minor.

Thursday 7 December 2023, 1pm, doors 12.30pm PIATTI OLIARTET

Charlotte Harding 'lorsa' '7' (Piatti Quartet commission) Dvorak Quartet No.13 in G major '45'

Thursday 25 January 2024, 1pm, doors 12.30pm GRAJNER DE SA violin & LENEHAN piano Programme tba.

Thursday 15 February 2024, 1pm, doors 12.30pm VALENCIA BARYTON PROJECT

Programme to include works by Franz Joseph Haydn, Ivan Moody, John Pickup & Steve Zink

Thursday 7 March 2024, 1pm, doors 12.30pm HANNAH WATSON EMMRICH piano

A showcase of works by women composers in celebration of International Women's Day 2024 including Amy Beach, Elizabeth Jacquet de la Guerre, Fanny Mendelssohn, Vitezslava Kaprálová, Emahoy Tseque Mariam Guebrou. Hélène de Montaeroult, Maraaret Bonds

# **Britten Sinfonia**



Britten Sinfonia

Britten Sinfonia is a different kind of orchestra – defined not by the traditional figurehead of a principal conductor, but by the dynamic and democratic meeting of its outstanding individual players and the broad range of their collaborators.

Britten Sinfonia is the only professional orchestra working throughout the East of England, where it is renowned for its work with schools, hospitals and communities, while it also has a national and international reputation for its adventurous programming and stunningly high-quality performances.

Book Britten Sinfonia's events at brittensinfonia.com or call TicketSource on 0333 666 3366.

#### Concerts

Thursday 19 October 2023, 7.30pm, doors open 7pm The Halls, St Andrew's Plain, Norwich NR3 1AU BRITTEN SINFONIA WITH ELIZABETH WATTS



Elgar Serenade for Strings



Flizabeth Watts

Ryan Latimer new work (World premiere, commissioned by Britten Sinfonia) Finzi Dies Natalis Dobrinka Tabakova Barbican Glade Richard Blackford Songs of Nadia Anjuman (UK premiere)

'One of the most beautiful voices Britain has produced in a generation' (International Record Review)

Finzi beautifully evokes the joyful innocence of early childhood, while and Richard Blackford sets intimate and passionate poems by Afghan poet Nadia Anjuman. Britten Sinfonia performs Elgar's early and ever-popular piece, *Serenade for Strings*, alongside an equally attractive work for strings by Dobrinka Tabakova, and we are treated to the premiere of a new work by the 'anarchic and cartoonishly fun' (BBC Radio 3) composer, Ryan Latimer.

Tickets: £10-£35

Sunday 17 November 2023, 7.30pm, doors 7pm The Halls, St Andrew's Plain, Norwich NR3 1AU FIVE CENTURIES OF MUSIC FOR

Guy Cutting tenor

ST CECILIA

Britten Sinfonia Soloists

Purcell Music from Hail Bright Cecilia
Handel Queen of Sheba/Where'er vou walk

Coleridge-Taylor Nonet

Vaughan Williams On Wenlock Edge Bliss Movement from Clarinet Quintet

Ahead of the day dedicated to the patron saint of music, we perform a programme of pieces composed in each of the last five centuries, including Purcell's *Hail Bright Cecilia*.

Tenor Guy Cutting joins a large chamber ensemble of Britten Sinfonia players for this wide-ranging and melodious programme featuring Samuel Coleridge-Taylor's large-scale piece and movements from works by other celebrated British composers.

Tickets: £10-£28

Book at www.brittensinfonia.com

Please note that for the two events at The Halls on 19 October and 17 November, the stage will be moved into the front stalls. Initially only the Stalls and the West Gallery will be on sale. Other areas may go on sale nearer the time. Sunday 9 February 2024, 7.30pm Norwich Cathedral, 65 The Close, Norwich NR1 4DH BRITTEN SINFONIA with ABEL SELAOCOE, cello

Beethoven String Quartet, Grosse Fuge Op. 133 (arr. strings) Bartók Divertimento for String Orchestra BB 118 Tavener The Protecting Veil for cello and orchestra

Outstanding cellist and multi-

talented superstar in the making, Abel Selaocoe is renowned as both a classical soloist and a champion of the traditional music of his South African homeland.

Selaocoe joins Britten Sinfonia to perform John Tavener's intensely beautiful *The Protecting Veil*, a timeless classic created as the musical equivalent of Orthodox Christian ikons and paintings.

Book at www.brittensinfonia.com

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Abel Selancoe



"Britten Sinfonia's record in bringing orchestral music to the east of England has been stellar." The Telegraph, March 2023

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We are rooted in the East of England, while we also have a national and international reputation as one of the best ensembles playing today.

Following Arts Council England's announcement that 100% of our regular public funding will be cut in 2023, we have launched the most urgent fundraising appeal in our history: PLAY ON.

Find out more, share, and please consider making a donation: playon.brittensinfonia.com

# **Norwich Singers**



Celebrating its 70th anniversary in 2024, Norwich Singers were formed by Roy Henton in 1954 and have since sung under six Musical Directors, performing a wide range of music in Norwich and further afield, presenting a minimum of three concerts a year.

Norwich Singers rehearse on Wednesday evenings from 7.30 to 9.30pm at Rosebery Road Methodist Church, Norwich. 5 and 13 September are open rehearsals – anyone is welcome to come along and see if they enjoy themselves and would like to join the singers. Any singing voice is welcome, especially tenors and basses. Music is provided. There are no auditions – so come along and see just how good singing can make you feel.

#### Concerts

Saturday 16 December 2023, 7.30pm Rosebery Road Methodist Church, Norwich NR3 3AB CHRISTMAS CONCERT WITH SEASONAL SONGS AND CAROLS

Tickets: £8 available on the door

Saturday 13 April 2024, 7.30pm Venue to be confirmed SPRING CONCERT

Norwich Singers present a double bill of Vivaldi's *Gloria* and Fauré's *Requiem* – for further details please visit www.norwichsingers.org.uk or find us on Facebook at www.facebook.com/groups/Norwichsingers

Tickets: £8 available on the door



Musical director

Contact Suzanne Long
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Telephone 07881 834495.



## **Brook Street Band**



The Brook Street Band photo Dan Bridge

The Brook Street Band (formed in 1996 by baroque cellist Tatty Theo) is named after the London street where the great baroque composer George Frideric Handel lived and worked. It is now recognised as one of the UK's leading period instrument ensembles, winning awards, and accolades for recordings and broadcasts from Radio 3, Classic FM and Gramophone Magazine, and Tatty is renowned for her knowledge of Handel. The Brook Street Band is based in London and plays all over the country but relishes its Norfolk connections, with frequent concerts and projects in the region.

Contact Tatty at info@brookstreetband.co.uk for info

# love: HANDEL 13-15 October 2023

The Band also founded the highly successful biennial festival *love*: HANDEL, which combines concerts and talks with an education programme for young people centred around the work of composer George Frideric Handel. In *love*: HANDEL 2023 – Travels in Time and Place, The Brook Street Band brings to life a complicated man, publicly adored but highly private, scrupulously fair to working musicians but not above a bit of professional rivalry, financially astute and rich beyond most musicians' dreams, an entrepreneur, an innovator, a loyal friend, and a generous benefactor.

The Band presents seven concerts over three days and is delighted that two great Handelians, Peter Kerber (Director of the Picture Gallery at the Kunsthistorisches Museum in Vienna) and famed author Jonathan Keates will be joining us for two talks.

Alongside the core musicians of The Brook Street Band, performers include soprano Anna Cavaliero, tenor David de Winter, harpsichordist Robin Bigwood, cellist Kate Bennett Wadsworth and bassoonist Jennifer Harris, bringing you a wide variety of music by composers including JS Bach, Vivaldi, Telemann, Montéclair, Purcell and of course, the great man himself, Mr George Frideric Handel.

love: HANDEL takes place in three venues in the city of Norwich – The Assembly House, Theatre Street; The Chapel, 64 Park Lane; and Octagon Chapel & Martineau Hall

# *love:* HANDEL 2023 Travels in Time and Place



Festival

Friday 13 October 2024, 7pm & 9pm Octagon Chapel, Colegate, Norwich NR3 1BN

7pm Concert: Music for Mr Beard

9pm Concert: As Steals the Morn upon the Night

Saturday 14 October 2024, 11am, 2pm, 3.30pm, 7pm Octagon Chapel & Martineau Hall, Colegate, Norwich

11am Concert: The Bassoon Abroad 2pm Concert: Double Trouble

3.30pm Talk: Painting Magic – Handel & the Art of Staging Sorcery

7pm Concert: Concerti per Multi Stromenti

Sunday 15 October 2024, 10.45, 2pm & 3.30pm The Chapel, 64 Park Lane, Norwich NR2 3EF

10.45am Family Concert: The Elements

The Assembly House, Theatre Street, Norwich 2pm Talk: Handel in Italy, 1707–1710
3.30pm Concert: Margherita Durastanti –

Handel's Italian Muse

Tickets £10, £15, £20 (depending on event type)
U25s free, plus allocation of free tickets for U18 +
parent/carer at each event, family event is free.
Whole festival pass £100
Full programme and booking links available here

https://www.brookstreetband.co.uk/love-handel-2023/

Sunday 17 December 2023, 6.30pm The Chapel, 64 Park Lane, Norwich NR2 3EF BROOK STREET BAND CHRISTMAS CONCERT

The Christmas Concert has been a cherished annual fixture of The Brook Street Band for more than 20 years. Join us in one of our favourite venues, the intimate setting of the Chapel in Park Lane, a warm and atmospheric space in a residential neighbourhood outside the city centre.

Tickets £20. Reserve a seat on the Chapel website at https://www.norwichchapelconcerts.org.uk/reserve-a-seat, or email rrowe@paston.co.uk



Scan the QR code for a quick link to The Brook Street Band booking page



#### CHAOS COLLECTIVE STRING QUARTET EVENTS

Sunday 10 September 8pm : Cockpit Theatre, London
TETE A TETE FESTIVAL - Premiere of Fragments from a
Lost Land by Susie Self

Thursday 14 September 7.30pm: Wells Maltings, Wells-next-the-Sea, North Norfolk NR23 1AU

Susie Self, Fragments from a Lost Land, Mozart Eine Kleine Nachtmusik, Max Richter, Spring 1, Edith Piaf La Vie en Rose and more!

