

SingOut2010

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Joining the SingOut2010 Team

- SingOut2010 is pleased to welcome two new members to the SingOut2010 team.
- John Binson formerly Chairman of the Board and Principal Horn player with the Royal Philharmonic Orchestra joins us as Music Associate (Brass). John was previously with the London Symphony Orchestra and the BBC Northern Symphony Orchestra and was the youngest ever player to join the English Chamber Orchestra. John is now a member of the Board of the National Youth String Academy. We are delighted that he will be working with the brass ensemble for Jana Rowland's new work for SingOut2010.
- Graeme Edison Hall joins our Music Panel and is looking forward to helping Schools get to grips with the new music. Graeme was born in Melbourne Australia, and Director of Music at Sydney Grammar School. Studied harpsichord with Joseph Saxby. Conducted the St. Cecilia Singers in Norwich and was Director of Music at Woodbridge School Suffolk from 1975 until 1989. Since then he has been touring the world for the Royal Schools, giving lecture recitals and examining.

SingOut2010 - We have Lift Off

The pace of work in getting SingOut2010 ready for its premiere performance at Snape in November is quickening with the imminent receipt of the two new Commissions from Joseph Phibbs and Jana Rowland. Arrangements are in hand to produce a rehearsal cd and invitations to the Presentations of the new works in May have now been sent to all groups involved along with members of our Music Panel. In the meantime our Composition Workshop Programme for Primary Schools and Student Mentoring Programme are already generating some exciting original pieces. (Our first feature on one of our performing schools appears in this edition.)

The SingOut2010 Concert will lift off in grand style with an opening brass Fanfare performed by a five piece brass ensemble as part of Jana Rowlands new work `Dialogue with the Sea`.

The Concert will conclude with Joseph Phibbs' new choral work for young people performed at Snape with the Britten-Pears Chamber Choir, Andrew Plant - Piano and Sam Wilson - Percussion.

SingOut2010 Ticket Arrangements - Saturday 13th November 2010

The price of seats for the SingOut2010 Concert at Snape Maltings has now been agreed. With the aim of attracting a wide audience there will be four ticket prices with a 50% reduction for under 19s and discounts for group bookings. Tickets are planned to go on sale from mid June with promotional flyers available in time for Aldeburgh Festival audiences.

Ticket Prices

- £15.50
- £12.50
- £10.50
- £8.50



A limited number of Premium Seats will be available linked to individual and corporate Hospitality / Sponsorship Packages. For further details and a Hospitality/Sponsorship Information Pack contact:

SingOut2010@googlemail.com or

Telephone 01728 622029

Key SingOut2010 Dates

Presentations

New Commissions
Saxmundham

Tuesday 11th May &
Monday 17th May

Composition Workshops

May and June tbc

Final Date for Student/Group Submissions

1st July

Ensemble Rehearsals

Aldeburgh Church

16th October

6th November

Final Rehearsals Snape

13th November 10am &
2pm (Recorded)

Performance 7.15pm

Head Teacher of 64 pupil Bramfield CEVC School Cathryn Benefer reports:

‘Music is an area which we have always enjoyed at Bramfield, and in the last year we have focussed upon developing the range of musical provision for the children even further. Joining **SingOut2010** is a part of that focus!’

Music activities that go on in the school include:

A music teacher working in the school 1 afternoon a week working on class lessons and teaching of recorder from six years old (Year 2,3,4)

Violin lessons for 10 individual pupils (school has funded the violins for the children to use)

Guitar lessons for 10 pupils

Clarinet lessons for 20 Year 3 & 4 pupils under the Wider Opportunities scheme

Djembe Drumming workshop (Year 2,3,4) this half term

Young violinists, keyboard players and drummer going along to the Halesworth Middle School Orchestra each week - They will be performing with them soon

SingUp (Vocal Force) initiative - children singing together and teaching each other songs, joint singing sessions with other schools, and workshops for teachers

We hold a Music Week each year in the autumn where we invite musicians to come along and perform for the children, or to run workshops with them

The whole school has performed at Snape Maltings in the Celebration of Schools` Music - performing a piece developed with singer/composer Bridget Cousins.

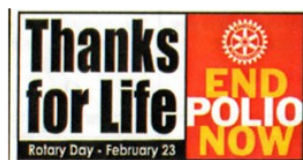


Bramfield Primary School, near Halesworth where Music Teacher Ann David and her music colleagues were recently joined by SingOut2010 Music Leader Jana Rowland for a Composition Workshop with pupils.

Following the visit Jana said:
‘Setting time aside to include all the music you have in your curriculum is really paying off in terms of creativity, song writing and literacy. The school is entirely creative and geared towards teaching children music alongside the curriculum’.

All the indications are that Bramfield pupils will be producing some first-class compositions for SingOut2010 at Snape. Well done to everyone. We are enjoying working with you.

The Rotary Club of Saxmundham were also pleased to be able to make a donation to the School`s project to improve the access to the Hall.



Rotary `Thanks For Life` Programme to eradicate Polio from the World

Poliomyelitis (polio) is a highly infectious disease caused by a virus. There is no known cure and can only be prevented through immunisation, which has been successful in eradicating the disease in all but four countries—Afghanistan, India, Pakistan and Nigeria.

Rotary works with the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation, the World Health Organisation and the UN Children`s Fund to eradicate the disease. In 1985 Rotary started its Polio Plus programme, since when more than 2 billion children have been given oral vaccine. From 1000 cases a day in 1985 there were just 1491 in the whole of 2008. The vaccine to immunise one child is 50p and soon we may be able to say Goodbye Polio.

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Who`s Who in SingOut2010

Programme Manager/Chair Jon James+
Music Leader/Composer Jana Rowland+
Music Assistant - Vacant

Steering Group (Music Group+)

David Briggs +
Graham Cooke
Peter Hawkins
Amanda Humphry +
Roger Keene +
David Smith
Elaine Warmingham

Marketing/ Hospitality /Sponsorship

Malcolm Heath
David Smith
Graham Ward
Keir Wyatt

Music Panel

David Briggs
Edmond Fivet
Graeme Edison Hall
Penelope Mackay
Liz Page

Composers/Student Mentors

Jana Rowland & Joseph Phibbs

Musical Director

Britten-Pears Chamber Choir

Performance Pianist

Dr Andrew Plant

Percussion

Sam Wilson

Music Associate (Brass)

John Bimson

SingOut2010 Ensemble includes:

Bramfield Primary School
Britten Pears Chamber Choir
Coldfair Green Primary School
Eyke Primary School
Leiston High School
Middleton & Peasenhall Primary Schools
Saxmundham Primary School
Snape Primary School
Wenhaston Girls Choir

Patrons

Alan Britten CBE
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Edmond Fivet CBE
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Rt Hon John Gummer MP
Penelope Mackay
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