

## 66 YEARS OF CONCERT PROMOTING IN NORTH DEVON

Bideford Music Club began its first season of concerts in October 1957 when a group of local music-lovers engaged professional musicians to come and play classical music in our remote part of south-west England.

We now offer six concerts a year from October to April. While many of our musicians are already established in the musical world, the Club also offers a platform to young award-winners selected by musical charities such as Making Music, The Countess of Munster Musical Trust and the Tillett Trust. It's your chance to hear the stars of the future!

To encourage an awareness of classical music among young people, some of the musicians visit local schools, where they play and talk to eager young audiences. These visits are generously funded by Northam and Bideford Town Councils and the Bideford Bridge Trust.

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If you enjoy chamber music of world-class quality then come to our concerts. A live performance provides an intensity and depth of sound that can't be matched by a recording. It's the difference between looking at a picture of the beach and actually taking a walk. Come and try it!

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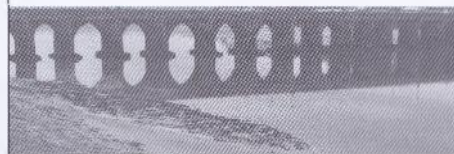
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-: **CONCERT DIARY** :-

**SIXTY-SIXTH SEASON 2023-2024**

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## CONCERT DIARY 2023-2024

All concerts held at St Mary's Church, Church Walk, Bideford, EX39 2BP  
EVERYONE IS WELCOME DOORS OPEN 30 MINUTES BEFORE CONCERT

WEDNESDAY  
4th OCTOBER  
at 7.30pm



### IGNAS MAKNICKAS - PIANO

Schumann Fantasie in C, Op. 17 (1st movement).

Sergei Bortkiewicz Preludes, Op. 33 (selections).

Chopin Nocturnes, Op. 27.

Alvidas Remesa "Stigmata" - five miniatures for piano.

Schubert Sonata in B-flat major, D. 960.



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WEDNESDAY  
1st NOVEMBER  
at 7.30pm



### GEORGE TODICA - PIANO and CHARLOTTE HOATHER - SOPRANO

The programme will feature songs for soprano and piano, and solo piano music, and will include works by Schubert, Liszt and Grieg.

SUNDAY  
7th JANUARY  
2024 at 3.00pm



### HATHER DUO - MEERA MAHARAJ - FLUTE and LUCY NOLAN - HARP

'Fantasies and Dreams' including music by Saint-Saëns, Ravel and Beach.

SUNDAY  
4th FEBRUARY  
at 3.00pm



### HANNAH WOOLLACOTT and JONNIE CUMMING - GUITAR DUO

The programme will include music by Francisco Tárrega, Peter Maxwell Davies and Phillip Houghton.

WEDNESDAY  
13th MARCH  
at 7.30pm



### PRIMROSE PIANO QUARTET

Mozart Piano Quartet in E flat; Françaix String Trio; Saint-Saëns Barcarolle for Piano Quartet; Chausson Piano Quartet.

WEDNESDAY  
10th APRIL  
at 7.30pm



### ZOË TWEED - FRENCH HORN and JULIAN CHAN - PIANO

Programme TBA.



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WEDNESDAY  
12th June  
at 7.30pm



### ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING. *Venue to be announced.*

A social get-together with refreshments after a short business meeting.



## APPLICATION FORM

Subscription - £82.50 for 6 concerts

Subscription - £61.00 for any 4 concerts

ALL SEATS UNRESERVED

Single tickets at door - £16.50 per concert

Students and Children - Free of charge

MEMBERSHIP TICKETS ARE NOT INTERCHANGEABLE

I/We would like membership for the 2023-2024 season.

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I am a UK taxpayer and wish to make a Gift Aid donation of £..... to support the Music Club.

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