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CONCERT	TICKETS REQUIRED No/location Full/conc. Supper/picnic*			TOTAL
e.g. Hebrides Ensemble	2 – 84, 85 2 – 86, 87	full concession	2 2	£77
15 July – 7.30pm Hebrides Ensemble £20/£10				
16 July 5pm James Baillieu £25*/£10/£5				
16 July 7.30pm Heath Quartet £25*/£20/£10				
17 July 1pm Pavlo Beznosiuk £25*/£10/£5				
17 July 7.30pm Avison Ensemble £25*/£20/£10				
19 July 7.30pm Scottish Flute Trio £10/£5				
20 July 7.30pm Duende/Brown/Sherhan £10/£5				
21 July 7.30pm Ed Lyon/Christopher Glynn £16/£8				
22 July 7.30pm Frith Piano Quartet £20/£10				
23 July 5pm Joanna MacGregor lecture £25*/£10/£5				
23 July 7.30 pm Joanna MacGregor £25*/£20/£10				
24 July 3pm Pure Brass £5/FOC				
24 July 6pm Chiaroscuro Quartet £20/£10				

*Please note that pre-concert suppers/picnics must be booked by the preceding Wednesday.

Please return this form with your cheque (made payable to Hub Tickets) to: Hub Tickets, Castlehill, Royal Mile, Edinburgh EH1 2NE

Plus 60p postage

Sunday 24 July 3.00pm

Brass on the Grass

The irrepressible Pure Brass return by popular demand to present an outdoor family concert with audience participation. Bring a rug or a folding chair and the kids!



Tickets £5 (concessions FOC). A buffet-style High Tea will be served in the Hayloft Gallery from 4.30-6.00 at a cost of £12.00.

LIVE MUSIC NOW

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Sunday 24 July 6.00pm (please note earlier start)

Chiaroscuro Quartet

Mozart Adagio and Fugue

Mozart Quartet in C major, 'Dissonance' Schubert Quartet in A minor, 'Rosamunde'

With her own string quartet composed of outstanding musicians from France, Sweden and Spain, and using instruments and techniques of the period, the "new superstar" Alina Ibragimova makes a welcome return to us with two much loved quartets of Mozart and Schubert. A fitting conclusion to our festival.



Tickets £20 (concessions £10).

A buffet style High Tea will be served in the Hayloft Gallery from 4.30-6.00 at a cost of £12.00.

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REFRESHMENTS/BUFFET SUPPERS

Tickets for buffet, bistro and picnic suppers must be purchased in advance and by the preceding Wednesday. For menus, visit our website **www.musicatpaxton.co.uk**.

Interval drinks may be ordered in advance of the concert from the Stables Tearoom.

The Stables Tearoom will be open for refreshments from 6pm and during concert intervals and for light meals on 19, 20 and 21 July.

ACCOMMODATION

Why not make a weekend of it? For 5-star comfort in close proximity to Paxton House, we recommend **Kirkbank House**, who are offering a 10% reduction on their rates for our audiences? See **www.kirkbankhouse.co.uk** for full details.

Hurry, because accommodation is limited!

For other accommodation, visit www.visitscotland.com or www.visitnorthumberland.com

OUT AND ABOUT

Through our association with Live Music Now Scotland, concerts will be given in advance of the festival in residential homes, care centres and primary schools in the area by Duende, Jemma Brown, Maryam Sherhan and Pure Brass. For more information, contact Live Music Now on 0131 332 6356.

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

most significant collection of Chippendale furniture in Scotland.

Concerts are presented in the intimate surroundings of the Picture Gallery, which houses paintings from the National Galleries of Scotland, including works by Raeburn, Wilkie and Lawrence.

www.paxtonhouse.co.uk

PLEASE NOTE

Doors will be open 30 minutes before the start of each performance. We regret that latecomers can only be admitted when there is a suitable break in the programme.

Paxton House has fully disabled access, although assistance is required for wheelchair users to take advantage of the lifts. It is important, therefore, that wheelchair users let us know in advance and we will be pleased to make necessary arrangements.

FURTHER INFORMATION/CONTACT

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HOW TO GET HERE



By road

The entrance to Paxton House is on the B6461, opposite the junction with the B6460, adjacent to the village of Paxton in the Scottish Borders. Paxton House is signposted from the A1 Berwick-upon-Tweed bypass and the entrance is 3 miles along the B6461 on the left hand side of the road.

