

Watford Philharmonic Society - Notices 20th May 2019

REMEMBER ! REMEMBER ! There **IS** a rehearsal **NEXT MONDAY 27th May!**

REHEARSAL SCHEDULE.

20th May Dove I am the Song / Dove Childhood / Dove Grief / Parry / Borodin

27th May Dove All Shod with steel / Parry / Verdi Va Pensiero / Borodin

3rd June Dove Run through

10th June Dove as required / National Anthem / Sea songs (choir only humming in no 7 home sweet home and singing chorus in rule Britannia!)

17th June Full run through

JANET HAMMOND Yvonne Frankland, 1st Soprano voice-rep. writes : “ Members of the choir will be sorry to hear of the death of Janet Hammond, who died on May 3rd after a short illness. She was a loyal member of the choir, and she will be sadly missed, by the first sopranos in particular, for her friendliness and her quiet sense of humour. It is understood that the funeral will be a very private family event. “

A Fin de Saison Celebration Monday 1st July 2019 from 7.30 to 9.00 pm The Food Factory, Watford Grammar School for Girls

Come and share a buffet supper with time for conversation amongst friends from choir and orchestra.

A light finger buffet will be provided, but to keep down costs and save washing up, **please bring your own choice of drink.** Disposable cups will be available but bring your own glasses if preferred.

Tickets at £10.00 per head available at the Notices Table from next Monday (27 May) or reserve from judy@newtondavies.plus.com

A REPEATED REQUEST FOR GRAPHIC DESIGN ADVICE! PLEASE DO RESPOND IF YOU CAN HELP

If you yourself are a graphic design, or know someone who is, we'd be delighted to get some advice on options for upgrading the visual aspect of our website. You don't necessarily need to be a web designer - just have a good eye for graphic communication. Please talk to Judy or Pam in the first instance or email judy@newtondavies.plus.com or pam@warrenhouse.me.uk

ADVERTISING IN OUR PROGRAMME Thanks to everyone who got their nearest and dearest and local businesses to advertise in our programme last year. Last year's advertising raised nearly £2k for the society and we would like to match or exceed the £2k target this year. Please note that **the SMALL MULTI ADVERTS ARE STILL ONLY £25 !!!** All reasonable offers considered for bigger adverts. Please let Pam pam@warrenhouse.me.uk or Kate Kate.wilkins@ymail.com know if you have any contacts – we can follow them up!

'COME AND SING' EVENTS AND OTHER DATES FOR YOUR DIARY 20 May 2019

DATE	EVENT	NOTES
8 June 2019	Come & Sing: Bach Choir Elgar: The Dream of Gerontius Hinde Street Methodist Church, London W1 Conductor - David Hill	Information: www.thebachchoir.org.uk Tickets: tickets@thebachchoir.org.uk or Phone: 020 7127 9114
9 June 2019	Come & Sing: CBSO Song Festival: Baltic and British music The Green Heart, Birmingham University 11am start Conductors: Mirga Gražinytė-Tyla and Simon Halsey	Singalong rehearsal: 11am-1pm CBSO Chorus + guest choirs/ participants perform: 130pm-530pm Singalong finale with CBSO: 7pm-8pm Box Office on 0121 780 3333 cbso.co.uk/event/song-festival
14 July 2019	Come & Sing: TRBC Orff: Carmina Burana Royal Albert Hall 2pm Conductor: Brian Kay	trbc.co.uk/events/this-seasons-events
18-24 Aug 2019	Come & Sing: Summer School RunBySingers directed by Jeremy Jackman and Nigel Perrin	University of Lincoln www.runbysingers.org.uk

WATFORD PHILHARMONIC SOCIETY EVENTS

29 June 2019	WPS Summer Concert A Summer Prom	Watford Colosseum 7.30pm
3 Nov 2019	A Box of Delights Puccini: <i>Messa di Gloria</i> ; Fauré: <i>Cantique de Jean Racine</i> ; Mendelssohn: <i>Violin Concerto</i>	Watford Colosseum 7.00pm
10 Dec 2019	A Christmas Feast Traditional family-friendly seasonal concert	Watford Colosseum 7.00pm
25 Apr 2020	GF Handel: <i>Messiah</i>	Watford Colosseum 7.30pm
27 June 2020	A Night at the Opera A selection of choruses & solo pieces	Watford Colosseum 7.30pm

Do please feel free to email irene@watfordphilharmonic.co.uk or give to me at a Monday rehearsal any forthcoming events that you think members would be interested in attending. Space permitting, I will gladly include them in this bulletin.