Saturday 16 September: St Marys Church, N. Elmham 7.30pm Beethoven Op.18 no.1, Mozart Eine Kleine Nachtmusik, Tango, Folk and more!

#### **CANDLELIGHT CONCERTS: Vivaldi Four Seasons**

29 September : St Peter's by the Waterfront, Ipswich

 ${\bf 5\ October: Assembly\ House,\ Norwich}$ 

6 October : St. Peter's by the Waterfront, Ipswich

19 October : Assembly House, Norwich

Saturday 11 November : Cley Church, NR25 7TT

Chamber Orchestra performance of Olaf Schmid Cantata

by Kit Hesketh-Harvey & James McConnel, conducted by Stephen Threlfall

Sunday 11 February 3pm : Necton Church, Norfolk PE37 8EU STRING QUARTET RECITAL, programme tba

March : Gressenhall Church, Norfolk NR19 2QQ STRING QUARTET RECITAL, programme and date tba

For updates and full details of all events please go to www.chaos-collective.com

# The Corn Hall, Diss



The Corn Hall is a vibrant venue on the high street of the historic market town of Diss on the border of Norfolk and Suffolk and at the gateway to the Waveney Valley. It is a refurbished and impressive Grade II listed building which was originally built in the 19th century as a corn exchange, with a new extension.

Nowadays it offers a full range of high-quality arts entertainment, with a full programme of music events, two galleries showing international, regional and local art as well as film, theatre, poetry, comedy, workshops, talks and much more.

# Music at The Corn Hall Diss, South Norfolk

The music programme at the Corn Hall is too extensive to list all their concerts so here are a couple of highlights. Please check out their website for more and to book tickets.

Saturday 22 September, 2023 7.30pm, doors 7pm

#### JACKIE OATES



Tickets: £16

Saturday 6 October 2023, 7.30pm

#### **DAOIRI FARRELL**

Singer and bouzouki player Daoiri (pronounced 'Derry') Farrell holds two prestigious BBC Radio 2 Folk Awards. He has toured and played festivals across the world as well as touring the UK with the all-star Transatlantic Sessions. It is commonly accepted that Daoiri is one of most important singers to come out of Ireland in recent years.

Tickets: £17

The Corn Hall, St Nicholas Street, Diss. Norfolk IP22 4LB Box office Tel 01379 652241



# East Point Pavilion, Lowestoft



East Point Pavilion is Lowestoft's most vibrant and inviting new venue, opened in June 2022 and run by the team behind First Light Festival. With a prominent seafront location and views of the sea, it is the perfect place to hangout, socialise and meet friends while sampling its great range of street food and music. Even better, the Pavilion is a fully accessible building with a newly installed Changing Places toilet which offers larger facilities with a changing bench and a hoist, designed to support people with disabilities who need assistance. The building is entirely step free and the bar has a lower height accessible serving area so everyone really is welcome.

# East Point Pavilion Lowestoft: Music, Food, Drink and Good Times

There's a wide variety of delicious food from independent street food traders within the Pavilion – currently Tres Hermanas, Slice, Taaj and Norwich Soul Kitchen and outside is Deans Beans. And the bar is run by Sir Toby's Beers, serving the most easterly pint. The Pavilion hosts regular events including Seafront Sounds live music evenings and open mic nights as well as pop-ups, vintage and makers markets and much more. As the programme varies, please check the events page on the website for up-to-date information. www.eastpointpavilion.com



East Pint Beer Festival August 2022

East Point Pavilion, Royal Plain, Lowestoft NR33 OAP

# Framingham Earl Singers



Framingham Earl Singers was formed in 1994 as a community choir based in South Norfolk. Our aim is to provide opportunities for local people to enjoy the experience of choral singing and the creative process of making music, both individually and collectively. The choir, led by Musical Director Daniel Wright, enjoys performing a wide range of music, from the choral repertoire to musicals, in a variety of venues in Norwich and South Norfolk. Our annual concert programme and associated activities contribute to the creative and cultural activities of Norfolk providing opportunities for the choir to engage with local professional musicians to deliver a high-quality musical experience. We meet on Monday evenings during term time at Poringland Catholic Church, Upgate, Poringland, South Norfolk NR14 7SH, 7-9pm.

Concerts so far this year have included a Coronation-themed 'Come and Sing' concert at St John the Baptist Cathedral in Norwich featuring Mozart's *Coronation Mass.* Our Summer Serenade concert in July included items from musicals and solo items from our conductor Daniel Wright and accompanist Rob Goodrich.

We welcome new members (no audition is necessary) so please contact us at info@framinghamearlsingers.co.uk

## Forthcoming concerts

Saturday 16 December 2023, 7.30pm
Poringland Catholic Church, Upgate, Poringland NR14 7SH
AN EVENING OF CHRISTMAS MUSIC

Saturday 2 March 2024, 7.30pm St Andrews Church, Church Lane, Eaton, Norwich NR4 6NW ROSSINI: PETITE MESSE SOLENNELLE

A Come and Sing Concert

Daniel Wright conductor

Rob Goodrich piano

Neil Wright harmonium

Anastasia Bevan soprano

Eleanor White mezzo soprano

Simon Carter tenor
Lawrence White bass

Performance at 7.30pm with rehearsal in the afternoon

Tickets and further details from www.framinghamearlsingers.co.uk

# Great Yarmouth Arts Festival

#### MUSIC AT THE MINSTER

Saturday 23 September, 7.30pm | Tickets: £7.50 GES SINGERS

Great Yarmouth Gilbert and Sullivan Society was founded in 1954 and is now referred to as The Gold and Silver Singers, keeping their G&S identity they move with the times.

Tuesday 26 September, 7.30pm | Tickets: £7.50

Founded in 2011 they will be singing a range of songs from traditional favourites like *O Happy Day* and *Lean on Me* to their own rewriting of *Kumbaya*.

Wednesday 27 September, 12.30pm | Admission free (collection for the Organ Fund)

#### ORGAN RECITAL

Michael Nicholas is an organist, conductor and composer who was organist at Norwich Cathedral 1971–1994. He will play music by Bach, Mendelssohn, Mulet and Howells.

Saturday 30 September, 7.30pm | Tickets: £10 FAST COAST SINFONIFITA

Founder and conductor Frankie Ayers with organist Martyn Marshall will perform Tchaikovsky's Romeo and Juliet Overture, Joseph Knight's Euphonium Concerto and Saint-Saens Organ Symphony.



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# MUSIC AT ST. GEORGES THEATRE ROYAL BALLET'S ROMEO & JULIET

Friday 22 September, 7.30pm | Tickets: £8
Screening of Kenneth MacMillan's passionate choreography shows the Royal Ballet at its dramatic finest with Prokofiev's famously evocative score.

Friday 29 September, 10.30am | Tickets: £7 (includes a cup of tea or coffee)
PIANO RECITAL

Piano recital with tea/coffee and cakes. John Farmer will play a selection of light classical music and a number of his own compositions. *Piano provided by Allens Music Centre*.

#### MUSIC AT THE EMPIRE

Saturday 30 September, 7.30pm BUSKERS

Buskers will be performing along Great Yarmouth Seafront through the day and then in the evening at Empire Theatre to select the best.

More information about these and other Festival events on www.gyartsfestival.co.uk and on Facebook and Instagram @GreatYarmouthArtsFestival
Twitter @GYAF2023

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# Keswick Hall Choir





Robbie Carroll Musical director

Cathedral Church of St John the Baptist

Keswick Hall Choir was originally established by the late Geoffrey Laycock in 1970, an amalgamation of the Choral Society and Madrigal Choir of Keswick Hall College of Education; its membership then comprised students, former students, staff and friends.

Following the college's absorption into the University of East Anglia in 1981, the choir developed an independent existence. Whilst the name and one or two of the original members remain, successive years have seen the choir attracting the most accomplished and experienced amateur choral singers in the area, and receiving critical acclaim for performances of challenging repertoire.

For booking and information about our forthcoming concerts in 2024, please see our website www.keswickhallchoir.org.uk

Saturday 18 November 2023, 7.30pm
Cathedral of St John the Baptist, Unthank Road, Norwich
RYRD SONG

A concert of unaccompanied music celebrating the 400th anniversaries of the deaths of William Byrd and Thomas Weelkes

Byrd/Williams Ave verum corpus reimagined
Byrd Mass for Five Voices
Byrd Domine quis habitabit
MacMillan Who shall separate us?
Weelkes Hosanna to the Son of David
Whitacre I thank you God for most this amazing day
Bingham The Spirit of Truth
Tallis If ye love me
Byrd Laudibus in Sanctis

William Byrd is considered one of the greatest composers of Renaissance England, with his contribution to the canon of English music existing in the form of sacred and instrumental works, as well as magdrigals. The centrepiece of this concert is the magnificent Mass for Five Voices, written secretly during the reign of Queen Elizabeth I as Byrd was a Catholic. As well as the extraordinary Domine quis habitabit, a Psalm setting full of dissonance, Keswick will perform Roderick Williams' parody setting of Byrd's Ave verum corpus, and The Spirit of Truth by Judith Bingham, based upon Tallis' If ye love me. The concert also features contemporary works by James MacMillan (as composed for the Funeral of Queen Elizabeth II) and Eric Whitacre.

# King's Lynn Festival



King's Lynn Town Hall, Saturday Market Place

King's Lynn Festival takes place in the summer and throughout the year the KLF team organises a series of Coffee Concerts in the Town Hall and the Charles Burney Early Music Festival in the autumn.

Inspired by 18th century musician Charles Burney, who was organist at St Margaret's Church in Lynn for eight years and promoted concerts in the town, the second Charles Burney Early Music Festival features acclaimed early music performers in concerts that showcase Burney's influence on music of the time.

