

This quarter the Spotlight is on the
"Lancaster & District Choral Society"



Summer Concert in Lancaster Priory

Welcome

Hi everyone and welcome to the 45.1 interim issue for late spring 2018 covering bookings received up to 20th of February.

This quarter's "Spotlight" is on the Lancaster and District Choral Society, they return to the Ashton Hall Lancaster for a performance of Karl Jenkins impressive "Armed Man – A Mass for Peace" on 14th April'18. They probably have the longest history of any choir in the region being founded in 1836. I sang baritone for the LDCS for some 16 years, which I enjoyed immensely; being chairman/secretary and event manager for some 10 years. Recently, I have sung with Sing Joyfully! emphatically, for three years, and we have numerous concerts, throughout the spring and early summer - see various entries. Currently, I am also rehearsing with Eversley Choir for their spring concert – see entry for 13th May '18.

Enough of me! Emphatically.

The North-West Early Music Forum are having a workshop, on 26th of May for voices and invited instruments based on Antoine Brumel's "Et ecce terrae motus" or "Earthquake Mass" at St. Martin's University of Cumbria, Bowerham Road, Lancaster. I've been familiar with this piece for some twenty five years and it's not to be missed. For info check their web site or contact Clive Walkey walkley903@btinternet.com.

Ulverston International Music Festival dates are:

Saturday 21st April 10am – 4pm (workshops)

Saturday 5th May 10am - 4pm (workshops)

SUNDAY 3rd June 2pm - 5pm (workshops) (though possibly starting earlier or finishing later – an hour at most either side, but not both).

I would like to thank all the chairmen, secretaries and publicity officers, who contribute to the content of the B.a.c.l. and make it a success, as reports back from the groups indicate.

Back to business, if you would like your choir/orchestra or music group to be featured in the "Spotlight" please let me know, as I am looking for some volunteer choir/orchestras', if the secretaries or publicity officers would take notice especially if your organization hasn't appeared in these pages before.

If you have any events, or, special concerts that you might like to have highlighted, then you know where I am.

In the meantime, may I wish you all the best for the rest of 2018 season and have an enjoyable time singing/playing this year.

John Robinson – Editor

Spotlight on “LDCS”



LDCS’ Summer Chorale’s Tour of West Mercia in 2013 – in Worcester Cathedral

This is one of North Lancashire’s largest four-part Choir, having over seventy registered singing members.

The Choral Society can trace its musical history back over 175 years to 1836 when it was known as the Lancaster & District Musical Society. The Choral Society celebrated its 175th Anniversary in 2011 and 2012.

John Perrin is the Society’s Musical Director and has been responsible for introducing the many challenging works that the Choir now perform since he joined in 2002. John has over fifty years’ experience in music. Educated at Birmingham School of Music and Bretton Hall College of Education he has ABSMs in General Musicianship and Organ Teaching, and ARCM in Organ Performer and Special Harmony; plus Cert.in Education (Music credit). He has had extensive experience as a music teacher and Head of Music in various schools throughout the Midlands and the North.

John has wide experience in producing music of various genres. In Musicals/Operettas he has produced Carousel, Guys and Dolls, The King & I, Kiss Me Kate, Merrie England, Oklahoma, Oliver, Orpheus in the Underworld, South Pacific, Waltzes from Vienna, West Side Story and White Horse Inn. He also has extensive experience in Gilbert and Sullivan including the favourites Gondoliers, HMS Pinafore and Mikado.

In his time with the Lancaster & District Choral Society, since 2002, he has introduced works that have challenged the Choir on every occasion.

The Choral Society was honoured to announce in 2006, the appointment, as President of the Choral Society, the internationally renowned D’Ogily Carte tenor Thomas Round. He retired during, 2015, and sadly died two weeks before his 101st birthday, on 2 October 2016. The Choral Society has not appointed a replacement.

The Choir has performed a great variety of work over its history, from Mozart to Elgar, Brahms to The Beatles, as well as contemporary composers such as John Rutter, Karl Jenkins and Howard Goodall.

