

Watford Philharmonic Society – Notices 25th October 2021

WHAT A TERRIFIC CONCERT IT WAS!

What a wonderful evening it was on Saturday! Thank you, Michael, we hope our first performance as a Society in two years did you proud! We certainly enjoyed it, and now look forward to *"It's Christmas!"*

THREE MESSAGES FROM OUR MUSIC LIBRARIANS!

PLEASE.....

1. Could the two remaining members who borrowed music for the "Come back and Sing Day" on 25th July return their copies **THIS EVENING!**
2. Return your Mozart music to us **THIS EVENING!**
3. Remember to bring your copies of *"100 Carols for Choirs"* to rehearsal tonight. If any new members need one we have a selection of either new or used copies for sale - £10 and £5 respectively.

KEY DATES FOR YOUR DIARY.....

Sunday 21 st November 2021	Orchestral workshop on Dvorak's 1 st symphony from 2pm to 5pm	Nascot Wood Recital Hall, WD17 4YS
Saturday 27 th November	Pre-concert Choral Workshop from 10am to 4pm	St Luke's Church Hall, Langley Way, WD17 3EG
Monday 6 th December 2021	Extended combined rehearsal of choir and orchestra	Watford Grammar School for Girls, WD18 0RE
Saturday 11th December	Dress rehearsal and concert	The Grand Hall, The Grange, Bushey WD23 3AA

A MESSAGE FROM OUR CHAIRMAN: OUR CONCERT PROGRAMMES - CAN YOU HELP?

To continue to produce our informative and professional looking programmes we need to attract advertisers to ensure we are self-funding. A £20 'business card' ad is a reasonable offer - 4 ads make a full page, £40 a half page and £80 a full page. All ads are in full colour and we will organise layout from copy if necessary - otherwise jpeg is great. Please approach all your local businesses or consider sending a message yourself - it would be a shame to lose this important element of our society's concert performances .

USEFUL DOCUMENTS

Revised rehearsal schedules for choir and orchestra are on our website The choir rehearsal time and duration will be reviewed at the end of 2021. A new website for basses (mainly) – BassHymn (<http://basshymn.blogspot.com>) has been added to the list of *Rehearsal Resources* (Thank you Peter Zecchin!). New *ChoralLine* leaflets giving details of their rehearsal resources are now available at the back of the hall.

FUTURE WEEKLY NOTICES

Please note that all future weekly notices will be emailed to members on Sunday evenings as regularly as possible and also posted onto our website www.watfordphilharmonic.co.uk . We respectfully suggest that it is the responsibility of individual members to check in advance of rehearsals to ensure that they are up to date with essential information.

COVID-19

COVID-19 levels in the community are on the rise again. Please comply with our socially distanced seating plan for safe rehearsals. For your safety there are bottles of hand sanitizer located at strategic points around the room.

Windows, hall doors and the Fire Exit door will be left open to ensure adequate ventilation.

Please let us know should you test positive in the next 14 days – members@watfordphilharmonic.co.uk