Book concerts by phone on 01553 764864 or online at www.kingslynnfestival.org.uk

# King's Lynn Festival

Charles Burney Early Music Festival 29 September to 1 October 2024

Friday 29 September 2023, 6pm King's Lynn Town Hall, King's Lynn, Norfolk PE30 5DQ

#### APOLLO'S CABINET: CHARLES BURNEY BAROQUE TRAVEL BLOGGER



A Baroque musical voyage following Burney on his journey with music from each of the countries he visited, some famous, others seldom-heard, interspersed with readings of his original 18th century diary entries. Tickets: £16 / Under 25s 50% off

Saturday 30 September, 12noon St Nicholas' Chapel, King's Lynn, Norfolk, PE30 1LT **BURNEY AND THE BACHS** 

Matthew Truscott violin Steven Devine fortepiano JS Bach Violin Sonata No.3 in E BWV1016 CPE Bach Fantasia in F sharp minor JC Bach Violin Sonata Op.16 in D CPE Bach Violin Sonata in B flat

Tickets: £16 / Under 25s 50% off

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Steven Devine

Saturday 30 September 2023, 7.30pm St Nicholas Chapel, King's Lynn, Norfolk, PE30 1LT BURNEY AND BEYOND

Matthew Truscott *violin*, Andrew Skidmore *cello* Steven Devine *fortepiano* 

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Mozart Piano Trio in B-flat major, K. 502 Woefl Piano Trio Op 5 No.3 (1797)

Haydn Trio G minor Hob XV:19

Beethoven Piano Trio Op 1 No.1 (1795)

Tickets: £20 / Under 25s 50% off

Sunday 1 October 2023, 3pm
All Saints Church, Church Lane, King's Lynn PE30 5HD
TEA WITH DR BURNEY

Kate Semmens soprano, Steven Devine fortepiano
This light-hearted programme explores the famous and
not-so-famous composers and musicians Charles Burney
encountered in the social gatherings and salons of Europe
during the late 18<sup>th</sup> and early 19<sup>th</sup> centuries. Songs by
Mozart, Thomas Linley, Haydn and Storace and piano
music by Johann Christian Bach, Haydn and Mozart.

Tickets: £16 / Under 25s 50% off

# King's Lynn Coffee Concerts

King's Lynn Town Hall, Saturday Market Place, King's Lynn, West Norfolk PE30 5DQ Tickets: £15 (under 25's £7.50)

The Festival's ever-popular Coffee Concerts showcase prize-winning young musicians as they develop their international careers in the historic setting of King's Lynn Town Hall. Prior to the hour-long concerts, enjoy a cup of coffee and a slice of cake, from 10.30am.

Friday 27 October 2023, 11am

Paddington Piano Trio
Programme includes:

Haydn Trio in C Hob.XV.27

Schubert Trio No.2 in E-flat, D. 929, Op. 100.

Friday 10 November, 11am

Yuzhang Li piano

Beethoven Sonata in A major No.28 Op.101

Tchaikovsky Dumka Op.59

Rachmaninov Preludes Op.23, Nos 1-7

Friday 8 December, 11am

Zsófia Fóris, violin, Noèmi Csöke, piano

Beethoven Sonata for Violin and Piano: No. 6 in A major Op. 30 No. 1

Brahms Violin Sonata No.3 in D minor op. 108

For details and booking visit www.kingslynnfestival.org.uk

# **London Concertante**



London Concertante is an ensemble that has captivated audiences around the world with their unique and enchanting *Candlelight Concerts* for more than three decades. Renowned for their exceptional performances, the ensemble's innovative approach combines the timeless beauty of classical music with the intimate and ethereal atmosphere created by the warm glow of candlelight in the most inspiring of spaces.

This autumn they bring two concerts to Norwich, *Music* from the Movies with many familiar pieces and the ever-popular Four Seasons by Vivaldi and Lark Ascending by Vaughan-Williams



# Candlelight Concerts in Norwich

Saturday 23 September 2023, 7.30pm, doors 6.45pm Norwich Cathedral, 65 The Close, Norwich, NR1 4DH MUSIC FROM THE MOVIES

Join world-renowned London Concertante as they bring us on a stunning red carpet ride of iconic movie soundtracks. From aliens and spies to dinosaurs and war heroes - this evening promises to be an exciting exploration of the power of film music, packed with all of your family favourites made famous by Hollywood! This exceptional programme will include dazzling excerpts from George Lucas' epic space opera 'Star Wars'. Steven Spielberg's iconic 'Jurassic Park', harrowing 'Schindler's List' and fantastical 'ET', along with other cinematic masterpieces such as 'The Mission', 'Skvfall' and 'The Godfather', to name a few! Generations of us have been inspired by movie soundtracks for decades, so this concert is guaranteed fun for the whole family! https://londonconcertante.com/23rd-sept-2/ Duration 2 hours

## Friday 17 November 2023, 7.30pm, doors 6.45pm Norwich Cathedral, 65 The Close, Norwich, NR1 4DH VIVALDI'S FOUR SEASONS AND VAUGHAN-WILLIAMS' THE LARK ASCENDING

London Concertante brings Vivaldi's masterpiece to life in a wonderful concert featuring gems of baroque music. This concert features Vivaldi's *Four Seasons*; a jewel of the composer's extraordinary ability to illustrate moods as diverse and contrary as violent winds or birdsong, fox hunts and drunken stumbles!

We combine this with one of the most beautiful pieces for the violin, Vaughan-Williams' transcendental 'The Lark Ascending', which takes you on a journey to the heights of poetic nature's landscapes.

A stunning concert celebrating the virtuosity of the violin in all its forms.

Duration 2 hours

More details and booking https://londonconcertante.com/17th-nov/

# Ticket prices for all concerts:

Band AA - Premium Position - £45 Band A £39, Band B £29, Band C Restricted View £19 plus booking fees

Book at https://londonconcertante.com



Vivaldi's Four Seasons

For those seeking a truly magical and unforgettable musical experience, London Concertante's Candlelight Concerts offer an opportunity to bask in the beauty of classical music in a setting that harks back to its origins, whilst creating cherished memories that will linger long after the final notes have faded into the night.

What sets London Concertante apart is their ability to truly communicate with the audience, their concerts presented in a professional, yet informal way, whilst the soft atmosphere the candlelight creates enhances the concert experience still further, drawing the audience into the heart of the music.

Our Christmas concerts make the most of this candlelit atmosphere to welcome the festive season in Norwich.



Thursday 21 December 2023, 6pm, doors open 5.15pm The Halls, St Andrew's Plain, Norwich NR3 1AU CHRISTMAS AT THE MOVIES

Programme includes;

Home Alone, Love Actually, Elf, Nightmare before Christmas, Polar Express, White Christmas, A Christmas Carol, It's a Wonderful Life. And many more!

Get ready to unwrap the ultimate holiday treat with our Christmas Movies Concert! Join us as we embark on a jolly journey through the heart-warming and hilarious worlds of beloved Christmas films. It's a festive celebration that will fill your spirit with joy and bring back memories of cosy nights by the fire.

So, gather your loved ones, don your favourite festive sweater, and get ready for an unforgettable night of music, laughter, and holiday cheer. Our Christmas Movies Concert is a joyful celebration of cinema and the spirit of the season that will leave you with a heart full of warmth and a smile as bright as Rudolph's nose. Merry melodies and a very merry Christmas to all!

Thursday 21 December 2023, 8pm, doors open 7.15pm The Halls, St Andrew's Plain, Norwich NR3 1AU VIENNESE CHRISTMAS SPECTACULAR

Strauss Die Fledermaus Overture Strauss Trisch-Trasch Polka Tchaikovsky Sleeping Beauty Waltz Brahms Hungarian Dance No. 5 Tchaikovsky Nutcracker Suite Strauss Blue Danube Waltz

Always a winning concert, with a combination of pieces that our audience loves, this concert celebrates the magic of Christmas and brings people together for a sensational evening of wonderful music.

Tchaikovsky's elegant *Nutcracker Suite* leads on from Brahms' serious *Hungarian Dance No. 5*, before Strauss II introduces us to the boundless exuberance of the Polish March in his *Trisch-Trasch Polka*.

In the concert's penultimate work Tchaikovsky transports the evening to the magical halls of snowy Tsarist Russia with a regal waltz from his ballet *Sleeping Beauty*. The evening reaches its climax with the famous *Blue Danube Waltz*, not only proving the crowning jewel of a fabulous night's worth of music, but the coronation of Johann Strauss II as the master of the Viennese waltz.

Duration 2 hours

Book for all concerts at https://londonconcertante.com

## The Mozart Orchestra



Founded in 1961, The Mozart Orchestra has established itself as one of the leading orchestras in the region, giving up to four concerts each year from May to October. Concluding its current season, the orchestra gives one more concert on 7th October at St Peter Mancroft in Norwich – details below. In 2024 there will two concerts in Norwich, one in Bungay and one in Blakeney, subject to confirmation at the time of going to press.

If you would like updates about future concerts, please join our mailing list at: www.mozartorchestra.org.uk/ contact.html or follow us on Facebook www.facebook.com/mozartorchestra

#### Concerts 2023 season

Saturday 7 October 2023, 7pm (please note start time)

St Peter Mancroft Church, Hay Hill, Norwich NR2 1QQ

#### SERENE SENSIBILITY

The Mozart Orchestra Tadeusz Kaznowski conductor Sam Wilsmore oboe

Moeran Serenade in G Vaughan Williams Oboe Concerto Mozart Overture, The Magic Flute Schumann Symphony No. 2 in C

Tickets £12 (£8 under 26s)

Online: www.ticketsource.co.uk/mozartorchestra Phone: 0333 666 3366 (Mon-Fri 9am-5pm)

Info: www.mozartorchestra.org.uk

2024 season dates for your diary: Saturday 11 May at 7pm St Peter Mancroft, Norwich Saturday 15 June at 7.30pm St Mary's Church, Bungay (tbc) Saturday 20 July at 7.30pm St Nicholas Church, Blakeney (tbc)

Saturday 5 October at 7pm St Peter Mancroft, Norwich

Programmes and soloists to be announced – further details at www.mozartorchestra.org.uk



# Merry Opera



We know that opera is not for everyone – it can seem dull, serious or just plain inaccessible. So in 2007 Merry Opera Company set out to show people how opera, sung in a language you can understand, with words you can hear clearly and singers that relate to the audience, really does thrill with its drama, delight with its atmosphere, amuse with its comedy and tug at the heartstrings all at the same time

You don't need to pay a fortune or wear formal evening dress. You don't need to know anything about the music or the story before you go. We even tour to your city so that you don't have to travel too far. So if you have your doubts about opera, this is your chance to give it a try!

#### Concerts

Friday 24 November 2023 St Peter Mancroft Church Hay Hill, Norwich NR2 1QQ HANDEL'S MESSIAH

Performed with just 12 singers with church organ staged in and around the audience. Now in its 16th revival year - this version of the Messiah has already been seen by over 13,000 people.