Traditionally, the Choral Society performed its main concerts in the Ashton Hall, Lancaster, and later in the Great Hall of Lancaster University and latterly in Lancaster Priory and The Grand Theatre. In these main concerts a full orchestra and professional soloists supported the Choral Society. During their 175th anniversary year, 2011-2012, the Choir performed Elgar’s Dream of Gerontius, Berlioz’ Grande Messe des Morts, and a celebration concert of things British, including music associated with the Queen’s Coronation and the Olympic Games.

The Society has participated in several performances by the ‘Really Big Chorus’ at the Royal Albert Hall (RAH) in London. In 2006, we performed in Verdi’s Requiem, as a preliminary to our own production at the Ashton Hall, Lancaster, in 2007. In 2008, a group from the Choir participated in Karl Jenkins’ The Armed Man, after our own

performance in Lancaster. Also, in July 2009, some of us participated in John Rutter’s Requiem conducted by the composer himself.

On 11th July 2010, after several weeks’ rehearsals, some 30 of the choir performed at the World Premiere of Karl Jenkins’ new Gloria, at the RAH, which we brought to Lancaster for the Northern Premiere on 27th November!



Lancaster and District Choral Society
The Great Hall, Lancaster University

The sequence of concerts has changed over recent years. Since 2013, there is only one concert in the Autumn Term (in early December), which is a mixed ‘Classical’/Traditional Christmas Concert. In the Spring Term, a full ‘classical’ concert is performed (usually in April) which in 2017 comprised Bob Chilcott’s A Little Jazz Mass and Carl Orff’s Carmina Burana. A Summer Concert (performed by part of the Choir known as The Chorale) is held at Bolton-le-Sands Community Centre in late June/early July. Rehearsals are also held at the Community Centre, and commence on the Monday immediately following the Spring Concert. In recent years The Chorale has toured Hampshire and Worcestershire, performing in Andover Priory, Great Malvern Priory, Winchester and Worcester Cathedrals.

For 2018, there will be a return to Karls Jenkins’ The Armed Man. It will be held in the Ashton Hall, George Street, Lancaster, which is a return for the Choral Society after an absence of nine years.

In addition to our musical activities we hold three coffee mornings and an Annual Dinner each year.

So, if you are interested in singing with us, do come, and join us.

We welcome people of all ages and abilities: experience is not essential and there is no audition, although a voice/range test may be requested, at the MD’s discretion. We have members who are new to singing and some with extensive experience. The Choir is a very mixed group! However, the music being rehearsed is introduced carefully to allow for ease of learning.

We meet on Monday nights, from the beginning of September until the Spring Concert in the Chapel, University of Cumbria, Bowerham Road, Lancaster LA1 3JD. Rehearsals start at 7:00 p.m. and finish around 9.30 p.m. with a break in the middle. To contact them see their website and email them from there.

John Robinson
Editor B.a.c.l.
Former chairman of LDCS.

As at the 22nd of February 2018 these are the Concerts Advised for the Seasons 2018, 2019 and a few for 2020 for the choirs/ orchestras and venues listed on pages 16 to 19

