

HERTFORDSHIRE PHILHARMONIA

The Hertfordshire Philharmonia is a Symphony Orchestra created with the joint aims of bringing high quality, accessible music to Hertfordshire and providing a showcase for some of the county's finest musicians. As an independent orchestra working with a number of guest conductors we aim to produce imaginative programs bringing together both standard and more unusual works in the orchestral repertoire.

If you are an experienced orchestral player and are interested in playing with us, or if you would like more information about Hertfordshire Philharmonia, please contact the **secretary** (email: info@hertspil.org.uk) or Sheila Cox (01727-857827 or email tickets@hertspil.org.uk).

In addition to our own concert season the orchestra is hired by other organisations for a variety of performances. Please contact the secretary or Sheila as above if you are interested in hiring us.

We also rely on the generous support of donations from **Friends of the Orchestra**. Friends contribute £25 or more per year which, for example, enables us to perform with a range of talented emerging soloists, or to hire more interesting music. In recognition Friends are entitled to free programmes or reserved seats. If you would like to become a Friend of the Orchestra, or to be involved with us in any other way, please contact **John Cox** on 01727 – 857827.

Members of our **100 Club** pay £5 a month or £60 per year to enter into three prize draws per year, with cash prizes of up to £100. Details are available from 100club@hertspil.org.uk. 100 Club members are recognised as Friends of the Orchestra.

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Some extracts from the local press

“Close attention to the smallest musical detail turned Hertfordshire Philharmonia's concert of Russian music into a thrilling evening.”

“This is also a work which relies heavily on the brass sections, particularly the fanfare-like opening of the prelude. It was exciting music played to a very high standard”

“A standing ovation for conductor Jacques Cohen and the Hertfordshire Philharmonia orchestra was a fitting conclusion to a tremendous performance...”

“Borodin's wonderfully-atmospheric musical picture, In the Steppes of Central Asia, opened the programme and gave individual woodwind players an opportunity to shine. There were particularly good performances by Cor Anglais, flute, oboe and clarinet”

“Wonderful shrieking strings create the powerful image of storms and wind.”



2013

TWENTIETH
CONCERT
SEASON

2014





Jacques Cohen



Herts Phil



Lev Parikian



Michael Wigram



Bjorn Bantock

SATURDAY 12TH OCTOBER 2013 7.30 p.m.
ST SAVIOUR'S CHURCH, ST ALBANS
 Sandpit Lane, St Albans, AL1 4DF
Jacques Cohen conductor

BERLOIZ Les Francs-Juges
DELIUS On Hearing the First Cuckoo in Spring
MILHAUD Le Boeuf sur le Toit
SAINT-SAENS Symphony No.3
 "Organ Symphony"

SATURDAY 30TH NOVEMBER 2013 7.30 p.m.
ST SAVIOUR'S CHURCH, ST ALBANS
 Sandpit Lane, St Albans, AL1 4DF
Bjorn Bantock conductor

Winter Concert including :
ROSSINI Cinderella Overture
BLAKE I'm Walking In the Air
PROKOFIEV Romance & Troika from Lt. Kije
DVORAK Slavonic Dances Op 46 No 7 & 8
BIZET Carmen Suite no 1
TCHAIKOVSKY Swan Lake Suite Op.20

SATURDAY 15TH FEBRUARY 2014 7.30pm
ST PAUL'S CHURCH, ST ALBANS
 Hatfield Rd, St Albans, AL1 4JP
Lev Parikian conductor
John Crawford violin

BUTTERWORTH: Shropshire Lad
VAUGHAN WILLIAMS: The Lark Ascending
VAUGHAN WILLIAMS: Norfolk Rhapsody
ELGAR: Symphony no 2 in Eb

SATURDAY 14TH JUNE 2014 7.30pm
ST SAVIOUR'S CHURCH, ST ALBANS
 Sandpit Lane, St Albans, AL1 4DF
Patrick Bailey conductor
Michael Wigram cello

ROSSINI: Barber of Seville Overture
DVORAK: Cello Concerto
MAHLER: Symphony no 1 in D

All Information correct at time of printing

TICKET INFORMATION

We have standard prices for all our concerts:
 £14 adults or £12 if bought a week in advance
 (adult ticket includes a free programme)
 £4 students 17 & over. £1 for Children 16 and under
 (All seats unreserved)

ADVANCE TICKETS

Discounted advance tickets are available from:-

- website www.hertsphil.org.uk
- John Cox, 104 Lancaster Road, St Albans, Herts, AL1 4ES.
Tel: 01727-857827 email: tickets@hertsphil.org.uk
- Hill & Co., High Street Welwyn. [strings music shop]
- Tourist Information Office, Market Place, St. Albans

MAILING LIST

To receive advance details of all Hertfordshire Philharmonia concerts, send your details to
John Cox 104 Lancaster Road, St Albans, Herts, AL1 4ES or email: mailinglist@hertsphil.org

www.hertsphil.org.uk

HERTS PHIL is also engaged to play for

North Herts Guild of Singers

SATURDAY 29 MARCH 2014 7.30pm
Coptic Cathedral, Stevenage
 Conductor: Stephen Bullamore,

ELGAR: The Apostles

tickets from North Herts Guild of Singers