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It is a great pleasure to welcome you to one of the most inclusive, diverse, eclectic Classical Music Festivals in the UK. Internationally based musicians return year on year and you will see their names throughout our programming. Music is heard for the first time from performers in our communities, schools, pubs, country estates and churches. We are delighted to have prepared numerous expressive and unique performances to elevate us in celebration of the human spirit. We will be commissioning composers Roderick Williams OBE with echoes of Vaughan Williams in his new work reflecting the Turtle Doves at Knepp Castle, and Malcolm Singer who will write a set of Psalms to mirror and mark Berstein's centenery and Chichester Psalms. Debussy's passing a hundred years ago is marked in the programming.

Other highlights include concertos with trumpeter Crispian Steele Perkins and recorder play Michala Petri. Our String Academy has been very active and we are thrilled that our former member in Will Duerden will be televised on and in the BBC Young Musician of the Year Final. Other past pupils now hold positions as managers junior professors and performers in organisations including the English Chamber Orchestra, City of London Sinfonia, Junior Trinity Laban Conservatoire and two have founded their own Ensembles.

We are very grateful to our very generous sponsors Toovey's, Kreston Reeves (formerly Spofforths), NFU Mutual, Nyetimber, Rossana, and Wakefields for Rolex and Bremont. The Festival Friends and String Academy stand alongside some of the world's finest musicians to central to our music making which emanates and elevates from the grass roots of Sussex. Our international base becomes ever stronger with our burgeoning exchange programme called Trinity Sannyi Music Academy with an office in our County and Hong Kong with my wonderful partner Nicholin Choi.

We hope you enjoy and are transformed through this ever growing renaissance and join us in our ascendancy of music and community.

Yours.

Andrew Bernardi Artistic Director, Shipley Arts Festival





Sunday 28 January 2018 6.30pm

Sedgwick Park House Sedgwick Park Horsham West Sussex RH13 6QQ

The 2018 Festival Preview

The 2018 Shipley Arts Festival annual Friends' Preview with String Academy, Festival musicians, composers and sponsors.

Friday 20 April 2018 7.00pm

South Lodge **Brighton Road** Lower Beeding West Sussex RH13 6PS

Bernardi Music Group and Revd Rupert Toovey

A four-course dinner interspersed with four musical interludes from the grassroots of Sussex and England.

Sir Edward Elgar: Serenade for Strings

Paul Lewis:

'Jaunt' from English Suite

Sir Edward Elgar: Short pieces including 'Salut d'Amour' and 'Sospiri'.

John Ireland: 'Toccata' from the Concertino Pastorale

In aid of Chestnut Tree House hospice.

Tickets: £120

Book tickets (for this evening

only): 01403 891711

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I remain a passionate advocate for community and the arts in Sussex, values which Andrew Bernardi and I share. I am proud that Toovey's sponsors and supports Andrew Bernardi's work and his Shipley Arts Festival.

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On behalf of everyone at Toovey's, I wish Andrew continued success for the 2018 concert season.

Rupert Toovey

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Sunday 22 April 2018 6.30pm

St Andrew's Parish Church Nuthurst Street Nuthurst, Horsham West Sussex RH13 6LH

Bernardi Music Group, Michala Petri (recorder) and Stephanie Cant (composer).

Vivaldi: Concerto KV 443 with

Michala Petri

Bach: Double Concerto

Cant: Variations on Kate's Theme (Movement 3)

Mendelssohn: Octet in E minor

Tickets: f21.50

Friday 27 April 2018 7.00pm

St John's Church Coolhurst Horsham West Sussex RH13 6PJ

Festival String Academy and tutors.

An eclectic mix of Baroque, contemporary and romantic music performed by the tutors and young musicians of the Festival's String Academy. Performed in one of Sussex's most beautiful private Chapel's on the Coolhurst Estate kindly hosted by Mark and Tina Scrase Dickens DL.

Tickets: £16.50



Sunday 29 April 2018 5.30pm

Warnham Park Warnham Horsham West Sussex RH12 3RS

Stradivarius Piano Trio.