Confirmed Dates for 2018

Dates	Choir, Orchestra or Band	Venue or Contact Details
03.03.18 Sat	Allegri Singers Allegri perform Palestrina's glorious Pope Marcellus Mass for six-part choir. Written in 1562, it has often been sung during Papal inauguration services. Allegri also perform celebratory anthems by Gibbons and Sweelinck, modern examples by Collins and Lauridsen, ending with three anthems by Romantic composers Mendelssohn, Bruckner and Rheinberger.	7.00 p.m. Cartmel Priory LA11 6QD Free with retiring collections for church and choir at both venues. For more information contact: Owen Davies, owen@odavies.plus.com, 01539 621261
04.03.18 Sun	Allegri Singers See above	4.00 p.m. St Thomas, Milnthorpe LA7 7QR
07.03.18	Kendal Midday Concert Club	1:00 p.m. Kendal Town Hall
10.03.18	Levens Choir Thomas Tallis – combined concert with Marian Consort.	7:30 p.m. St George's Church, Kendal.
10.03.18	Westmorland Orchestra Conductor - Richard Howarth with Jack Bailey - Cello Mozart Overture The Magic Flute Dvorak Cello Concerto (Jack Bailey) Elgar Enigma Variations	Time 7:30 p.m. Kendal Leisure Centre
17.03.18	Lancaster Singers Concert Title: 'A Lenten Sequence' Tallis: The Lamentations of Jeremiah. Scarlatti: Stabat Mater. With music also by Poulenc and others.	8:00 p.m. Venue: St Peter's Cathedral, Lancaster
17.03.18	Westmorland Youth Orchestra "Concert" 'Inspired: a concert linking music and art' Welcome music from 7:00pm Music by Saint-Saens, Fredrik Holm, Gershwin, Mussorgsky and other	7:30 p.m. Queen Elizabeth School, Kirkby Lonsdale LA6 2HJ Tickets available on the door £10 Adults / £8 concessions / £2 Under 21s

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18.03.18	Pro Nobis Singers Britten: Rejoice in the Lamb Thomas Tallis: Lamentations with Ian Pattinson, Organ.	2:30 p.m. Holy Trinity & St George Catholic Church, New Road, Kendal
20.03.18	Sing Joyfully! "Spring Concert" "Swing into Spring" Easy listening and Jazz classics for everyone to enjoy.	8:00 p.m. Holy Trinity Parish Church, Casterton LA6 2SG. Free Admission Retiring Collection for Casterton Church Fabric Fund
21.03.18	Kendal Midday Concert Club	1:00 p.m. Kendal Town Hall
22.03.18	New Generation Artists Concert Series 2018 Patrons of LDSM Jack Bailey – cello inc César Franck Cello Sonata in A major. Accompanied by LDSM Staff Pianist Gemma Beeson	2:30 p.m. Ambleside Parish Church
24.03.18	Furness Bach Choir Rossini: Petite Messe Solonelle, Also, Anthony Hewitt on piano, and will be performed with the original scoring for two pianos and harmonium	7:30 p.m. St James's Church, Barrow in Furness.
24.03.18	North-West Early Music Forum The transition of music from the C14th to the C15th Tutor: Don Greig	Morley Green Club, Moberley Road, Wilmslow, SK9 5NT (Bob F)
25.03.18 Sun	Promenade Concert Orchestra "Music for You" Music from the Palm Court Seaside and spa entertainment for 200 years and more has centred around easy-to-listen-to melodies and toe-tapping rhythms, and the PCO's 11 th such concert programme will highlight and stir-up the warm, nostalgic memories of by-gone holidays of past generations. Watch out for piccolo, xylophone and clarinet solos with the well-known 'Victorian Kitchen Garden' of television fame	3:00 p.m. The Platform, Morecambe
07.04.18	Morecambe Bay Singers "Spring Concert"	7:30 p.m. Morecambe Parish Church.
07.04.18	Morecambe Brass Band Brass at the Platform	7:30 p.m. The Platform, Morecambe

