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20-22 FEBRUARY 9:30-17:00

KOSMOS ENSEMBLE OPENING CONCERT

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RAPHAEL WALLFISCH & SIMON CALLAGHAN RECITAL

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Cellist



CATHERINE LETT
Violinist



MEG HAMILTON
Violist

ELIZABETH COONEY

Violinist

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9:30 AM - 5:00 PM



Elizabeth Cooney

Elizabeth is laureate of international competitions including the Sion-Valais Competition for Violin, Switzerland. She studied at the RCM London with Itzhak Rashkovsky and has played as soloist many times with the NCH National Symphony Orchestra of Ireland, the RTE Concert Orchestra – performed chamber music at the Wigmore Hall, RFH and the Weill Hall at Carnegie NYC. She has broadcast for BBC Radio 3 and Lyric FM. She frequently performs with the Aurora Orchestra including memorised performances at the BBC Proms at the RAH London.

Meg Hamilton

A Millennium Award winning violist and violinist with music degrees from Edinburgh University and Trinity College of Music, Meg's diverse career spans classical and traditional music from across the globe. She is a unique viola player and founder of the Kosmos Ensemble, specialising in classical, improvisation, jazz and traditional world music styles including tango, Celtic, Romanian, Greek, Jewish and Middle-Eastern music. She also tours internationally as fiddle player with UK's leading Klezmer & Balkan music ensemble, She'Koyokh.





Catherine Lett

Catherine gained Music scholarship to the Purcell School of Music under Mateja Marinkovic and is an accomplished musician. She's studied at the Guildhall School of Music, performed with luminaries such as Nigel Kennedy and Sir Simon Rattle, and collaborated with prestigious orchestras, including the London Philharmonic Orchestra. As a soloist, she's graced the stages of St Martin in the Fields and the Belmont Ensemble of London. Catherine is also a key member of the Arlington String Quartet and shares her expertise as a violin teacher at the Yehudi Menuhin School, Bedales School and RGS.



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Martin James Bartlett

Martin James Bartlett, a Warner Classics artist and faculty member in the Keyboard Department at the Royal College of Music, is known for his fearless technique and artistry. Acclaimed for albums such as "Love and Death" and "La Danse", he performs at top festivals and venues worldwide. Highlights include collaborations with the Royal Philharmonic Orchestra and awards include the Prix Serdang, showcasing his exceptional musicianship.

Ben Rogerson

Ben is a member of both the BBC Concert Orchestra and the London Mozart Players. He works with a truly eclectic spectrum of artists ranging from Bryn Terfel to Kylie Minogue. A graduate of the Royal Academy of Music and SUNY Purchase, USA, he studied with Derek Simpson and Julia Lichten. Ben teaches the cello at the Royal Grammar School Guildford and has tutored the NYOGB Inspire, the National Youth Orchestras of Ireland, Ulster and Wales.





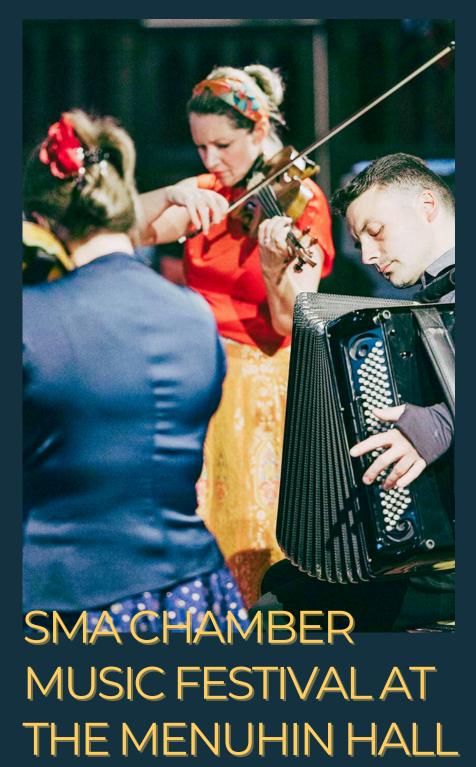
Matthew Lloyd Wilson

Matthew conducted his first public concert at the age of 13. Notable dignitaries who have attended performances include Barack Obama, Desmond Tutu and the late Queen Elizabeth II. Matthew has built strong relationships with many orchestras including the appointment as the youngest director of the Southampton University Symphony Orchestra. He is looking forward to making his debut in Serbia at the end of this year.

