Southend Bach Choir

Presents

Summer Serenade

Choral Classics &

Richard Rodgers

with

Elizabeth Dunlop, Soprano

Saturday 14th July, 2018 7:30 pm

Trinity Methodist Church Westcliff-on-Sea



Programme



The Southend Bach Choir

Musical Director - Colin Edwards

The Southend Bach Choir is a very happy and friendly group of people singing a wide range of music. We meet for rehearsal every Tuesday evening in school term time at:

Blenheim Primary School Blenheim Chase, Leigh on Sea

Rehearsals commence at 7.30pm with a break for coffee and conversation and finish at 9.30pm. Each week we receive professional training from our Musical Director, learning new works and preparing for our performances.

THE SOUTHEND BACH CHOIR WELCOMES NEW MEMBERS

Singing in a Choir is a great hobby. It is not only very enjoyable, but you make new friends, and have the opportunity of learning to sing wonderful music not only in rehearsals but at regular Concerts which the public attend.

For further information please contact: Ian Alston (Chair) on 01702 589209 or visit our website: www.southendbachchoir.org.uk

Our Guest Soloist

Elizabeth Dunlop (*Soprano*) - began her vocal training with Margaret Cozens and went on to study Singing with Neil Mackie and Piano with Yonty Solomon at the Royal College of Music, where she was the recipient of both French and Italian languages prizes. In 1987 she was the winner of the Freda Parry Scholarship, which enabled her to study Bel Canto and Coloratura operatic repertoire with Italian Opera singer, Graziella Sciutti.

Elizabeth performs regularly as a concert soloist, as well as being one half of local soprano duo, 'The Two Elizabeths', with Elizabeth Upsher. A respected Singing and Piano teacher for over 28 years, she also teaches class music at Thorpedene Primary School. Elizabeth also enjoys conducting and has directed adult and children's choirs, delivered choral workshops and was for 8 years assistant MD and soloist for 'The Orpheus Singers' ladies' choir. More recently Elizabeth has been engaged as Musical Director for the Southend Operatic and Dramatic Society's productions at the Palace Theatre, Westcliff – 'Carousel' and 'Sweeney Todd' in 2015, 'Hello Dolly' in 2016 and in November 2017 'Singin' in the Rain'.

Elizabeth is delighted to be performing with the Southend Bach Choir this evening.

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Accompanist: Roger Humphrey

Choir

I was glad Parry
Cantique to Jean Racine Faure
Ave Maria Bach/Gounod

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Song to the Seals

Mon coeur s'ouvre a ta voix

En priere

Bantock

Saint-saens

Faure

Choir

Hear my prayer Mendelssohn Zadok the priest Handel

INTERVAL

Choir

I do like to be beside the seaside arr. Carter
Home sweet home arr. Chilcott
Two for the price of one arr. Carter
Name that tune lves
Tequila samba
Turner

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Elizabeth's Song Head It's a grand night for singing Rodgers If I loved you Rodgers And this is my beloved Wright/Forrest/Borodin

The Laughing Song

Choir: Richard Rodgers in concert

Sound of Music
The Surrey with the fringe on top
I whistle a happy tune
My funny valentine
Do-re-me
There is nothin' like a dame
June is bustin' out all over
Oklahoma

Please join the choir for light refreshments at the end of the concert.

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Mr J. Wall

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OUR NEXT CONCERT

Centenary Remembrance Concert Sunday 11th November 2018 at 4.00pm Cliffs Pavilion, Southend-on-Sea

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Southend's Homeless Charity Saturday, 22nd December 2018

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