"An astonishing performance of one of the bastions of Western religious music that brings out the humanity of people rather than just their religious faith ...the High Art of a new experience"

"Now for the first time I understand what Christianity is all about. That doesn't mean I believe in God, but I do now understand its moral relevance to our lives today"

"We have never experienced anything so moving or exciting"

Performance at 7pm with a 20 minute interval at about 8pm. Performance ends at about 9.20pm.

Tickets £20. Box Office: www.merryopera.co.uk Telephone: 03336 664 466

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Friday 23 February 2023, 7.30pm The Corn Hall, Diss, South Norfolk IP22 4LB

Saturday 24 February 2024, 7.30pm The Public Hall and Theatre, Beccles, Suffolk NR34 9AD

#### MOZART'S MAGIC FLUTE

A young man finds himself in a strange and bizarre world peopled by bird-men, monsters, magic beings, mad scientists and even madder monarchs. Armed only with the power of Music, our hero sets out on a quest to save a beautiful princess from Evil - but then everything turns upside down all over again.

Merry Opera's production of the world's most beloved opera features a multi-talented virtuoso cast of only seven people taking on multiple roles, making this the biggest smallest mega-show you've ever seen and heard. Mozart's fantasy opera of love, hope and transformation is the perfect merry opera with all the glorious music, comedy, drama, wisdom and the purest joy that any heart could desire. It might even contain the secret to living your best life! Merry Opera's new production of *Magic Flute* is for YOU and all the people you love.

With performances taking place in two beautiful venues in Diss, South Norfolk and just over the border in Beccles, Suffolk, Merry Opera continue in their efforts to make professional opera truly accessible to everyone, bringing their spectacular performances to your doorstep.



Diss: Friday 23 February : Performance at 7.30pm; 20 minute interval at about 8.30pm. Performance ends at about 9.50pm

Tickets: £18 Box Office: www.thecornhall.co.uk (booking fee applies), 01379 652 241, or in person at The Corn Hall

**Beccles:** Saturday 24 February: Performance at 7.30pm; 20 minute interval at about 8.30pm. Performance ends at about 9.50pm: Tickets £18

Box Office: www.becclespublichall.co.uk; 01502 770 060

# Norfolk Music Hub



Norfolk Music Hub is a partnership of organisations and schools which engage with Norfolk's children and young people in music-making. These organisations share what they do, communicate with each other and are committed to the highest quality of music education.

The Norfolk Music Hub partnership has lots of exciting opportunities for children and young people to get involved in over the autumn term.

Please check the website www.norfolkmusichub.org.uk for more details about the Hub and the activities listed on the right.

# Music Hub activities for young people

#### BRITTEN SINFONIA AND 177Y GI7MO

Children at Key stage 1 have the opportunity to work with Britten Sinfonia as they undertake a mini tour around Norfolk delighting schools audiences. The 25 schools involved will begin learning in September ready for an interactive performance at the start of October.

#### MUSICAL MONDAYS

Once a month, on Monday afternoons, we will be offering a concert series for primary & complex needs settings and home-schooled young people to enjoy. There is a programme of exciting concerts planned starting with a Black History Month-inspired concert.

To find out more and register see: Musical Mondays, Norfolk & Suffolk, Live Music Now on our website

#### CONFERENCE

We are delighted to offer the return of our conference this year for more details you can visit our website to find out more: Working Together Conference at Dunston Hall - Norfolk Music Hub

#### **YUSTUDIO**

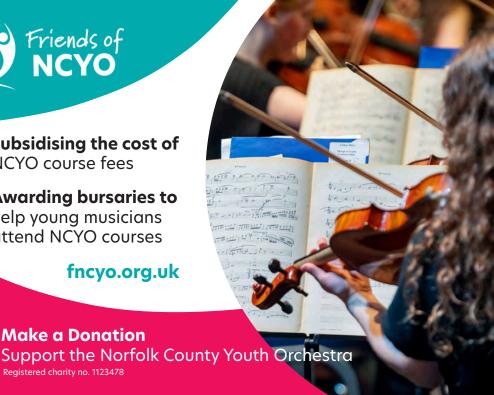
Over the summer, 11 secondary educational settings have given their students the task of creating a composition using YuStudio (a digital audio workstation). We will be showcasing the best of these compositions in the autumn term both on social media and at our conference.



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# Norwich Baroque



Norwich Baroque is a flexible ensemble that plays music of the 17th and 18th centuries on period instruments. They have a special love for pairing international favourites like Bach, Handel, and Vivaldi with lesser-known creative voices from the past – especially those with a local connection, like John Playford.

In addition to a regular concert series at the Octagon Chapel, the group also collaborate regularly with the Norwich Cathedral Choirs for an annual performance of Handel's *Messiah* during the Christmas season, as well as performances of the Bach *Passions* just before Easter.

Come and see what they're all about!

To find out more about Norwich Baroque and to join our mailing list, visit norwichbaroque.org

#### Concerts



Saturday 16 September 2023, 7.30pm St Mary's Church, Church Street, Attleborough NR17 2AH

Saturday 7 October 2023, 7pm
Assembly House, Theatre Street, Norwich NR2 1RQ
MR. HANDEL AND HIS MARVELLOUS MACHINES:
Inspired by eerie automata of the 18<sup>th</sup> century
Emily Baines director and recorder



**Emily Baines** 

Handel's music hasn't gone out of style in 300 years, and yet our playing styles have changed a lot over the years. Emily Baines has done some amazing research into musical recording machines that existed in Handel's time and discovered a way of playing Handel that echoes his original sound.

#### Saturday 9 December 2023, 7pm Norwich Cathedral, The Close, Norwich NR1 4DH MESSIAH BY CANDIFLIGHT

Norwich Cathedral Choir Norwich Baroque

Emma Walshe soprano Judy Louie Brown alto David de Winter tenor Edmund Danon bass Ashley Grote conductor

Norwich Cathedral Choir and Norwich Baroque are joined by a cast of internationally acclaimed soloists for their ever-popular annual performance of Handel's much-loved oratorio.

Doors: 6.15pm. Tickets: £15-£35 Also see page 39



#### Saturday 3 February 2024, 7pm Octagon Chapel, Colegate, Norwich BACH THE VIOLIST

John Crockatt director

The humble viola did not get much love in the 18th century, but J.S. Bach reportedly took great pleasure in playing it. Come and hear some of his most beautiful music for the viola, including the 6th *Brandenburg Concerto*.



John Crockatt

Saturday 23 March 2024, 7pm Norwich Cathedral, The Close, Norwich NR1 4DH

# BACH ST JOHN PASSION

Norwich Cathedral Chamber Choir Norwich Baroque

Ashley Grote conductor

Norwich Baroque once again collaborates with the Norwich Cathedral Chamber Choir, to perform Bach's monumental setting of the Passion story according to St John for the Easter season.

Tickets on sale from 1 December 2023.

For more info and ticket booking please visit www.norwichbaroque.org.



Matt Wadsworth, photo © Paul Hurst

## **Norwich Arts Centre**



Norwich Arts Centre is a contemporary arts venue that delivers an almost daily programme of live music, theatre, dance, live art, visual art, literature and comedy. It is a small, independently run venue with charitable status and a mission to support the development of artists and nurture emerging talent across a range of art forms. There is a huge number of events at the venue so the only way to see the full programme is on their website. We've been particularly enjoying their TONE programme which is dedicated to contemporary classical music. Other successful in-house productions include Round Midnight, showcasing the best Jazz, Soul and Worldbeat and HARK, NAC's contemporary electronic music night. Please check the website for more details.

Norwich Arts Centre, St Benedicts Street, Norwich NR2 4PG www.norwichartscentre.co.uk



Tuesday 10 October 2023, 8pm Tone presents Martin Kohstedt (Contemporary classical)

Tuesday 24 October 2023, 8pm Tone presents Shida Shahabi (Contemporary classical)

Sunday 29 October 2023, 7.30pm Tone presents Hidden Orchestra (Contemporary classical)

Wednesday 8 November 2023 Round Midnight presents Gotts Street Park (Jazz)

Thursday 16 November 2023, 8pm Round Midnight presents Move78 (Jazz, soul)

Tuesday 16 January 2024
Tone presents Sirishkumar Manji and Vibhaas

### Norwich Cathedral



Norwich Cathedral is home to a musical tradition that traces its roots as far back as the Cathedral's foundation in 1096. Choral services are sung daily by the Cathedral Choirs and, on Saturdays and in holiday time, by visiting choirs.

All are invited to attend Cathedral services, for which there is no admission charge and tickets are not required. The Cathedral is also a centre for an exciting series of concerts and recitals: see www.cathedral.org.uk for full details of these and other events.

The cathedral's pipe organ has just undergone a major

rebuild and the season 2023-24 sees an exciting programme of events as we celebrate its return. We look forward to welcoming you to Norwich Cathedral.



### Concerts

All concerts at Norwich Cathedral, 65 The Close, Norwich NR1 4DH Tel: 01603 218300

Thursday 5 October 2023, 7.30pm A ROYAL CELEBRATION: MUSIC IN HONOUR OF OUR NEW KING

Music by Elgar, Handel, Patrick Hawes, Mozart, Parry

Royal Philharmonic Concert Orchestra Norwich Cathedral Choir

Ashley Grote and Patrick Hawes conductors

In aid of the East Anglian Air Ambulance and Norwich Cathedral Trust.

Tickets from £15 from www.ticketsource.co.uk/ norwichroyalcelebration or telephone 0333 666 3366



Norwich Cathedral organ which has been recently refurbished

Organ reborn! Join us for a series of three concerts in November 2023 to celebrate the rebuilding of the Cathedral organ:

Saturday 11 November 2023, 7pm

**RUTTER: GLORIA** 

**BERNSTEIN: CHICHESTER PSALMS** Norwich Cathedral Chamber Choir

with Onyx Brass

David Dunnett organ Ashley Grote conductor

Norwich Cathedral Chamber Choir and Cathedral Organist David Dunnett are joined by internationally acclaimed ensemble Onyx Brass for a programme of works for choir, organ and brass.

Doors: 6.15pm. Tickets: £12-£20.

### Norwich Cathedral Organ Reborn!

Thursday 16 November 2023, 7pm **HERBERT HOWELLS: A CELEBRATION** 





Ed Balls presenter/conductor Nicholas Chalmers conductor Ashley Grote organ

**BBC Singers** 

The BBC Singers, accompanied by Norwich Cathedral's own Master of Music, Ashley Grote, join conductor Nicholas Chalmers and presenter Ed Balls for an evening of words and music revealing the full depth, power and playfulness of Herbert Howells - a much loved, but somewhat under-valued, British genius.

