



LeicesterSymphonyOrchestra

98th Concert Season

Conductor John Andrews



2019-2020

Welcome to the Leicester Symphony Orchestra 98th season in De Montfort Hall. We hope you will want to join us for all of our concerts and make use of our subscription series with significant reductions for booking all 3 DMH concerts. We have continued to offer family tickets for all DMH concerts this season.

Patrons and Friends of the LSO

The LSO would like to thank all our patrons and friends for their support over the past year. We hope that many more individuals and companies may be interested in joining them and supporting us this year.

For £160 per year Patrons have 2 tickets per concert and are able to purchase 10 other tickets at half price. Patrons will be listed on the website this year as well as in the programme. Companies that are patrons have used their ticket offer to entertain valued customers and staff, while also making a donation to the LSO. As we are a charity this can also help a company with its corporate social responsibility contributions. We are very interested in learning more from our patrons about how we, as an orchestra, can help raise the profile of local businesses.

Individuals and families can also help the orchestra by joining our Friends scheme. For an additional minimum donation of £15 (individual) or £20 (joint) per season in addition to any tickets purchased, friends are able to use the friends and patrons bar and are listed in the programme.

Patrons and friends can reserve their preferred seats a season in advance.

Many people have also helped in other ways by supporting us as volunteers with front of house, joining us on tours, and sponsoring specific elements of a programme such as paying for a soloist or a specific instrument or music hire. We have also helped them by playing pieces they have composed, inviting them to listen to rehearsals and even have a go at conducting.

If you are interested in supporting the LSO in any way, or think that we could support you, by playing your favourite work or honouring a special event or person, do please contact us through the website or speak to players at a concert.

If you would like to discuss becoming a patron with the LSO please contact Sue Witts on 07858 090797. If you would like to become a friend of the LSO please contact Sue Mee on 01509 569273.



Sunday 22 September 2019

3.00pm • De Montfort Hall

Conductor John Andrews

Soloists Emily Sloan and Andrew Rawlings

POPULAR CLASSICS

Including: Barber - Adagio for strings, Grieg - Peer Gynt, Sibelius - Finlandia, Elgar - Nimrod, Faure - Pavane, Copland - Fanfare for the Common Man, popular arias for soprano and tenor.

Plus:

Leicester's local band Mia and the Moon – Midnight in London

Free Pre-concert talk at 2.00pm with Mia and the Moon.

Afternoon tea available at 1.30pm – book directly with DMH.

Sunday 23 February 2020

3.00pm • De Montfort Hall

RAINER HERSCH MEETS THE LSO

Expect the 1812 Overture, Bizet Carmen Overture, Ravel Bolero plus more fun and tricks than a conductor can wave a stick at.

"All Classical Music Explained will teach you nothing but I will make you laugh. Really laugh."

In association with the Leicester Comedy Festival.

Afternoon tea available at 2.00pm –
book directly with DMH.





Sunday 7 June 2020

3.00pm • De Montfort Hall

SUMMER ROMANTICS

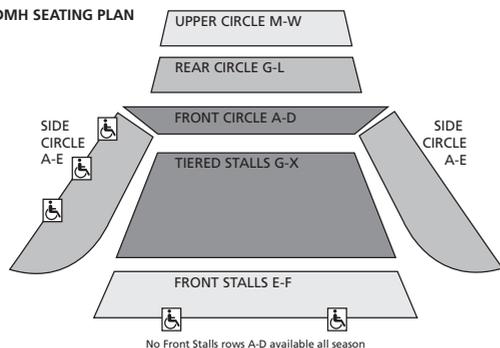
Conductor	John Andrews
Soloist	Fenella Humphries
Nielsen	Helios Overture
Sibelius	Violin concerto
Brahms	2nd Symphony

Free Pre-concert talk at 2.00 with the soloist.

Afternoon tea available at 1.30 – book directly with DMH.

De Montfort Hall Concert Tickets

DMH SEATING PLAN



Ticket Prices

■ Tiered Stalls	£19 PER CONCERT
	£50 SUBSCRIPTION SERIES
■ Rear & Side Circle	£15 PER CONCERT
	£38 SUBSCRIPTION SERIES
■ Upper Circle & Front Stalls	£15 PER CONCERT
	£38 SUBSCRIPTION SERIES

Subscription series

'Support the LSO, enjoy all the concerts and save money!'

If you book a subscription series of tickets for all 3 of the LSO De Montfort Hall season concerts you can save money whilst supporting us with your regular attendance. We love playing to a full hall and regular supporters really help build our audience.

Concessions

STUDENTS AND UNDER 25s: £5.

GROUP BOOKINGS: 1 free place for every 10 tickets booked.

FAMILY TICKETS: 2 adults and up to 3 children £35 rear and side circle.

DISABLED: 2 for 1 – please advise DMH Box Office of any individual requirements including parking.

PENSION CREDIT/UNIVERSAL CREDIT:

a number of tickets are available for people in receipt of these benefits. Please contact the LSO ticket secretary or purchase your tickets through a member of the orchestra.

Access information

If you or a member of your party uses a wheelchair, a hearing aid with a T-switch or has other specific access requirements you should contact De Montfort Hall to make specific arrangements. Free accessible parking is available to blue badge holders, but spaces are limited and should be booked in advance through De Montfort Hall.

Tickets are available from:

Leicester Symphony Orchestra website

www.leicestersymphonyorchestra.co.uk

or from De Montfort Hall Box Office by telephone **0116 233 3111**.

www.demontforthall.co.uk

A £2.00 reduction on individual full price tickets purchased through the LSO website or our ticket secretary.

Cheques payable to:

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Please include a stamped addressed envelope with your order if you would like the tickets posted in advance. Tickets may also be collected from the LSO programme table on the night of the concert.

Send orders to the Leicester Symphony Orchestra Ticket Secretary, Sue Mee, email tickets@leicesterso.co.uk or tel **01509 569273**. Post orders to LSO ticket secretary, 19 Cotswold Close Loughborough Leicester LE11 3AN.

Please allow 14 days for all applications.



Patrons enjoy meeting our soloists, special guests and Conductor John Andrews.

Advertising

Advertising in our programme also supports the orchestra. If you want to promote your business to our audience and players please consider placing an advertisement in our programme.

If you would like to discuss advertising with the LSO please contact Sue Witts on 07858 090797.

On our website you will find concert information and the opportunity to purchase tickets directly from us with a special LSO saving of £2.00 on individual tickets, plus upto date news, future plans and our history.

www.leicestersymphonyorchestra.co.uk

Saturday 14 December 2019

7.30pm • Leicester Cathedral

CHRISTMAS CONCERT WITH CHORISTERS AND AUDIENCE CAROLS

Whibley 'Christmas Overture'
Matthew Curtis 'Christmas Rush'
Leroy Anderson 'Sleigh Ride'
Hely-Hutchinson 'A Carol Symphony'
(3 movements, each based on a well
known carol), Delius 'Sleigh Ride',
Audience carols and cathedral
choristers.



Tickets

Seats unreserved **£12.00** available from LSO email tickets@leicesterso.co.uk
or from Leicester Cathedral.

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