

POSTAL BOOKING FORM

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DATE	NUMBER OF TICKETS			TOTAL TO PAY
	FULL PRICE	CONCESS.	SUPPER	
Fri 20 July Chiesa/ Baglini £15/£7.50				
Sat 21 July Hebrides £15/£7.50				
Sun 22 July Hebrides £15/£7.50				
Tues 24 July Young Artists £5/FOC				
Wed 25 July Young Artists £5/FOC				
Thur 26 July Canto Vivo £15/£7.50				
Fri 27 July Primrose Qt £15/£7.50				
Sat 28 July Primrose Trio £15/£7.50				
Sun 29 July Edinburgh Qt £15/£7.50				
TOTAL (cheque enclosed)				

Please return this form with your cheque (made payable to *Music at Paxton*) and enclosing a stamped, addressed, envelope, to: Music at Paxton, c/o The Lodge, 42 East High Street, Greenlaw TD10 6UF.

For credit/debit card bookings, telephone Paxton House on 01289 386291.

Tick here if you would like to join the *Music at Paxton* mailing list

HOW TO GET HERE



By road: Paxton House is signposted 3 miles from the A1 Berwick upon Tweed bypass on the B6461 and from A697 junction with B6461.

By rail: Berwick upon Tweed station on the East coast main line.

By bus: No 32 'Paxton House bus' from Berwick upon Tweed (daily except Sunday).

PLEASE NOTE

Seating is unreserved. Doors will be open from 7.00pm.

We regret that latecomers can only be admitted when there is a suitable break in the programme.

If you are a wheelchair user or require any special assistance, please let us know in advance and we shall make necessary arrangements.

MUSIC AT PAXTON

Music at Paxton is a company with charitable status, formed in 2006 to present high quality performances of music at Paxton House.

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PAXTON HOUSE

Built to the design of John Adam in 1758 by Patrick Home of Billie for his intended bride, Sophie de Brandt, Paxton House is one of the finest 18th century Palladian country houses in Britain, with the largest collection of Chippendale furniture in Scotland.

Our concerts will be presented in the elegant Picture Gallery, which houses paintings from the collection of the National Galleries of Scotland, including works by Raeburn, Wilkie and Lawrence.

Music
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summer festival of chamber music

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

Music at Paxton would like to thank the numerous individuals and organisations who have supported this festival, including:

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20-29 July 2007

(no performance on Monday 23 July)

The Picture Gallery,
Paxton House, Berwick upon Tweed

Design by Lucy Reid www.lucyreid.co.uk

Friday 20 July 7.30pm

Silvia Chiesa, cello Maurizio Baglini, piano

Beethoven: Sonata no.1 in F major Op.5
Brahms: Sonata no.1 in E minor Op.38
Schumann: Fantasiestücke Op.73
Azio Corghi: D'après cinq chansons d'élite
Debussy: 3 Images for solo piano



After a sensational sell-out concert at Paxton House last year, Maurizio Baglini returns with Silvia Chiesa, cellist with the renowned Trio Italiano and an exceptional player in her own right.



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Saturday 21 July 7.30pm

Hebrides Ensemble

Françaix A Huit
Schubert Octet

The acclaimed Hebrides Ensemble return to Paxton to perform Schubert's monumental Octet, which will be preceded by Jean Françaix's own short, effervescent work for the same forces. Last year's concert sold out, so book early to guarantee a seat.



Sunday 22 July 7.30pm

Hebrides Ensemble

Schubert Sonatina in D Op.137 for violin and piano
Fauré Elégie for cello and piano
Beethoven Piano trio in D major Op.70 no.1 'The Ghost'
Ravel Piano Trio in A minor

'The amazing Hebrides Ensemble.....' – The Herald

Tues 24 & Wed 25 July 7.30pm



Young Artists Platform Concerts

Crossing borders

Come and hear some of the finest young talent from Northumberland and the Scottish Borders.

In association with St Mary's Music School and the Sage, Gateshead, we shall be presenting some of the area's most able musicians. Come and enjoy listening to some of the professional musicians of the future!

Thursday 26 July 7.30pm

iCanto Vivo!

Clare Debono, soprano
Simon Thacker, guitar



Guitar and voice is one of the most intimate, sensuous and affecting combinations and iCanto Vivo! have been delighting audiences across Britain for over five years.

Their Paxton House programme will feature songs from the 16th to 20th centuries, including works by John Dowland, Fernando Sor, Heitor Villa-Lobos and Roberto Gerhard.

'Dazzling' – The List

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MUSIC AT PAXTON OUTREACH

This year, we will be extending the reach of *Music at Paxton* concerts to involve people who wouldn't otherwise be able to attend a performance.

Thanks to the sponsorship of **Traprain Consultants Ltd** and a special award from the Scottish Executive, iCanto Vivo! will be performing in care homes and residential centres north and south of the border on the days leading up to their concert at Paxton. These concerts are presented in association with **Live Music Now** as part of the **Making Music Live** initiative.

Friday 27 July 7.30pm

Primrose Piano Quartet

Bridge Phantasy Piano Quartet in F sharp
Maxwell Davies Piano Quartet (Scottish première)
Schubert String Trio movement in B flat
Fauré Piano Quartet in C minor

Violinist Susanne Stanzeleit, well-known to Paxton audiences, makes a welcome return with her piano quartet – with ex-Lindsays Robin Ireland and Bernard Gregor-Smith and pianist John Thwaites.



The quartet comes to Paxton direct from the Cheltenham Festival and the world première of Sir Peter Maxwell Davies' Piano Quartet, which they commissioned with funding from the Scottish Arts Council.

Saturday 28 July 7.30pm

Primrose Piano trio

Strauss Cello Sonata in F
Franck Violin Sonata in A
Schubert Piano Trio in B flat

Susanne, Bernard and John return to perform a scintillating programme, culminating in Schubert's magnificent piano trio in B flat.

'...selflessly beautiful playing...' – The Strad

Sunday 29 July 7.30pm

The Edinburgh Quartet

John Cushing, clarinet

Beethoven String Quartet in F Op.18 no.1
Ravel String Quartet in F
Brahms Clarinet Quintet in B minor Op.115



The concluding concert in this year's festival features Scotland's only full-time string quartet, who return to perform three masterpieces of the chamber music repertoire.

TICKETS

All concerts except 24 and 25 July:

Full price **£15** Concessions* **£7.50**

Young Artists Platform Concerts:

Full price **£5** Concessions **free of charge**

*Concessions are available to those under 18, full time students, registered unemployed and disabled persons.

HOW TO BOOK

Booking opens to the public on Tuesday 1 May 2007.

Priority booking for Friends of *Music at Paxton* from 2 April. For more information about becoming a Friend, telephone Muriel Woodward on 0191 386 1965 or email muriel.woodward@btinternet.com

By post: Please complete and return the booking form overleaf

By phone/in person: Bookings can also be made by credit/debit card and in person at Paxton House, Berwick upon Tweed. Telephone 01289 386291

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REFRESHMENTS

Full buffet suppers will once again be served from 6pm in the Hayloft prior to all concerts except the Young Artists



Platforms, when informal refreshments will be available. Supper tickets may be purchased using the form overleaf at a cost of **£13.50**. For menus, please contact Paxton House on 01289 386291.

Tickets for suppers must be purchased by Wednesday 18 July.

The Stables tearoom will be open all nights from 7pm and during concert intervals.

ACCOMMODATION

There are many excellent B&Bs close to Paxton House and in the Berwick area. For further information visit:

www.visitscotland.com or
www.northumberland.gov.uk