Doors: 6.15pm. Tickets: £15-£25.

This concert will be recorded for broadcast on BBC Radio 3

Saturday 25 November 2023, 7pm THOMAS TROTTER GIVES THE INAUGURAL RECITAL ON THE NEWLY-REBUILT CATHEDRAL ORGAN

Internationally-renowned concert organist and recipient of the 2020 Queen's Medal for Music, Thomas Trotters gives the inaugural concert on the Cathedral organ following the complete rebuild by Harrison & Harrison of Durham. The programme will feature music by Bach, Guilmant, Dove, Willan, Karg-Elert, and Mendelssohn.

Doors: 6.15pm. Tickets: £7.50-£15.

## Saturday 9 December 2023, 7pm (note time) MESSIAH BY CANDIFIEHT

Norwich Cathedral Choir Norwich Baroque

Emma Walshe soprano Judy Louie Brown alto David de Winter tenor

Edmund Danon bass

Ashley Grote conductor

Norwich Cathedral Choir and Norwich Baroque are joined by a cast of internationally acclaimed soloists for their ever-popular annual performance of Handel's much-loved oratorio.

Doors: 6.15pm. Tickets: £15-£35

### Friday 15 December 2023, 7.30pm

### CHRISTMAS WITH NORWICH CATHEDRAL CHOIR

Join the Norwich Cathedral Choir for a joyous celebration of Christmas music both sacred and secular, with carols for choir and audience.

Doors: 6.45pm. Tickets £15-£25.

### Monday 1 January 2024, 11am NEW YEAR'S DAY ORGAN RECITAL

Norwich Cathedral's organist, David Dunnett, welcomes the New Year in with a selection of organ favourites. Admission free, no ticket needed, retiring collection taken. Sunday 28 January 2024, 6.30pm

BRITTEN: A CEREMONY OF CAROLS

Norwich Cathedral Choir Elizabeth Green harp Ashley Grote conductor

The boys and girls of Norwich Cathedral Choir, with harp accompaniment, sing Britten's ever-popular *A Ceremony of Carols* – first performed in Norwich Castle in 1942.

Saturday 23 March 2024, 7pm J. S. BACH: ST JOHN PASSION

Norwich Cathedral Chamber Choir

Norwich Baroque

Ashley Grote conductor

Norwich Cathedral Chamber Choir, accompanied by Norwich Baroque, perform Bach's monumental setting of the Passion story according to St John. *Tickets on sale from 1 December 2023.* 

Book online at www.cathedral.org.uk via Norwich Cathedral TicketSource page or call the TicketSource Box Office on 0333 666 3366.

Please see www.cathedral.org.uk for full details of these and other events or email: music@cathedral.org.uk
Tel: 01603 218300

## Norwich Chamber Music at the John Innes Conference Centre



Norwich Chamber Music (NCM) has been presenting chamber music of the highest standard for over 70 years. Whether you are a seasoned listener or attending a chamber music concert for the very first time, we are delighted to welcome you.

All our concerts are held at the John Innes Conference Centre, a modern spacious auditorium with superb acoustics, unobstructed sight lines and excellent parking! See page 63 for address and contact details. A bar service for interval wine or soft drinks will be provided – please place your order at the bar on arrival.

### Concerts and tickets

Standard concert tickets cost £30 (£25 for NCM members; we also offer a limited number of free tickets for the under 25s. Tickets are usually available on the door, however we recommend that you book early for the best choice of seating.

Tickets may be bought online from our website:



Tickets may be bought online from our website: www.norwichchambermusic.org.uk/tickets or via the TicketSource website and booking line 0333 666 3366

For full details of our organisation, concerts, and how to join as a Season Ticket holder or Member, see www.norwichchambermusic.org.uk



Alim Beisembayev First prize winner, Leeds International piano competition, 2021. See next page for concert details

## Saturday 16 September 2023, 7.30pm ALIM BEISEMBAYEV piano

Bach French Suite No.2 in C Minor BWV 813 Schubert Sonata in C minor D.958 Debussy Images, Book 1 Ravel Gaspard de la nuit

### Saturday 7 October 2023, 7.30pm CASTALIAN STRING QUARTET

Mark-Anthony Turnage Awake
Mozart Quartet in D minor K.421
Beethoven Quartet in B flat major, Opp. 130 & 133
Pre-concert talk by Richard Wigmore at 6.30pm



Castalian Quartet





Charles Owen

Jack Liebeck

## Saturday 4 November 2023, 7.30pm SCHUBERT WEEKEND

Charles Owen piano Katya Apekisheva piano Jack Liebeck violin Tim Posner cello

Duo in A for violin & piano, D.574
Andantino varié in B minor for piano duet, D.823 No.2
Rondo in B minor for violin & piano, D.895
Sonata in C for piano duet (Grand Duo), D.812
Pre-concert talk by Misha Donat at 6.30pm

Sunday 5 November 2023, 3pm Variations in A flat for piano duet, D.813 Piano Trio in E flat (Notturno), D.897 Fantasy in F minor for piano duet, D.940 Sonata in A minor for cello & piano (Arpeggione), D.821 Fantasy in C for violin & piano, D.934



Ouatuor Ébène

Saturday 2 December 2023, 7.30pm QUATUOR ÉBÈNE

Havdn Quartet in G minor, Op.20 No.3 Bartók Quartet No.3

Schubert Quartet in G. D.887

Pre-concert talk by Misha Donat at 6.30pm

Sunday 14 January 2024, 3pm

### 'IN NATURE'S REALM'

Lucy Crowe soprano Anna Tilbrook piano Songs by Felix and Fanny Mendelssohn, Clara and Robert Schumann, Alban Berg, Judith Weir and William Walton

Sunday 28 January 2024, 3pm HAFFNER ENSEMBLE

Dir. Nicholas Daniel oboe Jonathan Dove Figures in the Garden Mozart Serenade in C minor, K.388 Marcelo Nisinman Die Albträume des Todes Mozart Serenade in E flat, K.375



Lucy Crowe

Sunday 11 February 2024, 3pm

Ben Goldscheider horn. Callum Smart violin. Richard Uttley piano

Beethoven Horn Sonata in F. Op. 17 Ligeti Trio for horn, violin and piano Clara Schumann Three Romances, Op.22 for violin and piano

Brahms Horn Trio in E flat, Op.40 Pre-concert talk by Richard Wigmore at 2pm

Sunday 25 February 2024, 3pm Johan Dalene violin Nicola Eimer piano Beethoven Sonata in D. Op. 12 No. 1 Schoenberg Phantasy Op.47 Franck Sonata in A







Ren Goldscheider



## Saturday 9 March 2024, 7.30pm MAXWELL STRING QUARTET

Haydn Quartet in E flat, Op. 20 No.1 Maxwell Quartet Worksongs (Folk music of Scotland)

Beethoven Quartet in C sharp minor, Op.131

## Saturday 6 April 2024, 7.30pm FRANÇOIS-FRÉDÉRIC GUY piano

Debussy Clair de lune

Chopin Nocturne in D flat, Op.27 No.1
Fantaisie in F minor, Op.49
Debussy Reflets dans l'eau (Images, Book 1)
Murail Cailloux dans l'eau
Debussy Feux d'artifice (Préludes, Book II)
Chopin Sonata in B minor, Op.58
Beethoven Sonata in C sharp minor, Op.27 No.2
(Moonliaht)

### Joe Stirling Memorial Concert

### Saturday 20 April 2024, 7.30pm OUATUOR MODIGLIANI

Mozart Quartet in G, K.156 Elise Bertrand New Work (UK Premiere) Wolf Italian Serenade Beethoven Quartet in F, Op.59 No.1 (Razumovsky)

Free for NCM Season ticket holders and members



Quatuor Modigliani



François-Frédéric Guy

All concerts are held at the John Innes Conference Centre, Norwich Research Park, Colney Lane, Norwich NR4 7UH Tel: 01603 505974.

Tickets may be bought online from our website:

www.norwichchambermusic.org.uk/ tickets or via the TicketSource website and booking line 0333 666 3366

### Norwich Philharmonic Society



Norwich Phil Orchestra and Chorus at The Halls, Norwich

The closure for refurbishment in 2024 of The Halls – the Phil's home venue – initially proved a challenge. However, we have recast it as an opportunity – to spread our wings, to visit new venues, to win new audiences, and to reshape our season in an exciting new direction. Our major choral concert opens the season at The Halls on 4 November when David Dunnett, in his final season as the Phil's choral conductor, directs *The Kingdom*, the third of the great triptych of Elgar oratorios, with a quartet of top soloists joining the orchestra and chorus. The orchestral concert on 9 December welcomes back leading British pianist, Martin Roscoe, in the *Variations on a Nursery Song* by Dohnanyi and the Phil's everpopular *Family Christmas Concert* on 19 December will be our last performance at The Halls for at least a year.

After Christmas, we move on to the King's Centre in King Street, Norwich for two short performances by the orchestra of a special *Children's Concert* on 10 February 2024. The choir and orchestra come together again on 9 March in the glorious setting of Norwich Cathedral for Mozart's *Requiem* and Beethoven's *Fifth*. And the orchestra closes the season with a programme of classic and popular film music at the Showground Arena on 20 April 2024.



David Dunnett

Saturday 4 November 2023, 7.30pm The Halls, St Andrew's Plain, Norwich NR3 1AU ELGAR: THE KINGDOM

Norwich Philharmonic Chorus and Orchestra
David Dunnett conductor
Special surprise guest soprano to be announced
Louise Winter mezzo-soprano
Gwilym Bowen tenor
Jonathan Brown hass

### Saturday 9 December 2022, 7.30pm The Halls, St Andrew's Plain, Norwich NR3 1AU

Norwich Philharmonic Orchestra Matthew Andrews conductor Guest soloist to be announced Martin Roscoe piano Programme to include:

Programme to include: Rimsky Korsakov Suite, The Snow Maiden Dohnanyi Variations on a Nursery Song Tchaikovsky Symphony No. 4 in F minor



Martin Roscoe



Norwich Philharmonic Orchestra with Matthew Andrews

## Tuesday 19 December, 7.30pm The Halls, St Andrew's Plain, Norwich NR3 1AU THE PHIL'S FAMILY CHRISTMAS CONCERT

Norwich Philharmonic Chorus and Orchestra David Dunnett conductor

The Phil's sell-out Christmas celebration is an ideal way for audience of all ages to round off the year in the run up to the festive season.