By rail

Berwick upon Tweed station is on the East coast main line, served by National Express and Cross Country trains. Paxton House is a 5-10 minute taxi journey from the station.

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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Summer festival of chamber music



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▲ **T**elcome to our sixth festival, an ever more ambitious mix of outstanding chamber music, from period instruments to Piazzolla. The programme, to be performed by a range of award-winning artists – some regulars and others appearing at the festival for the first time - includes our first new commission, from the internationally acclaimed Professor Nigel Osborne, and our first full length song recital from tenor Ed Lyon. There are also exciting developments on the catering front with Paxton House, in association with Millhouse Hospitality, this year offering a more varied choice in the popular pre-concert dining arrangements. Please book early for both suppers and concerts and do consider joining our growing body of Friends, whose support sustains the fabric of the festival.

Friday 15 July 7.30pm

Hebrides Ensemble

Schubert 'Arpeggione' sonata for cello and piano Ianáček 'Kreutzer Sonata' arranged for piano trio

Schubert Piano Trio in E flat

For our opening concert we welcome back the Hebrides Ensemble to perform Schubert's monumental E flat trio, coupled with a curiosity, the delightful sonata for a short-lived early 19th century instrument, the arpeggione.

Tickets £20 (concessions £10). Picnic suppers £18.50.

Saturday 16 July 5pm

lames Baillieu, piano

Piano Sonata in E flat Havdn Abegg Variations Schumann

Paganini Etudes, nos 2 and 4

Schumann/Liszt Widmung Schumann/Liszt Frühlingsnacht

Gottschalk Grand Scherzo Gottschalk Tournament Galon

Marking the Franz Liszt bicentenary, this South African born pianist who recently won the piano prize at the Das Leid competition in Berlin for the second time, presents a broad survey of romantic piano

music from Schumann/Liszt transcriptions to a pair of pieces by the ever-entertaining American pianist, Louis Gottschalk.

"In a class of his own" Daily Telegraph

Tickets £10 (concessions £5) – unreserved * Buffet suppers in Hayloft Gallery £18.50

Saturday 16 July 7.30pm

Heath Ouartet With James Baillieu, piano

Beethoven Rasumovsky Quartet, Op 59 no 1 Piano Ouintet



Brahms established his early reputation with the success of this piano quartet, a portrait of his stormy personality. It is performed by the outstanding young Heath Quartet, rapidly emerging as an exciting and original voice on the

international chamber music scene, coupled with one of the pillars of the string quartet repertoire.

Tickets £20 (concessions £10). Buffet suppers in Hayloft Gallery £18.50.

★Buy tickets for both Heath Quartet and James Baillieu for £25 and save £5.

Sunday 17 July 1pm

Pavlo Beznosiuk, violin

Von Westhoff Suite in A major Passacaglia I S Bach Sonata in C major



One of Europe's most respected Baroque violinists presents a programme focussing on the Austro-German school of unaccompanied violin music. He will perform music by two lesser-known composer/ violinists renowned in their day for

their virtuosity: Biber for his brilliant passagework and Westhoff for his development of the violin's polyphonic capabilities. The programme ends with Bach's monumental sonata in C major, a towering achievement of writing for solo violin and one of the most challenging works of the entire baroque repertoire.

Tickets £10 (concessions £5) – unreserved. *

Stables tearoom open for light meals and refreshments before and after the performance.

Sunday 17 July 3.00pm

'The 24'

Come along and listen to this progressive young vocal group from the University of York, recently returned from their second tour of China. The concert will be performed outdoors on the steps of Paxton House. Bring a rug or a folding chair!

Free of charge. Stables Tearoom open for light refreshments before and after the performance.

Sunday 17 July 7.30pm

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Corelli Trio sonatas

Avison Ensemble

Fuga e Ciaconna for archlute Romano Gabrielli Sonata in G major for violincello Pasquini Toccata in G minor for harpsichord

The Avison Ensemble is one of Britain's finest exponents of 18th century music on period instruments. A quintet, led by Pavlo Beznosiuk, presents a programme of chamber music from the opulent surroundings of Corelli's patron, Cardinal Ottoboni.

Tickets £20 (concessions £10). Bistro suppers £18.50.

★Buy tickets for both Avison Ensemble and Pavlo Beznosiuk for £25 and save £5.