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08.04.18	The King's Men Cambridge Spring Concert The Choral Scholars of King's College, Cambridge - The King's Men - sing a wide range of music from early plainsong to contemporary soul and pop favourites. <i>Described in The Times as having a 'luminous blend</i> <i>of voices' they will be accompanied on tour by King's</i> <i>College Organ Scholar Donal McCann, who will also</i> <i>perform some solo pieces on our famous 1883</i> <i>Wilkinson organ.</i>	7:30 p.m. St George's Church, Castle Street, Kendal LA9 7AS Tickets: £12 on the door or from 01539 734339 or office@beaconteam.org.uk
14.04.18	Kendal Concert Band "SPRING CONCERT"	7:30 p.m. Victoria Hall, Grange over Sands
14.04.18	Lancaster & District Choral Society "Spring Concert" <i>Karl Jenkins "Armed Man Mass for Peace"</i>	7:30 p.m. Ashton Hall, Lancaster
21.04.18	Lancaster & District Male Voice Choir "Spring Concert"	7:30 p.m. Lancaster Methodist Church
21.04.18	North-West Early Music Forum <i>The music of Giovanni Croce for voices &</i> <i>instruments</i> <i>Tutor: Roger Wilkes</i>	Morley Green Club, Moberley Road, Wilmslow, SK9 5NT (Bob F)
26.04.18	New Generation Artists Concert Series 2018 Patrons of LDSM <i>Fitzroy String Quartet</i> <i>Royal Academy of Music – Winners of Cavatina</i> <i>and ROSL prizes</i>	2:30 p.m. Ambleside Parish Church
27.07.18	Lancaster & District Male Voice Choir "Spring Concert"	7:30 p.m. Lancaster Methodist Church.
28.04.18	Carnforth Choral Society "Spring Concert" Programme to include Hymn of Praise by Mendelssohn and Opera Choruses.	7:30 p.m. U.R.C. Christchurch, Broadway in Morecambe
28.04.18	Staveley Choral Society Spring /Summer concert 2018 'QuizSing: the Song in Question?' .	7:30 p.m. Staveley Village Hall <i>Songs that ask questions...plus</i> <i>audience participation, and a guest</i> <i>appearance by the wonderful Neil</i> <i>Anderton on jazz piano: an innovative</i> <i>quiz night with light refreshments</i>
05.05.18	Kendal South Choir "An Evening with Mozart"	7:30 p.m. St Thomas's Church, Kendal

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09.05.18	Ribble Valley International Piano Week 2018 "Launch Concert" Join us for a magical evening of Polonaises, Waltzes, Gavottes, Mazurkas and Polkas! <i>Artistic Director, Martin Roscoe, invites the</i> <i>audience to explore the world of dance in this</i> <i>carefully constructed programme of short and</i> <i>popular pieces.</i> Weber The Invitation to the Dance Bach French Suite No.6 in E Beethoven Polonaise Op.89 Schubert German Dances D.783 Ravel Valses Nobles et Sentimentales INTERVAL Smetana Polka in A minor Martinu Polka Szymanowski 2 Mazurkas Op.62 Chopin Mazurka in A minor Op.17/4 Chopin Polonaise-Fantaisie Op.61	7:30 p.m. The Croston Theatre, Westholme School, Blackburn
12.05.18	Armside Choral Society Carl Orff - Carmina Burana with Ulverston Choral Society	7:30 p.m. Victoria Hall, Grange-Over-Sands
13.05.18	Eversley Choir Bach – St Matthew Passion. Emily Mellors (Soprano)	7:00 p.m. Capernwray Hall, nr. Carnforth.
17.05.18	Kirkby Lonsdale Singers "Swing into Summer" <i>Easy listening and Jazz classics for everyone to</i> <i>enjoy.</i>	8:00 p.m., St Mary's Parish Church, Ingleton, North Yorkshire <i>Free Admission, Retiring Collection</i>
19.05.17	Armside Choral Society Carl Orff - Carmina Burana with Ulverston Choral Society	7:30 p.m. Coronation Hall, Ulverston