Saturday 10 February, 2.30pm and 4.30pm
The Kings Centre, King Street Norwich NR1 1PH
THE PHIL'S CHILDREN'S CONCERT

Norwich Philharmonic Orchestra Matthew Andrews conductor Bernard Hughes narrator

A fun and informal concert for young children aged 5–11 and their families. Composer Bernard Hughes narrates James Mayhew's funny children's book *The Knight Who Took All Day* and introduces heroic deeds in music by Tchaikovsky, Rossini, Grieg, Prokofiev, Khachaturian plus the theme to *How To Train Your Dragon*. Bean bags provided!

Saturday 9 March 2024, 7.30pm Norwich Cathedral, The Close, Norwich NR1 4DH

Norwich Philharmonic Chorus and Orchestra

Matthew Andrews and David Dunnett conductors

Cecilia Osmond soprano

Frances Bourne mezzo-soprano

Daniel Bartlette tenor
Dhilan Gnanadurai bass

Beethoven Symphony No. 5 in C minor

Mozart Requiem in D minor

Saturday 20 April 2024, 7.30pm
Norfolk Showground Arena, Norwich NR5 0TP
THE PHIL GOES TO THE MOVIES

Norwich Philharmonic Orchestra

Matthew Andrews conductor

A programme of classic and popular film music from some of the greatest hits in cinema. Including music from the Bond movies and John Williams, as well as classic scores by Elmer Bernstein (The Magnificent Seven), Erich Korngold (The Sea Hawk) and Bernard Hermann (North by North West).

Full details to follow. Please check the Norwich Phil website www.norwichphil.org.uk for updates.



Norwich Philharmonic Chorus

Tickets for all concerts available online from 1 September 2023:

4 November, 9 December, 17 December, 20 April: £20, £14 (£8 Students/Under 26)

10 February: £5 Children, £12 Adults

9 March: £25, £22, £20, £15 (£12, £11, £10, £8 Students/Under 26)

**Book tickets** 

Online: www.ticketsource.co.uk/norwichphil

Phone: 0333 666 3366

(Monday–Saturday 9am–5pm excl public holidays)
Phone booking charge £2 (to cover cost of postage)

More information: www.norwichphil.org.uk

### **Norwich Pops Orchestra**



Since its formation in 2003 the Norwich Pops Orchestra has established itself as the leading large traditional symphony orchestra in East Anglia.

Usually numbering 45-50 players, the orchestra prides itself on a varied and accessible mix of repertoire including film scores, West End musicals, Strauss waltzes & polkas, classical favourites, British Light Music and much more. We have staged several children's concerts and a conducting competition, initiated educational work in our local community and supported young professional players. Most importantly, we have presented informal and relaxed high quality entertainment for our audiences wherever we have performed.





### Concerts

Sunday 1 January 2024, 3pm
The Halls, St Andrew's Plain, Norwich NR3 1AU
NEW YEAR'S DAY CONCERT

Norwich Pops Orchestra Mark Sharp *musical director* 

Our ever-popular concert of waltzes, overtures and traditional Viennese favourites and the last concert to be performed at The Halls prior to its renovation.

If you already know about Norwich Pops Orchestra, please continue to support us and spread the word to your friends and family. If you don't, please give us a try and start the new year off with us. Chances are, you will have a great afternoon out!

Tickets: £5 (under 16s), £10 (side aisles), £13 (stalls), £15 (west gallery)

Tickets for all concerts are available from Ticketsource via www.norwichpopsorchestra.co.uk



# DATES FOR YOUR DIARY...

More information can be found on our website norwich-school.org.uk

The voice of performance

One school. Many voices.

### **Making Musicians Recitals**

(free entry)

Thursday 19 October, 12:05 Norwich School Chapel, The Close

Thursday 23 November, 13:10 Norwich Cathedral

### The Miyabi Duo

A recital of music for two guitars from the nineteenth, twentieth, and twenty-first centuries. Includes music by Granados, Rodrigo and Debussy, plus a piece specially composed for the musicians by Sylvia Lim.

Thursday 19 October, 19:00

Norwich School Chapel, The Close
£7.50. Under 18 free of charge.

www.ticketsource.co.uk/norwich-school

### Raynham Hall: Raynham Recitals



Raynham's Marble Hall has a clear but gentle resonance perfect for intimate chamber music presented under the direction of Michael Chance CBE, Professor of Voice at the Royal Academy of Music, the Royal College of Music and the Conservatoire at the Hague, and Artistic Director of Grange Festival

Raynham Hall near Fakenham, Norfolk has been the seat of the Townshend family for over 400 years. Raynham Recitals is a programme of chamber music held in what used to be the great hall of this Jacobean house designed and built by Sir Roger Townshend with his Master Mason William Edge. Later paved in marble by William Kent and embellished in C18th style, the Marble Hall epitomises the dual spirit of Raynham Hall. Lofty, elegant and flooded with light, it also has a clear but gentle resonance which is perfect for the intimate chamber music presented at the Raynham Recitals.



## Saturday 25 November 2023, 6pm CHINESE BOXING AND A SHORT TOUR OF A PERSONAL CHINESE COLLECTION AT RAYNHAM HALL

Mark Kitto's exciting and interesting one-man play *Chinese Boxing* is coming to Raynham. Preceding the drama guests are invited to get into the mood of the era by walking through the ground floor of Raynham Hall to look at Chinese artefacts in the personal collection of Lady Townshend, acquired when living in Peking during the early years of Mao. There is also the Raynham Collection of Chinese armorial plates on view, sourced by the 3rd Viscount Townshend and in the Music Room are fine examples of furniture made in China in the C18th in the European style and collected by the Townshend family.

Please check further details on the www.raynhamhall.com website and book via Ticketsource www.ticketsource.co.uk/raynham-recitals

Raynham Hall, East Raynham, Fakenham Norfolk NR21 7EP Email admin@raynhamhall.co.uk or ring 01328 862133

### **Pakefield Singers**



Founded in 2002, Pakefield Singers is a concert choir with an extensive and varied repertoire under the direction of Vetta Wise.

Over the last 20 years Pakefield Singers has been presenting high-quality performances in venues across Norfolk and Suffolk. Memorable concerts include Verdi's Requiem, Elijah, Carmina Burana, masses by Mozart and Faure and most recently Messiah with Norwich Baroque, and Vierne's mighty Messe Solennelle at St Peter Mancroft church in Norwich.

The next two concerts are in Lowestoft, Suffolk and include a very special fundraising concert in the run-up to Christmas which combines music with a reading and live painting by illustrator James Mayhew.

Saturday 28 October 2023, 7.30pm St Margaret's Church, Lowestoft, Suffolk

### HAYDN: NELSON MASS & MISSA BREVIS

Pakefield Players with Jim O'Toole leader Vetta Wise conductor Robbie Carroll organ

Haydn Nelson Mass

Haydn Missa Brevis in F (Jugendmesse)

Monteverdi Beatus Vir

Revel in the sublime sounds of great music, in the beautiful setting of St Margaret's Church.

We present two glorious Haydn works to be sung by the popular Pakefield Singers: his dramatic *Nelson Mass* and the lyrical *Missa Brevis in F.* Monteverdi's beautiful *Beatus Vir* will be sung by the Aurora Consort.

Vetta Wise conducts, the dynamic Jim O'Toole leads the Pakefield Players Orchestra, and Norwich Cathedral's Robbie Carroll is at the organ.

Tickets £15, available from TicketSource via www.ticketsource.co.uk/pakefield-singers and also on the door

"This choral group showed it deserves its enviable reputation for their polished performances of a very wide range of musical styles."

Saturday 2 December 2023, 7pm Church of St Peter & St John, Rectory Road, Lowestoft, Suffolk NR33 OED

#### A CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION

A fundraising concert for the Britten as a Boy statue With the Pakefield Singers

Vetta Wise conductor Lucinder Pennick harp

Benjamin Britten

The Pakefield Singers present A Christmas Celebration, a special concert to raise funds for Lowestoft's Britten as a Boy statue.

Britten's *Ceremony of Carols* will form the centrepiece, along with works by other composers, living locally, including Alexander Campkin.

The choir's patron, author and presenter Zeb Soanes (Classic FM) will present the concert and read his children's story *Gaspard's Christmas*, with its carol by Jonathan Dove accompanied by a live illustration by James Mayhew. There will be a chance to win James' beautiful artwork in the interval raffle.

Pakefield Singers is proud to support *Britten as a Boy*, a community project to erect an inspiring statue of the composer, as a boy, opposite his childhood home in Lowestoft. Full details about the project at www.brittenasaboy.com



About Britten as a Boy project
Benjamin Britten is Lowestoft's most
accomplished son. Born in 1913, he showed
musical talent at an early age and went on
to become a central figure of 20th-century
British music as an outstanding composer,
conductor, and pianist.

Britten as a Boy is a project to raise funding for a statue of Britten depicted as a child, by sculptor lan Rank-Broadley. The statue will be placed, facing out to sea, between Britten's childhood home and the promenade. The fundraising target is £95k and it is hoped to unveil the statue by 2025



Presenter Zeb Soanes

Tickets: £15 (accompanied under 16's free) unreserved seating from www.ticketsource.co.uk/pakefield-singers and on the door.

See www.pakefieldsingers.com and follow on Facebook https://www.facebook.com/pakefieldsingers

### St Peter Mancroft Church







The Church of St Peter Mancroft has a long musical tradition. It has an excellent reputation for its work with young people many of whom have gone on to become professional singers and organists.

Mancroft Music Recitals are appreciated by increasing numbers of people at no cost to attend. There is an optional collection at the end of the recital. The magnificent church building has excellent acoustics and provides a splendid setting for concerts of all kinds, with an expanding programme of music and arts events.