Tuesday 19 July 7.30pm

Pre-concert talk with Nigel Osborne at 6.45pm

Scottish Flute Trio Sean Shibe, guitar

Edward McGuire Western Light loji Hirota Water V Histoire du Tango Astor Piazzolla Niael Osborne Flute Trio (première

Kenneth Demoster St Kilda's Parliament William Walton Bagatelles

Ian Clarke The Great Train Race Edward McGuire Scottish Dances

Well known for their groundbreaking work in championing new music, the dynamic Scottish Flute Trio are joined by the phemomenal young quitarist, Sean Shibe, in a carefully chosen programme, including the first performance of Nigel Osborne's new Flute Trio.

"The girls are back in town" Scotsman

Tickets £10 (concessions £5) – unreserved. Light meals/refreshments from 6pm in Stables café

*Commissioned by Music at Paxton with funds from Creative Scotland, the PRS for Music Foundation and the RVW Trust.

Young artists double bill Duende

Yvonne Paterson, flute Andrew Robinson, quitar

lemma Brown, soprano Maryam Sherhan, piano

Two talented duos present a varied programme including music by Villa Lobos and Astor Piazzola, alongside songs by Mahler, MacMillan and Ravel.

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Tickets £10 (concessions £5) - unreserved. Light meals/refreshments from 6pm in Stables cafe

Presented in association with Live Music Now Scotland

Thursday 21 July 7.30pm

Ed Lyon, tenor Christopher Glynn, piano

Coward's contemporaries

For our first full length song recital, we are delighted to welcome tenor Ed Lyon, well known for his work with Les Arts Florissants and recently returned from performing in My Fair Lady in Paris. He has chosen for Music at Paxton a selection of songs of the 1920s and 1930s of diverse styles, from the Austrian Korngold, the adventurous Britten and Poulenc and the entertaining Novello and Coward.

"Lvon looks set to become baroque music's new heartthrob" The Guardian

Tickets £16 (concessions £8). Light meals and refreshments from 6pm in Stables Tearoom.

Sponsored by Frank Hitchman.

Friday 22 July 7.30pm

Frith Piano Quartet

Piano Quartet

Schubert Adagio and Rondo Concertante Mahler Ouartet movement in A minor Quartet in E flat major Dvořák

Ben Frith, who delighted audiences last year with the Gould Piano Trio, returns with his quartet of spectacularly gifted

players. Major works of Mozart and Dvořák frame two lesser known but exquisitely beautiful, compositions by Schubert and Mahler.



Tickets £20 (concessions £10). Picnic suppers £18.50

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Saturday 23 July 5pm

Joanna MacGregor, lecture/recital

A unique opportunity to share Joanna MacGregor's insights into the music to be performed later in the day, with illustrations on the piano.

Tickets £10 (£5) – unreserved 🖈

Saturday 23 July 7.30pm

Joanna MacGregor, piano

French Suite no 5 in G major Bach

Barber Excursions Piazzolla Four Tangos

Pictures at an Exhibition

Mussorgsky's monumental, ground-breaking work Pictures at an Exhibition is preceded by lively rhythmical works of three different eras in this celebrity recital by one of the world's most wide-ranging and innovative musicians, the awardwinning Joanna MacGregor.

Tickets £20 (concessions £10). Buffet suppers in the Hayloft Gallery £18.50.

★Buy tickets for both concert and lecture/recital for £25 and save £5.

HOW TO BOOK



Booking opens to the public on Monday 25 April 2010 (Easter Monday) from **Hub Tickets**.

Book by telephone: 0131 473 2000 **Book online:** www.hubtickets.co.uk Book in person: Hub Tickets, Castlehill, Royal Mile, Edinburgh EH1 2NE (open Monday – Saturday 10am to 5pm)

Book by post: using the form overleaf

Priority booking is offered to Friends of Music at Paxton from Monday 11 April. You can still join the Friends and take advantage of early booking by contacting the Friends Secretary, Muriel Woodward on 0191 386 1965, by emailing muriel.woodward@btinternet.com, or simply by arranging this with Hub Tickets when you book.

Any unsold tickets will be available to purchase from the box office at Paxton House from one hour before the start of the concert.

CONCESSIONS

Concessions are available to those under 18 or in full time education, registered unemployed, disabled persons and their carers/escorts. We regret we are not able to offer concessions to senior citizens.

SEATING PLAN



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