Haydn: Trio in No 39 in G Hob XV/25

Grieg: Andante con moto in C

Schubert: Serenade for piano and cello

Schubert: Notturno D897 in E flat

Schubert: Ave Maria for violin

and piano

Schubert/Liszt: Am Meer; Liebesbotschaft for solo piano

Debussy: Prélude No. X - 'La cathédrale engloutie' for solo piano

Debussy: Trio in G major

Tickets: £37.50 (including a flute of Nyetimber on arrival)

Sunday 6 May 2018 6.30pm

St Mary the Virgin Church Shipley West Sussex RH13 8PJ

Bernardi Music Group and Malcolm Singer.

John Ireland: 'Toccata'

Malcolm Singer: 'The Margraves Dream' conducted by the composer (Shipley commission by Mr and Mrs Colin and Lucy West)

Bach: Brandenburg Concerto no.5. Soloists Nathaniel Mander (harpsichord) Bruce Martin (flute) Andrew Bernardi (violin)

John Corgliano: 'Voyage' for flute and strings

Sir Edward Elgar: 'Serenade for Strings,'

Tickets: £21.50 (interval refreshment available)



Wednesday 9 May 2018 7.00pm

22 Mansfield Street Marylebone London W1G 9NR

Stradivarius Piano Trio and Roderick Williams OBF.

Shipley Arts Festival bring Andrew Bernardi, Jonathan Few and Maria Marchant in the Stradivarius Piano Trio to play a popular programme in this private and exclusive venue with introductions by one of the world's leading baritones and composers, Roderick Williams OBE.

Haydn: Trio in No 39 in G Hob

Schubert: Notturno D897 in E

flat

Roderick Williams: Piano Trio -

world premiere

Roderick Williams: 'Goodwood

by the Sea'

Roderick Williams: 'Sea Fever' Grieg: Andante con moto in C

minor

Debussy: Trio in G major

Tickets: £26.50 (including a flute of Nyetimber on arrival and post-concert drinks and canapés)

Friday 1 June 2018 6.30pm

National Liberal Club David Lloyd George Room Whitehall Place London SW1A 2HE

Stradivarius Piano Trio

Haydn: Trio in No 39 in G Hob

XV/25

Schubert: Notturno D897 in E flat Handel / Halvorsen: Theme and

variations

Roderick Williams: Piano Trio. (A 2018 Shipley Arts Festival commission sponsored by Life Friend John Snelling)

Kreisler: Praeludium and Allegro

Roderick Williams: 'Goodwood

by the Sea'

Grieg: Andante con moto in C

minor

Debussy: Trio in G major Tickets: £36.50 (including canapés and drinks)



Saturday 2 June 2018 7.30pm

Warnham Park Warnham Horsham West Sussex RH12 3RS

Music and words chosen by Shipley Arts Festival Life Friend John Snelling.

An evening to celebrate nine special places with pieces of music and words chosen by Shipley Arts Festival Life Friend John Snelling.

Glyndebourne. Mozart: Piano Concerto no.12;

Fairfield Hall, Croydon. Purcell/ Britten: 'Chacony' in G minor;

Covent Garden. Stravinsky: 'Pulcinella Suite';

The Dome, Brighton. Liszt: 'Liebestraum':

New York. Elgar: 'Salut d'Amour'; Venice. Gian Carlo Menotti and

Samuel Barber: 'Adagio';

Venice. Vivaldi: movement from 'The Four Seasons';

Vienna. Fritz Kreisler: short piece; Chichester. Bernstein: song from

'West Side Story'. Tickets: £36.50

Sunday 3 June 2018 7.00pm

Steyning Parish Church of St Andrew and St Cuthman Vicarage Lane Steyning West Sussex BN44 3YB

The Royal Holloway Choir conducted by their Director of Music Rupert Gough with Bernardi Music Group and composerconductor Malcolm Singer.

Mozart: Flute and Harp Concerto Malcolm Singer: World Premiere (a 2018 Shipley Arts Festival commission sponsored by Life Friend John Snelling)

Fiona Howe: Requiem movement

Bernstein: 'Chichester Psalms'

Tickets: £21.50



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Friday 8 June 2018 7.30pm

The Blue Idol Quaker Meeting House Oldhouse Lane Coolham West Sussex RH13 8QP

Bernardi Music Group with soloist Bruce Martin (flute).