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 (North Lancashire – Westmorland – Furness)
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19.05.18	Westmorland Orchestra "Concert" Guest Conductor - Bob Chasey with Sophie Rosa - Violin Sibelius Finlandia Vaughn Williams The Lark Ascending (Sophie Rosa) Tchaikovsky Nutcracker (selection) Sousa Liberty Bell Greig Peer Gynt (Morning & In the Hall of the Mountain King) Bizet Farandole (L'Arlesienne) Mascagni Intermezzo from Cavalleria Rusticana Strauss Blue Danube Waltz Elgar Pomp & Circumstance No 1	7:30 p.m. Lake Leisure Centre, Kendal.
20.05.18	Westmorland Orchestra A repeat of yesterday's concert.	7:30 p.m. Coronation Hall, Ulverston
20.05.18	Promenade Concert Orchestra "Music for You" Last Night of the Proms It is some years since Morecambe audiences have had the chance to experience a 'Last Night of the Proms' concert. So it is with great pleasure that the PCO is able to present such a concert with the help of Carnforth and District Choral Society ; soprano soloist, Rowena Thornton and bass soloist, Brian Lancaster. As well as the traditional favourites, there will be popular operatic choruses, solos and duets, and a special folk-song arrangement by our own, Julian Davies. Not to be missed!	3:00 p.m. The Platform, Morecambe
26.05.18	North-West Early Music Forum (Clive W) Music from the Franco-Flemish repertoire including selected movements from Brumel's mass "Et ecce terrae motus" for voices and invited instruments Tutor: William Carslake	St. Martin's Chapel, University of Cumbria, Bowerham Road, Lancaster, LA1 3JD

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31.05.18	New Generation Artists Concert Series 2018 Patrons of LDSM Piano Trio Piano Special "Afternoon Tea and Cakes" We celebrate early summer with time to friends and guests. Haydn: Quartet Op 54 No 3 in E Hugo Wolfe: Italian Serenade in G. Bartok: Quartet No 3 Beethoven: Quartet Op 74 in Eb 'The Harp' Valette Piano Trio Programme tbc	2:30 p.m. Ambleside Parish Church Ticket £12
05.06.18 Tues	Sing Joyfully! Joint concert with KLCS	8:00 p.m. Casterton Parish Church
06 (Wed)- 16(Sat). 06.18	Ulverston International Music Festival – Weds June 6th to Sat 16th June 2018. 20 events – details will be in later issues. 3rd June for Festival Choral Concert	Coronation Hall, Ulverston Parish Church, Smarthmoor Hall, Victory Hall (Broughton)
09.06.18	Lancaster Singers "Summer Concert"	7:30 p.m. Giggleswick School Chapel
09.06.18	Levens Choir Parry: Songs of Farewell,	7:30 p.m. St Andrew's Church, Sedburgh
09.06.18	Sing Joyfully! Joint concert with Kirkby Lonsdale Singers An Evening with 007 Part of the Kirkby Lonsdale Summer Music Festival. • Jazz classics and title tracks from your favourite Bond movies • Themed Raffle • James Bond Quiz • Dress to impress!	7:30 p.m. St Mary's Parish Church, Kirkby Lonsdale, Cumbria Tickets in advance (includes wine & refreshments) from choir members or via Kirkby Lonsdale Music Festival or by calling 07952 601567 There may be some tickets available on the door on the night.
10.06.18	Lancaster Singers "Summer Concert"	7:30 p.m. Ashton Memorial, Lancaster.
16.06.18	North-West Early Music Forum (Peter S) Peter Philips Tutor: Peter Syrus	Venue tba

