

Programme

Hesse Students

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Becca, Callie, Charlotte, Dónal, Emily, Felicity, Kate, Matt, Tim

Thomas Tallis

If Ye Love Me

Becca, Callie, Charlotte, Dónal, Emily, Felicity, Kate, Matt, Tim

John Ireland

The Hills

Becca, Callie, Charlotte, Dónal, Emily, Felicity, Kate, Matt, Tim

Béla Bartók

Duets for Two Violins Vol.2

Teasing Song-Limping Dance-Dance from Máramaros

Charlotte, Matt

Gilbert and Sullivan

Three Little Maids from School (from 'The Mikado')

Callie, Dónal, Emily, Fizz, Tim

John David, arr. Peter Knight

You Are The New Day

Becca, Callie, Charlotte, Dónal, Emily, Felicity, Kate, Matt, Tim

Stephen Schwartz

What Is This Feeling? (from 'Wicked')

Callie, Emily, Tim

Scott Joplin

Sunflower Slow Drag (1901)

Maple Leaf Rag (1899)

Kate, Tim

Rossini, ed. Davis

Duet For Two Cats

Callie, Felicity, Dónal

Bertold Hummel

Sonatina Op.35a

I Maestoso

Charlotte, Dónal

American Folksong arr. James Erb

Shenandoah

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Leroy Ostransk

Divertissement

Callie, Tim

Coleman and Fields

The Rhythm Of Life

Callie, Dónal, Emily, Felicity, Tim

Dónal

AIDEBurGH

Becca, Callie, Charlotte, Dónal, Emily, Felicity, Kate, Matt, Tim

Hudson and Carter

Goodnight Sweetheart

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Rebecca Sparkes (Super Hesse) had such an amazing week at Aldeburgh last year, that she was thrilled to be invited back for a second festival. She has just finished her degree at Royal Holloway, University of London, and is looking forward to a long holiday once the festival is over.

Caroline 'Callie' Swarbrick is studying Music and Drama at Royal Holloway, University of London and is loving the copious amounts of ice-cream and fish and chips in Aldeburgh. She has had many soprano moments and is one day hoping to learn to successfully count to four!

Charlotte Capitain has just finished her Abiturs in German. She loves music and is really enjoying this experience in England, especially Snape and the beautiful music views across the marshes. Her English has improved so much this week she even understands Callie!

Dónal Rafferty is studying for a Master's degree in composition at King's College London, and comes from Dublin. This is Dónal's first trip to the English countryside since his arrival in the UK in September and has found it a most welcome distraction from the screaming girls in the Hesse group!

Emily Rogers is a music student at The University of Surrey. She has really enjoyed her week as a Hesse Student, especially attempting to sing tenor all week, occasionally failing dramatically.

Felicity 'Fizz' Turner is also studying Music and Drama at Royal Holloway, University of London- but it was her idea first, honest! Home is in Cornwall but having not been home for a few months Fizz is loving being back by the sea!

Kate Lumley is studying English Language at the University of Kent, but is local (Woodbridge). She has enjoyed an incredibly educational and enlightening week in Aldeburgh, especially in attempting to sing well in the presence of other humans!

Matt Sheeran has had a busy week, with recitals still at college and lunches out with the locals. Amongst these tasks he has found time to entertain other members of the group... This is his second course, but he still finds it a fresh and challenging experience.

Tim Phillips is studying music at Goldsmiths, so enjoying the break from the city. He has regularly been a little too excited by the presence of Elliott Carter...which combined with Harrison Birtwistle has almost been too much for him!

Hesse Students' Concert

Friday 19 June 2009

Jubilee Hall

5pm

The Hesse Student Scheme was launched in 1959 by Princess Margret of Hesse, a president and supporter of the festival for many years. She created the scheme to make it possible for more young people to attend the festival. Being a Hesse student provides the opportunity to attend world-class performances in exchange for completing a variety of daily festival duties. These tasks range from selling programmes to page turning for performing artists. The Hesse Students play an integral role in the smooth running of the festival, and in return are given the opportunity to perform in their own concert at the end of the week which is completely organised by themselves.

This year's concert programme contains an eclectic mix of musical styles, ranging from ragtime to musical theatre to an original composition by one of this year's students. We have endeavoured to incorporate elements of the music we have experienced during the festival, while also making use of the skills we possess as an ensemble.

We would like to thank all the staff we have been involved with at the Aldeburgh Festival for their hospitality and support throughout our stay. A special thank you goes out to our generous hosts for the week who have housed and fed us wonderfully: Tony and Debbie Bone, Jackie and Dudley Holland and Carrie Spence.



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