A celebration of William Penn, his legacy and Quaker life as in 2018, 300 years since his death.

Gluck: Concerto for Flute & Strings.

Cecilia McDowall: 'Descending Blue' (A 2008 Shipley Arts Festival commission)

Bach: Trio Sonatas for flute, violin and cello.

Tickets: £27.50

(refreshments available)

Saturday 9 June 2018 7.30pm

Nyetimber Vineyard Gay Street Pulborough West Sussex RH20 2HH

Bernardi Music Group.

A quintessentially British evening, celebrating world-class classical music and England's finest sparkling wine in Nyetimber's White Barn. Enjoy a glass of Nyetimber's Classic Cuvee MV on arrival and their Rosé MV. A perfect setting to listen to this nine-piece ensemble and hear the renowned Stradivarius Violin.

Tickets: £36.50 (including canapés and a flute of Nyetimber on arrival)



Friday 15 June, 7.00pm

Boxgrove Priory, Church Lane, Boxgrove, Chichester PO18 OFD

A Concert for Winston's Wish

The newly formed professional choir OctaVox is directed by Andrew Cleary with Bernardi Music Group and the world's leading baroque trumpeter Crispian Steele Perkins plus special young guest Tiger Braun White

Monteverdi: 'Beatus Vir'

Handel: Cuckoo and Nightingale

Concerto for organ

Albinoni: 'Adagio'

Vivaldi Cello Concerto in B Minor Elli no 9

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Bach: Brandenburg Concerto

no.4

Bach: Brandenburg Concerto

no.2

Interval auction by Revd Rupert

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Ticket prices include a glass of Nyetimber wine on arrival

In aid of Winston's Wish.

Tickets: £41.50 (including a flute of Nyetimber on arrival)

Sunday 17 June 2018 5.00pm

Knepp Castle West Grinstead Horsham West Sussex RH13 8LJ

The Wilding Concert jointly sponsored by Nyetimber & The Stradivarius Piano Trio.

Sally Beamish: Carnival Samba

Grieg: Andante con moto in C

minor

Debussy: Prélude No. X , 'La cathédrale engloutie' - solo

piano

Granados: Goyescas IV Quejas o la Maja y el Ruiseñor - The Maiden and the Nightingale solo piano

John Ireland/Roderick Williams: 'Sea Fever' - solo piano

Roderick Williams: A Piano Trio inspired by the Knepp Turtle Doves (a 2018 Shipley Arts Festival commission sponsored by Life Friend John Snelling)

Bach: Sheep May Safely Graze

Mussorgsky: Ballet of the Unhatched Chicks from Pictures at an Exhibition

Schubert: Notturno D897 in E flat Tickets: £41.50 (including a flute

of Nyetimber on arrival)



Friday 22 June 2018 7.30pm

Lackenhurst Lackenhurst Lane Brooks Green West Sussex RH13 0JL

Joe Townsend Band and Bernardi Music Group.

Jazz violin from Bach through Bartok to Django Reinhardt – jazz, swing and gypsy sounds from the Joe Townsend Band.

"Townsend's music is an authoritative compendium of European folk styles played with thrilling virtuosity." The Guardian

Tickets: £36.50 (including canapés and drinks and a flute of Nyetimber on arrival)

Sunday 1 July 2018 6.30pm

St Andrew's Parish Church Nuthurst Street Nuthurst, Horsham West Sussex RH13 6LH

The Choir of Our Most Holy Redeemer Chelsea conducted by Ian Coleman with Bernardi Music Group.

Sir Edward Elgar: Elgar Serenade for Strings

Purcell: Chacony in G minor

Handel: Dixit Dominus.

Tickets: £21.50



Friday 6 July 2018 7.30pm

The Blue Idol Quaker Meeting House Oldhouse Lane Coolham West Sussex RH13 8QP

Bernardi Music Group with Graham Salter (oboe) and Bruce Martin (flute).

"A Joyful Life" - an uplifting programme to celebrate the life of William Penn three hundred years after his death.