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17.06.18 Thurs	Ulverston International Music Festival Festival Choral Concert	7:30 p.m. The Coronation Hall Ulverston
23.06.18	Lancaster & District Choral Society "Summer Concert" Programme to be decided	7:30 p.m. Community Centre, Bolton-le-Sands.
23.06.18	Pro Nobis Singers Summer Serenade Programme to include: Vaughan Williams : Five Mystical Songs with Jonathan Millican, bass/baritone, and invited orchestra. The programme will also include music by Gustav Holst, William Walton and Toby Young.	7:30 p.m. St Mark's Church, Natland Admission by programme, Obtainable from Northern Light Stained Glass, Blackhall Yard, Kendal
30.06.18 Sat	Furness Bach Choir J. Haydn: The Creation	7:30 p.m. Victoria Hall, Grange over Sands.
30.06.18	Haffner Orchestra Conductor: Jonathan Lo Programme tbc	7:30 p.m. Great Hall, Lancaster University
03.07.18	Levens Choir: Parry – Songs of Farewell.	7:30 p.m. St Anne's Church, Ings
07.07.18	Flutes & Co "Concert"	7:00 p.m. St. Thomas' church, Kendal
06.07.18	Lancaster Priory Music Event The Sixteen: Choral Pilgrimage 'Sacred & Profane'.	7:30 p.m. Lancaster Priory Church
14.07.18	Cumbria Festival Chorus: Parry and Brahms.	7:30 p.m. Kendal Parish Church.
14.07.18	Morecambe Bay Singers "Summer Concert"	7:30 p.m. Morecambe Parish Church.
18.07.18	Ribble Valley International Piano Week <u>Provisional dates</u> 18/7/18 7.30pm 19/7/17 Mid-day 19/7/18 7.30pm 20/7/18 Mid-day 20/7/18 7.30pm 21/7/18 Mid-day 21/7/18 7.30pm.	Details to be issued after "Launch concert" on May 9th.

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22.09.18	North-West Early Music Forum Taverner Tutor: David Allinson	Venue tba (David A)
06.10.18	Kendal Concert Band "AUTUMN CONCERT"	7:30 p.m. Kendal Town Hall
20.10.18	Lancaster Priory Music Event English Touring Opera & Lancaster Priory Bach Singers perform Bach St Matthew Passion.	7:30 p.m. Lancaster Priory Church
10.11.18	Morecambe Brass Band "Remembrance Concert"	7:30 p.m. The Platform, Morecambe
11.11.18	Lancaster Singers Civic Remembrance Concert marking the centenary of the end of the First World War. "The Armed Man - A Mass for Peace" - Karl Jenkins	7:45 p.m. Lancaster Priory Church
11.11.18	Staveley Choral Society 'To Live in Hope' A programme of music to commemorate the end of World War One. An Evergreen Landscape: a chain of English folksongs' arranged and composed by Roger Caan, A Medley of Songs from the First World War, arranged by Alwyn Humphreys, and Fauré's Requiem.	2:30 p.m. St. Anne's Church, Ings
17.11.18	Haffner Orchestra Conductor: Jonathan Lo Programme tbc	7:30 p.m. Great Hall, Lancaster University (provisional)
27.10.18	North-West Early Music Forum 3:00 p.m. St Mary's Church, Borwick. Créquillon & Lambert Tutor: Deborah Caterell	Venue tba (Ruth S)
23.11.18	Eversley Choir "A Flourish of Folk Song"	7:30 p.m. St. John's, Yealand
24.11.18	North-West Early Music Forum Christmas / Advent music for singers & instrumentalists Tutor: Alison Kinder	Venue tba Chester (Martin S)

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24.11.18	Kendal South Choir <i>Rutter: The Sprig of Thyme and Howard Goodall: Eternal Light.</i>	7:30 p.m. St Thomas's Church, Kendal.
25.11.18	Promenade Concert Orchestra <i>"Music for You"</i>	3:00 p.m. The Platform, Morecambe
01.12.18	Furness Bach Choir <i>Music for double choirs from Renaissance to early Classical periods.</i>	7:30 p.m. Ulverston Parish Church.
08.12.18 Sat	Lancaster & District Choral Society <i>"Winter Concert"</i>	7:30 p.m. Priory Church of Saint Mary of Lancaster.
09.12.18	Levens Choir <i>'Star of the Sea'.</i>	3:00 p.m. St George's Church, Kendal
10.12.18	Staveley Choral Society <i>"Christmas Concert"</i> <i>Songs and Carols for Christmas, - fun, warm, Christmassy, with festive refreshments.</i>	7:30 p.m. Staveley Village Hall.
15.12.18	Kendal Concert Band <i>"CHRISTMAS SPECTACULAR"</i>	7:30 p.m. Kendal Town Hall
17.12.18	Eversley Choir <i>"Christmas Concert"</i>	7:30 p.m. Saint Thomas' Milnthorpe
19.12.18	Lancaster & District Male Voice Choir <i>"Christmas Concert"</i>	7:30 p.m. Ashton Memorial
18.12.18	Lancaster Singers <i>"Christmas Concert"</i>	7:30 p.m. Ashton Memorial
21.12.18	Lancaster Singers <i>"Christmas Concert"</i>	7:30 p.m. Ashton Memorial
22.12.18	Morecambe Brass Band <i>"Christmas Concert"</i>	7:30 p.m. The Platform, Morecambe