## Mancroft Music Recitals The Church of St Peter Mancroft, Hay Hill, Norwich NR2 1QQ



The Mancroft Music Recitals all take place in the church (opposite the Forum) on Saturdays at 1pm. There are also frequent concerts by other music organisations who appreciate the church and its fine acoustics for their own concerts and recitals. For our full Christmas line-up and beyond, keep an eye on our website www.stpetermancroft.org.uk

### AUTUMN RECITALS

Saturday 23 September 2023, 1pm

Andres Villamil classical guitar Saturday 30 September 2023,

Hexachordia Trio

1pm

Saturday 7 October 2023, 1pm Jo Westaway soprano and Karen Smith piano



Andres Villamil



Hexachordia

### Mancroft Music Recitals

The Church of St Peter Mancroft, Hay Hill, Norwich NR2 1QQ

Saturday 14 October 2023, 1pm Dr Anthony Gritten organ

Saturday 21 October 2023, 1pm Amy Butler piano and Chris Hill flute

Saturday 2 December 2023, 1pm A Ceremony of Carols with St Peter Mancroft St Cecilia's singers

### Saturday 16 December 2023, 4pm

The city church of Umeå, Sweden, concert at St John Maddermarket Church, Pottergate



St Cecilia Singers. Photo Laura Kyffin



Dr Anthony Gritten



Saturday 1 January 2024, 1pm New Year's Day Organ Recital with Julian Haggett



Julian Haggett



Chris Hill



Amy Butler

St Peter Mancroft offers a range of singing opportunities including Choral Scholarships - details are on the next page.

## SPM THE CHURCH OF ST PETER MANCROFT



## Singing opportunities

**Mancroft Minors Singing Club** for boys and girls aged 5–7

**Choristerships** for children aged 7+

**St Cecilia's Singers** for upper voices aged 15–25

**Choral Scholarships (£1000 p.a.)** for singers aged 16–25

**St Peter's Singers** A mixed-voice adult choir

For more information contact:
Director of Music Tel: 01603 610443
Email secretary@stpetermancroft.org.uk
www.stpetermancroft.org.uk/scholarships

### University of East Anglia Music Centre



The University of East Anglia (UEA) Music Centre provides a vibrant meeting place for musically gifted students, staff, and members of the community. It hosts practice and rehearsal spaces and runs UEA's flourishing Choir, Chamber Choir, Community Choir, and Symphony Orchestra, presenting concerts each year at some of Norwich's most prestigious concert venues, including St. Andrew's Hall and St. John the Baptist Roman Catholic Cathedral.

For further information about UEA Music Centre concerts and events, please visit: www.uea.ac.uk/uea-life/campus-life/campus-facilities/music-centre

telephone: 01603 593948, email: musicevents@uea.ac.uk or follow: @UEAConcerts on Twitter and UEA Music Centre on Facebook and Instagram.

### **UEA Music Centre auditions**

To arrange an audition, please fill out an online audition application form (available on the relevant ensemble page of the UEA Music Centre website),

email musicevents@uea.ac.uk or phone 01603 593948.

#### **UEA CHOIR AUDITIONS 2023**

Friday 22 September (11am–5.30pm) and Monday 25 September (12noon–6pm)
UEA Music Centre (UEA campus), Norwich, NR4 7TJ
UEA Choir is looking for new members. If you are a keen singer and are interested in joining UEA's flourishing Choir, please come and audition.

Auditions are five minutes in duration, open to all and free to attend.

### **UEA CHAMBER CHOIR AUDITIONS 2023**

Friday 22 September (11am-5.30pm) and Monday 25 September (12noon-6pm) UEA Music Centre (UEA campus), Norwich, NR4 7TJ

UEA Chamber Choir has some vacancies for new members. If you are a keen singer and want to explore various periods of choral music, please come and audition. Please note that some vocal training and/or choral experience is essential, as well as the ability to read music.

Auditions are ten minutes in duration, open to all and free to attend.



UEA Open Rehearsal

### **UEA SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA AUDITIONS 2023**

Friday 22 September (12noon-6pm) and Monday 25 September (3pm-8pm)

UEA Music Centre (UEA campus), Norwich NR4 7TJ

UEA Symphony Orchestra is looking for new players. If you are Grade 7 standard or above (you do not need to have taken any exams) and are keen to become part of the dynamic music community at UEA, please come and audition.

Auditions are ten minutes in duration, open to all and free to attend.

To arrange an audition, please fill out an online audition application form (available on the UEA Symphony Orchestra page of the UEA Music Centre website), email musicevents@uea.ac.uk or phone 01603 593948. Keep connected with UEA Music for concerts and events through the website and social media

Website: www.uea.ac.uk/uea-life/campus-life/campus-

facilities/music-centre/whats-on

Twitter: @UEAConcerts
Facebook: UEA Music Centre
Instagram: @ueamusiccentre
YouTube: UEA Music Centre



Thursday 23 November 2023, 7.30pm (doors 6.45pm) St Andrew's Hall, The Halls, St Andrew's Plain, Norwich NR3 1AU

UEA CHOIR AND SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA: VERDI AND RACHMANINOV

**UEA Choir** 

**UEA Symphony Orchestra** 

William Fergusson piano

Stuart Dunlop conductor

Sergei Rachmaninov *Piano Concerto No.2 in C minor, Op.18* Arrigo Boito *Mefistofele: Prologue In Heaven* Giuseppe Verdi *Stabat Mater and Te Deum* 

Rachmaninov's Second Piano Concerto is most familiar from its appearances in other guises. The original is magnificent in its sweeping brilliance. Verdi's Te Deum and Stabat Materspeak the same musical language as the well-known Requiem – life and death in Verdi's immersive dramatic world. The concert will be completed with a rarity: Boito wrote libretti for Verdi, but his own opera Mefistofele makes his mark as a composer of drama.

Tickets: £5 - £13. Tickets are available to purchase online via the UEA Music Centre website: www.uea.ac.uk/uea-life/campus-life/campus-facilities/music-centre/whats-on/buytickets. There will also be a limited number of tickets available to purchase on the door (card or cheque only).

Sunday 3 December 2023, 6.30pm (doors 6pm) St George's Church, Princes Street, Tombland, Norwich NR3 1AE

### CHRISTMAS WITH UEA CHAMBER CHOIR

UEA Chamber Choir Stuart Dunlop conductor

A selection of seasonal music for a capella voices
Under the baton of UEA Director of Music, Stuart Dunlop,
the 30-strong chamber choir will perform Schumann's
lovely, but almost unknown Adventlied, as well as a
selection of seasonal music, sometimes with a twist.

Tickets: Free to attend. However, places are limited and must be booked in advance. Tickets are available to book online via the UEA Music Centre website: www.uea.ac.uk/uea-life/campus-life/campus-facilities/music-centre/whats-on/buy-tickets.

Wednesday 13 December 2023, 7.30pm (doors 6.45pm)
St John the Baptist Roman Catholic Cathedral,
Unthank Road, Norwich NR2 2PA
UEA CHOIRS CHRISTMAS CAROL CONCERT

UEA Choir

**UEA Chamber Choir** 

**UEA Community Choir** 

William Falconer organ

Tom Primrose and Stuart Dunlop conductors

### Seasonal choral music and a host of well-loved Christmas carols

The 100-strong choir, 30-strong chamber choir, and the 50-strong community choir, will perform music by Rutter, Vaughan Williams, and Holst, as well as a host of well-loyed Christmas carols for the audience to join in.

Tickets: £8 - £11. Tickets are available to purchase online via the UEA Music Centre website: www.uea.ac.uk/uea-life/campus-life/campus-facilities/music-centre/whats-on/buy-tickets. There may also (subject to availability) be a limited number of tickets available to purchase on the door (card or cheque only).

Sunday 10 March 2024, 6.30pm (doors 6pm) St George's Church, Princes Street, Tombland, Norwich NR3 1AE

### **UEA CHAMBER CHOIR SPRING CONCERT**

UEA Chamber Choir Stuart Dunlop conductor Spring with the Chamber Choir

UEA Chamber Choir will present a seasonal programme of music, as the year pivots from darkness to light.

Tickets: Free to attend. However, places are limited and must be booked in advance. Tickets will be available to book online (from late January 2024) via the UEA Music Centre website: www.uea.ac.uk/uea-life/campus-life/campus-facilities/music-centre/whats-on/buy-tickets.

Thursday 21 March 2024, 7pm (doors 6.15pm) The Church of St Peter Mancroft, The Chantry, Norwich, NR2 10Z

### **UEA SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA: ROOTS AND DANCES**

UEA Symphony Orchestra Stuart Dunlop conductor

Florence Price *The Oak*Duke Ellington *The River* 

Leonard Bernstein Symphonic Dances from West Side Story

Bernstein's West Side Story brings the warmth of Romeo and Juliet's Verona to the fiery melting pot of New York. Heart-breaking melody and almost uncontainable energy collide. Duke Ellington's 1970 ballet became, for the deeply spiritual composer, a River of Life. Florence Price is quietly becoming a crucial figure in American musical history and her tone poem *The Oak* makes it clear why.

Tickets: £6–£12. Tickets will be available to purchase online (from late January 2024) via the UEA Music Centre website: www.uea.ac.uk/uea-life/campus-life/campus-facilities/music-centre/whats-on/buy-tickets. There will also be a limited number of tickets available to purchase on the door (card or cheque only).

### **Unmeasured Chamber Concerts**



Ensemble Unmeasured has been formed by artistic directors Matthew Wadsworth and Kate Bennett Wadsworth to play intimate chamber concerts. They are based in Norwich but have both played in concert halls across the world.

The Octagon Chapel is a special venue, located in Colegate in Norwich, Norfolk. The Chapel is a grade II\* listed building, completed in 1756 by the architect Thomas Ivory (who also designed the Assembly House) and today is still an active Unitarian chapel with services on Sundays but also home to Ensemble Unmeasured concerts. Octagon Chapel, Norwich NR3 1BN: Tel: 01603 666636

Friday 20 October 2023, 6,30pm The Octagon Chapel, Colegate, Norwich NR3 1RN **BEETHOVEN AND SCHUMANN** QUINTETS

The Consone Quartet with Kate Bennett Wadsworth, cello

Friday 26 January 2024, 6.30pm The Octagon Chapel, Colegate, Norwich NR3 1BN

100 YEARS OF VENICE: from Monteverdi to Vivaldi Ensemble Unmeasured

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Consone Quartet



Kate Bennett Wadsworth



Matt Wadsworth

All concerts start at 6.30pm and run for 1 hour Each ticket includes a glass of organic wine and a chance to chat with the artists. For more info and to book, visit https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/unmeasured

### **Viva Voce Singers**



Viva Voce Singers is a small and friendly Norwich-based chamber choir of around 25 singers. The choir enjoys performing a varied repertoire in venues around Norfolk and beyond. Under the musical direction of Jody James, the choir usually performs around five concerts a year and helps to raise money for charities across Norfolk.