Telemann: G Major Triple Concerto for violin, flute, and oboe d'amore

Handel: G Minor Concerto

Ennio Morricone: 'Si muore d'amore' for oboe and flute

and popular songs including 'We'll Gather Lilacs'.

Tickets: £27.50 (including interval drinks and a flute of Nyetimber on arrival)

Sunday 8 July 2018 5.00pm

Christ's Hospital School Christ's Hospital Horsham West Sussex RH13 0LJ

Choral and String Academy performance.

Tickets: £16.50 (including a flute of Nyetimber on arrival)







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Philip Lansberry, Partner and Head of Legal, Kreston Reeves

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Music by US composer David Schiff

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Tickets: £37.50 (including canapés and a flute of Nyetimber on arrival)

Tuesday 17 July 2018

The George and Dragon Dragons Lane Shipley RH13 8GE

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Saturday 4 to 11 August 2018

The Yehudi Menuhin School

Trinity Sannyi Music Academy's inaugural welcome to our Chinese students who will be resident at the Yehudi Menuhin School, also performing at Trinity Laban in Greenwich. This exchange programme began with a visit from us to Hong Kong and China in March and we hope to be returning in November with violinist Andrew Bernardi and pianist Maria Marchant, together with students representing our String Academy.

Visit www.trinitysannyi.co.uk for more information.

Thursday 20 September 2018 7.00pm

Great Ballard School Eartham House Eartham Nr. Chichester West Sussex PO18 0LR

Stradivarius Piano Trio.

Daytime Concert for pupils followed at 7pm by a concert in the drawing room.

The Stradivarius Piano Trio is delighted to be returning to Great Ballard to perform to the entire school in afternoon workshops followed by a public evening recital in this historic centre of educational excellence.

Tickets: £36.50 (inc. refreshments)



Friday 21st September 7.00pm

The Friends of St John the Baptist Findon Church BN14 0RF

Bernardi Music Group.

John Ireland: 'Toccata' from the Concertino Pastorale

J.S.Bach: Brandenburg Concerto no.3

Mendelssohn: Octet in E flat major Op.20

In aid of the stained glass window and church bell renovations.

£35.00 (including canapés and refreshments and a flute of Nyetimber on arrival)

Sunday 23rd September 4.00pm

Sullington Barn, Sullington Manor Farm, Storrington, West Sussex, RH20 4AE

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I Capuleti e i Montecchi

Bellini's Tragic Tale of Romeo and Juliet

Opera Holloway present a thrilling and passionate interpretation of the classic love story, as depicted by Bellini, one of opera's true legends. Following a sell-out tour of its 1940s inspired 'Cosi Fan Tutte,' Opera Holloway present a fresh contemporary take on one of the most famous love stories of all times. Performing alongside piano and string ensemble, this show will star some of the nation's best emerging singing talent

£20.00 (interval refreshments available)



Sunday 30th September 6.00pm

Windlesham House School, Washington, West Sussex RH20 4AY

Bernardi Music Group

J.S.Bach: Brandenburg Concerto no.3

Mozart: Piano Concerto no.12

Mendelssohn: Octet in E flat

major Op.20

In aid of the Windlesham House School Endowment Fund to support children's education from all backgrounds.

£35.00 (including canapés and Wiston sparkling wine)

Friday 5 October 2018 7.30pm

St Mary the Virgin Burpham (off A27) Arundel West Sussex BN18 9RR

Bernardi Music Group.

Music by J.S. Bach, John Ireland, Paul Lewis and Julian Marczak.

Tickets: £36.50 (including interval canapés and wine)





Friday 26 October 2018

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The 2018 Shipley Arts Festival Review

The annual NFU Review of the 2018 Shipley Arts Festival exclusively for our sponsors, Gold and Silver Friends. A quintessentially British evening, celebrating world-class classical music and England's finest sparkling wine in Nyetimber's White Barn to close the 2018 Shipley Arts Festival.

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- The exclusive Festival Friends Concert which will be free of charge to Festival Friends, details of which will be announced at the January Festival launch.
- Meeting the artists and young people who perform in the concerts

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