Dates Provisional for 2019

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09.02.19 Sat	Haffner Orchestra <i>Conductor: Jonathan Lo</i> <i>Programme tbc</i>	7:30 p.m. Great Hall, Lancaster University (provisional)
16.03.19	Lancaster Singers <i>Programme TBA</i>	Venue - tba
23.-3.19 – 30.03.19	Mary Wakefield Festival <i>(and - if you like - 13th to 20th March 2021!)</i>	Kendal venues
23.03.19	Cumbrian Festival Chorus - notice <i>2019 will be both a Mary Wakefield Festival year and the 150th anniversary of the death of Berlioz and we are planning a major concert to celebrate his music!</i>	Q
04.05.19	Kendal South Choir <i>Mendelssohn "Elijah"</i>	7:30 p.m. St Thomas's Church, Kendal
19.05.19	Eversley Choir <i>Dvorak's "Stabat Mater"</i>	7:30 p.m. Capernwray Hall.
08.06.19	Lancaster Singers <i>Programme TBA</i>	Venue - tba
09.06.19	Lancaster Singers <i>Programme TBA</i>	Ashton Memorial, Williamson's Park, Lancaster
16.11.19	Lancaster Singers <i>Programme TBA</i>	Venue - tba
21.11.19	Eversley Choir <i>"Magnificat Setting"</i>	7:30 p.m. St. Oswald's Warton.
30.11.19	Kendal South Choir <i>Programme to be confirmed.</i>	7:30 p.m. St Thomas's Church, Kendal
17.12.19	Lancaster Singers <i>Programme TBA</i>	Ashton Memorial, Williamson's Park, Lancaster
20.12.19	Lancaster Singers <i>Programme TBA</i>	Ashton Memorial, Williamson's Park, Lancaster

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21.12.19	<i>Eversley Choir</i> <i>"Christmas Concert"</i>	7:30 p.m. St. Thomas', Milnthorpe

Submitted Dates for 2020

<i>Dates</i>	<i>Choir, Orchestra or Band</i>	<i>Venue or Contact Details</i>
20.05.20	<i>Kendal South Choir</i> <i>Programme to be confirmed.</i>	7:30 p.m. St Thomas's Church, Kendal