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DAILY CONCERT

Raphael Wallfisch Simon Callaghan Kosmos Ensemble SMA Young Musicians

20TH

Kosmos Ensemble The Menuhin Hall 19:00-20:30

21ST

Raphael Wallfisch & Simon Callaghan The Menuhin Hall 19:30 - 21:00

22ND

SMA Young Musician Gala Concert The Menuhin Hall 18:30 - 20:00

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VIOLIN HARRIET MACKENZIE



Graduated from the Royal Academy of Music with First Class honours, M.Mus and DipRAM. In 2015, she was awarded the Richard Carne Fellowship at Trinity Laban Conservatoire of Music. Harriet Mackenzie is an internationally renowned concerto soloist and has performed across five continents. Her recordings include concertos with the Royal Philharmonic Orchestra, Orchestra Nova and the English Symphony Orchestra and have also frequently appeared in the 'Top Recordings of The Year' lists. In addition to her busy solo career she is a lover of chamber music and is a founder member of Kosmos Ensemble.

VIOLA MEG HAMILTON



A Millennium – Award winning violist with music degrees from Edinburgh University and Trinity College of Music, Meg's diverse career spans classical and traditional music from across the globe. She is a unique viola player and a founder member of the Kosmos Ensemble, specialising in classical, improvisation, jazz and traditional world music styles including tango, Celtic, Romanian, Greek, Jewish and Middle-Eastern music. She also tours internationally as fiddle player with UK's leading Klezmer & Balkan music ensemble, She'Koyokh.

ACCORDION MILOS MILIVOJEVIC



Serbian classical accordionist, awarded a full scholarship at the Royal Academy of Music, winner of many international competitions and the prestigious Derek Butler London Prize at the Wigmore Hall – contested by students from all four of the London conservatoires. He has recently released his debut solo album on the Nimbus Label. "a hurricane of imaginative invention" – The Times

CELLIST RAPHAEL WALLFISCH

PIANIST SIMON CALLAGHAN



SMA CHAMBER MUSIC FESTIVAL AT THE MENUHIN HALL

PROGRAMME:

Schubert Introduction, Variations and Finale Chopin Cello Sonata Schumann Adagio & Allegro Beethoven Cello Sonata in A

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21ST

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MASTERCLASS 18:00 - 19:00

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RAPHAEL WALLFISCH& SIMON CALLAGHAN



SMA MENUHIN CHAMBER MUSIC FESTIVAL 20-22 FEB 2025

CELLIST RAPHAEL WALLFISCH



- Internationally acclaimed cellist Raphael Wallfisch, born into a distinguished musical family, has performed with orchestras such as the London Symphony and BBC Symphony and at festivals including the BBC Proms
- A passionate educator, he is a cello professor at Zürich Hochschule der Kunst, Trinity Laban and Royal College of Music
- Wallfisch's vast discography includes concertos by Dvořák, Strauss, British composers including Finzi and Britten, and supporting original works from leading contemporary composers

PIANIST SIMON CALLAGHAN



- Internationally acclaimed soloist and chamber musician Simon Callaghan, known for his dynamic performances and eclectic repertoire
- Much in demand in the UK and abroad, recent performances including Wigmore Hall, Harrogate Festival, Stoller Hall, Saffron Hall, and with the Ulster Orchestra and BBC Philharmonic
- Distinguished recording artist with a diverse discography on labels such as Hyperion, Nimbus, and Lyrita, showcasing both much loved and rare repertoire; Piano professor at RNCM





SMA CHAMBER MUSIC FESTIVAL GALA CONCERT

22ND FEBRUARY 2025 AT 6:30PM

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