Please visit our website and follow on Facebook or Twitter @VivaVoceNorwich for more information and news of future concerts

#### Concerts

Saturday 18 November 2023, 1pm Free entry St Peter Mancroft Church, Hay Hill, Norwich NR2 100

LUNCHTIME CONCERT



Saturday 9 December 2023, 7.30pm St Botolph's Church, Trunch, North Norfolk NR28 OPZ CANDLELIT CHRISTMAS CONCERT Tickets: £15 adults. free for under 15s

Saturday 16 December 2023, 6pm St Peter Mancroft Church, Hay Hill, Norwich NR2 1QQ CANDLELIT CHRISTMAS CONCERT IN AID OF MAP

Annual fundraising concert in aid of the Mancroft Advice Project (MAP).

Tickets £8, 5 concessions, £21 family ticket

Saturday 16 March 2024, 7.30pm St John the Baptist Church, Timberhill, Norwich SPRING CONCERT

Tickets £10, 8 concessions in advance or £12, £10 concessions on the door.

Please see our website for further details and ticket sales www.vivavocesingers.org.uk

### The Yorke Trust, South Creake



Last season's series of Sunday afternoon tea concerts in the Yorke Trust's Old Chapel in South Creake gave opportunities to a number of promising young musicians who had lost ground during the pandemic. Thanks to the generosity of private sponsors and some experienced professionals who have given their time, the next series follows suit. The mix of players includes winners of national awards together with emerging young artists and one or two who are at conservatoires and music schools. The young double bassist Will Duerden has been invited to return: he won the Yorke Trust Prize at the Royal Overseas League Competition in 2023 and has been accepted onto the prestigious Young Concert Artists Trust scheme. Others taking part include grandchildren of two South Creake families. Felix Connell and Sam Bishop studying at Bangor and Birmingham respectively.

### Yorke Trust Benefit Concerts 2023/24

A third series of concerts in support of young musicians

All concerts begin at 3pm and take place in the Old Chapel, Burnham Road, South Creake, NR21 9JF

Concert dates to bookmark are;

8, 22 & 29 October 2023, 12 & 26 November 2023 3 December 2023, 7, 21 & 28 January 2024 11 & 25 February 2024, 17 March 2024 14 April 2024

Tickets £12 from 01328 738482. Text 07899 771366 or email to carol.jennings2@btinternet.com.

Details of the performers and programmes are provisional at the time of going to print and are subject to change. Please check the Yorke Trust website www.yorketrust.org for updated details.

### **LOOKING FORWARD TO 2024**

In mid–July 2024, the Trust celebrates its 40th anniversary and also the 80th birthday of its founder, Rodney Slatford OBE. An event is being planned to raise money to re-roof the Trust's cottage and refurbish the self-catering facilities which are available to groups throughout the year. The thirteen bed accommodation is regularly used for music courses, recording and Scottish reeling in the Old Chapel. Enquiries should be made through the website where you can also make a donation if you would like to support the refurbishment fund.Fakenham Choral Society to mark its 50 th

## JAZZ, WORLD & FOLK AND OPEN MIC MUSIC IN NORWICH & NORFOLK

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Norwich Arts Centre, St Benedict's Street, Norwich with a full programme of World music, jazz, contemporary classical and more, see page 36

Crown Point Sessions: The Crown Point Tavern is in Trowse and run by the same people that run the Stanley pub in the north of the city. There are jazz and folk sessions most Sunday evenings 7.30–9.30pm, free entry

Anteros Arts in Fye Bridge Street, see page 10

Diss Corn Hall, music, theatre, visual art, see page 19

East Point Pavilion, Lowestoft, see page 20

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### **Fakenham Choral Society**

### 50<sup>™</sup> ANNIVERSARY SEASON

Fakenham Choral Society is thrilled to announce the launch of its golden anniversary season, celebrating an impressive 50 years of captivating audiences with its inspiring music. This significant milestone will be marked in style with an extra special programme of concerts starting in December 2023.

Since its inception in 1973 the choir has gone from strength to strength. With its impressive choral performances – often with sought-after professional soloists and musicians – it has become an unmissable part of the cultural life of north Norfolk.

Musical Director, Mark Jones, a key figure in the north Norfolk music scene, has a rich history of choral musicmaking, is an organ recitalist and holds the post of Head of Chapel Music as Gresham's School in Holt.

The choir's Christmas performance includes Pergolesi's *Magnificat*, Charpentier's *Messe de Minuit* and other seasonal music. With soloists and chamber orchestra, the concert will take place at Fakenham Parish Church on 16 December 2023, 5.30pm.





The season's highlight will come on Saturday 20 April 2024 with Verdi's awe-inspiring 'Requiem', often considered the greatest of all choral works. The choir, accompanied by professional soloists and a full orchestra, will passionately recreate Verdi's profound and captivating depiction of heaven and hell, fire and earth, darkness and light.

On a lighter note, the season will close on Saturday 22 June 2024 with songs of coast and ocean, including highlights from Gilbert and Sullivan's 'Pirates of Penzance'. Join the choir and soloists in a sea-themed summer concert sure to delight and entertain.

Please see the website for venue information and time for these concerts.

Details about the choir, its 50th anniversary season and how to purchase tickets can be found at www.fakenhamchoralsociety.org

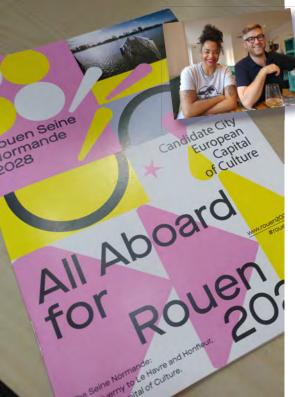
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### Rouen Seine Normande 2028

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Rouen in Normandy is twinned with Norwich, Norfolk and this made Norwich a natural partner for their bid to be European Capital of Culture 2028.

They came to open the door, across Norfolk, for a two-way relationship to enable both regions to develop projects, events, festivals, residencies and more over a ten year period.

They asked Norwich City Council to sign a manifesto of collaboration which they could include in their bid proposition.

They met with cultural leaders across the county, asking them to always think about what opportunities there could be to work together when planning projects.

In December 2022 Rouen will know if it is one of the short-listed cities in France. They are up against strong competition. If they are shortlisted they will go forward to a full bid. If not, they are still keen to work with Norwich and Norfolk so if you have an idea or are interested to know more please get in touch via Marion email info@theshiftnorwich.org.uk

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Many of the organisations in Music in Norwich programme hold their concerts in St Andrew's Hall, the largest part of the Halls complex.

The hall has been a mainstay in the Norfolk & Norwich Festival calendar since 1824, has hosted orchestras from Britten Sinfonia to the London Philharmonic Orchestra, and is the main residence for the Norwich Philharmonic Society as well as a regular venue for UEA Symphony and Chamber Orchestras and Choirs, Norwich Pops Orchestra and many others. It also hosts a regular array of performances by established jazz, brass, rock and pop acts and recently has also partnered with Norwich Arts Centre to enable bigger bands to come to Norwich.



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- Assembly House, Theatre Street, Norwich NR2 1RQ Tel: 01603 626402 www.assemblyhousenorwich.co.uk
- John Innes Conference Centre, Zone 2, Norwich Research Park, Colney Lane, Norwich NR4 7UH Tel: 01603 505974
- The Chapel, 64 Park Lane, Norwich NR2 3EF
   Tel: 01603 621169 www.norwichchapelconcerts.org.uk
- Diss Corn Hall, St Nicholas Street, Diss, South Norfolk
- Closed in 2024 The Halls, Norwich NR3 1AU Tel: 01603 628477 www.thehallsnorwich.com
- Norwich Arts Centre, St Benedicts St, Norwich NR2 4PG Tel: 01603 660352 www.norwichartscentre.co.uk
- Norwich Cathedral, 62 The Close, Tombland, Norwich NR1 4EH Tel: 01603 218300 www.cathedral.org.uk
- Octagon Chapel, Colegate, Norwich NR3 1BN www.octagonchapelnorwich.org.uk
- Raynham Hall, East Raynham, Fakenham, Norfolk NR21 7EP Tel: 01328 862133 email admin@raynhamhall.co.uk
- South Creake, The Old Chapel, North Norfolk NR21 9JF
- St Mary's Church, Church Lane, South Creake NR21 9LX
- St Nicholas Chapel, King's Lynn, PE30 1LT.
   Tel: 01553 774471 www.stnicholaskingslynn.org.uk
- St Peter Mancroft, Millennium Plain, Norwich NR2 10Z Tel: 01603 610443 www.stpetermancroft.org.uk
- Town Hall, Saturday Market Place, King's Lynn PE30 5DQ
   Wells Maltings, Staithe Street, Wells-next-the-Sea

- Music in Norwich partners without venues
- Academy of St Thomas, email: astsally215@gmail.com www.academyofstthomas.com
- Brook Street Band www.brookstreetband.co.uk
- Britten Sinfonia www.brittensinfonia.com
- Ensemble East email music@ensembleeast.co.uk
- Framingham Earl Singers www.framinghamearlsingers.co.uk
- Keswick Hall Choir www.keswickhallchoir.org.uk
- King's Lynn Festival www.kingslynnfestival.org.uk
- Mozart Orchestra www.mozartorchestra.org.uk
- Pakefield Singers www.pakefieldsingers.com
- Norfolk Centre for Young Musicians www.ncym.co.uk
- Norfolk County Music Festival www.norfolkmusic.org.uk
- Norfolk Music Hub www.norfolkmusichub.org.uk
- Norwich Baroque www.norwichbaroque.org
- Norwich Consort of Voices www.thenorwichconsortofvoices.co.uk
- Norwich Chamber Music www.norwichchambermusic.org.uk
- Norwich Philharmonic Society www.norwichphil.org.uk
- Norwich Pops Orchestra www.norwichpops.org.uk
- Norwich Singers www.norwichsingers.org.uk
- UEA Music Centre www.uea.ac.uk/music-centre
- Viva Voce Singers www.vivavocesingers.org.uk
- Yarmonics www.yarmonics.com
- Young Norfolk Arts Trust www.youngnorfolkarts.org

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