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Kendal Concert Band	Contact: Martin Edgar – Event Coordinator	Tel: 01524 381666 Email: kendalconcertband@gmail.com Website: kendalconcertband.com Email: martinjedgar@gmail.com
Kendal Mid-Day Concert Society	John Hiley Artist's sec.	Tel: 01539 821524 Woodside Cottage, Ings, Kendal LA8 9PY www.kendalmiddayconcertclub.org
Kendal Parish Church Music Events	Hilary Murphy	Church Office - 01539 721248 Email: NA
Kendal South Choir	Secretary Jean Robinson	Tel: 01539 725955 Email: jeanrobinson1946@gmail.com
Kirkby Lonsdale Choral Society (Publicity)	Jo Whittaker	Tel: 015243 41964 Email: jo.whittaker@thancock.co.uk
K Shoes Male Voice Choir Kendal		Tel: N/A secretary@kshoesmvc.org
Lacuna Upper Voice choir	Linda Barnett-Jones	Tel: 01539 732446 Email: lynda.barnett@gmail.com
Lakeland Composers' Summer Concert	David Jennings	Email: davidjennings1972@goqlemail.com Website: www.davidjenningscomposer.co.uk
Lake District Summer Music Festival LDSM	Laura Howorth Administrative Assistance	Email: admin@ldsm.org.uk Telephone: 01539 742620 www.ldsm.org.uk
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Lancaster Community Music Centre events	Tim Fosdick	Email: info@lcmf.org.uk Email: tim.fosdick@gmail.com .
Lancaster Music Makers	Kate Noble/ Rosemary Brown	Email: katenoble100@hotmail.com or contact Secretary: Rosemary Brown (Tel. 01524 65774) email rosemarybrownfurdale@yahoo.co.uk http://www.lancastermusicmakers.co.uk/default.html
Lancaster & District Choral Society (L & D Ch Soc)	Stephanie Tulej (Publicity)	Tel: 01524 823053 Email: stephtulej@hotmail.com
Lancaster Castle – The Shire Hall Events	Dr. Colin Penny	Tel (01524) 64998 Fax (01524) 847914 Email: colin.penny@lancashire.gov.uk www.lancastercastle.com
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Lancaster & District Male Voice Choir	Dr Hugh Cutler	Tel: 01524 34454 e-mail: hughcutler@btinternet.com
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Lancaster Singers	Chris Haughton chairman and publicity	Tel: 01253 811 360 Email: chris.haughton@tiscali.co.uk
Lancaster University Great Hall "Live at LICA" Lancaster Institute for Contemporary Arts	Julia Carradus Tickets and enquiries	Email: j.carradus@lancaster.ac.uk Box Office Tel: 01524 594151 www.liveatlica.org boxoffice@liveatlica.org
Levens Choir	Liz Bloomer Chairman Gill Smith Publicity	Email: ljbloomer@btinternet.com ; Tel: 015395 68569 Email: gillsmith@yahoo.co.uk
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Morecambe Amateur Operatic & Drama Society (MAODS)	Ticket Secretary: Mrs Joyce Roach. Publicity Officer: Irene Melting	Tel: 01524 852399 Email: melling.i@btinternet.com (use contact info for both)
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Morecambe Bay Singers (formerly Morecambe and District Philharmonic Choir)	June Rye	Tel: 01524 424893 Email: June.Rye@hotmail.co.uk
"Music For A Summer Evening"	Contact: Dawn Bonham dawnbonham@live.co.uk	8:00 p.m. Hawkshead Parish Church Tel: 07855 413968
North West Early Music Forum (NWEFM)	R. W. Foster	Tel: 01625 528133 E-mail: fosterrobert@gmail.com
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Promenade Concert Orchestra	Howard Rogerson	Tel: 01524 412552 howard_rogerson@yahoo.co.uk
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Pro Nobis Singers	Clive Walkley	Tel: 01539 723482 Email: walkley903@btinternet.com Website: www.pronobis-singers.com
Ribble Valley International Piano Week	Rebecca Weaver: Administrator	Tel: 078105 04701 Email: info@rvipw.org.uk www.rvipw.org.uk
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Rushley Singers	Rachel Lee	Tel: 01524 823289. Email: douglaslee39@gmail.com
"Serenade For Summer 2012"	Cynthia and Alan Ashworth	Tel: 01539 535698 Email: cynth.alan@btinternet.com
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Coda

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If you have any comments, please let me know. As the editor, the events and dates I have included in this document are those that have been given me by the respective contributors, and no contract is implied by their inclusion here by me. I hope you will understand that I cannot provide tickets for any of the concerts or give access information to the various venues, hence, the contact list on the previous pages.

I would like to thank all those who provided the information that enabled this document to be created and updated. It is hoped that its contents are useful to everyone and that contributors keep me up to date. I would also be grateful if contributors could let me have expanded descriptions of their various programmes. This is so that the listing might become more meaningful to the reader.

Although, the B.a.c.l. will still be available on line it will no longer be published as a printed version.

May I remind everyone that they are encouraged to distribute this document to anyone interested.

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Thanks and a good holiday season.

John Robinson

Editor B.a.c.l.

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