LEICESTERSHIRE AUGUST Control Contro



Tuesday 23rd – Thursday 25th April 2024 De Montfort Hall, Leicester

Programme

Welcome!

Thank you for joining us for our Leics Make Music Festival, celebrating the music making of students from Leicester and Leicestershire.

The young people you will see and hear performing across all three days of our Festival have worked incredibly hard, and we're so proud to be able to showcase such talent and to help them on their musical journey. A huge thank you to Parent / Carers, Schools, Staff and Music Educators for all the support and encouragement you give young people.

We know the young people involved in these performances, our groups and those of our partner groups get so much out of taking part - from improving their playing and singing, to making lasting friendships, to taking part in performances and events which will stay with them forever.

Beginner Groups – from Leicestershire Music and our Partner Groups

If you know of any young people who would like to begin learning an instrument or begin singing in a choir, we have a range of groups for beginners or those who have only been playing a short while. More information can be found here.

Music Groups

If you know of any young people who have experience of playing or singing, we have a range of more advanced groups to help them continue their musical journeys. More information can be found here.

Instrument Hire

Leicestershire Music has a wide range of instruments available for hire at great prices Please visit our website for details.

Help with Costs

We are keen for music making to be available to all. FREE Group Membership and Instrument Hire are available for those meeting the required criteria – please visit our website to find out how we can help.

Keep in Touch!

Why not keep in touch and up to date with the latest news and music making opportunities from **Leicester**shire Music and our Partner Groups?











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With thanks to students from Leicester College for singing as our pre-show entertainment

Leics Make Music Festival 1 Tuesday 23rd April 2024

Leicestershire Music Big Band

Conducted by Garry Sleath

Let the Good Times Roll

Sam Theard arr. Mark Taylor

Trumpet - Anya Lakhani, Guitar - Finlay Friedersdorff,

Alto Sax - Oliver Horn, Tenor Sax - Alex Higginbottom

Front Burner Sammy Nestico

Alto Sax - Leah Tully, Tenor Sax - Alex Higginbottom

Fields of Gold Sting arr. Mike Tomaro Trombone - Lucas Ayres, Piano - Fletcher Markham

The Incredibles Michael Giacchino arr. Stephen Bulla

Hajimari - Bullfrog Festival Taiko

Ao Ao Yoshie Abe, Kodo

Breathe Lucy Thomas, Kagemusha Taiko

Hajimari is made up of young people from schools across the county who have taken part in the city-wide Bullfrog Taiko Project. Hajimari is a Japanese word meaning beginnings, and these young people have progressed from their school projects to begin a new journey as part of a performance taiko group that has played all over the country. They are excited to be performing two new pieces this evening, one from Japan and the other ... from Cornwall! Can you tell which is which?

Leicestershire Music Concert Band

Conducted by Sam Goldsworthy

Olympic Spirit John Williams arr. J. Curnow

Oblivion Piazzolla arr. S. Beddard Soprano Saxophone - Sam Beddard

Street Tango Piazzolla arr. S. Goldsworthy

Massed Wind Band

Conducted by Tony Rifugiato

English Folk Song Suite Ralph Vaughan Williams

March - Seventeen Come Sunday Intermezzo - My Bonny Boy March - Folk Songs from Somerset

Interval

Leicestershire Schools Symphony Orchestra - String Ensemble

Conducted by Mike Shaw

Palladio for String Orchestra Karl Jenkins

Primary Schools Massed Choir

Conducted by Nicki Atkins & Emma Burns

We Know the Way Opetaia Foa'l & Lin Manuel Miranda arr. Roger Emerson

accompaniment from Bullfrog Taiko

Beyond the Sea Albert Lasry & Charles Trenet arr. John Higgins & Audrey Snyder

English Lyrics Jack Lawrence

The Lighthouse Andy Beck

Leicestershire Schools Symphony Orchestra

Conducted by Mike Shaw

Partition Ayesha Pocock

Polovtsian Dances from Prince Igor Borodin

Primary Schools Massed Choir

Let the River Run Carly Simon arr. Mac Huff

All is Found Kristen Anderson Lopez & Robert Lopez arr. Mark Brymer

Under The Sea Lyrics - Howard Ashman, Music - Alan Menken arr. Alan Billingsley

Leicestershire Schools Symphony Orchestra

Conducted by Mike Shaw

The Great Locomotive Chase R. Smith

Leicestershire Music Big Band

Leah Tully	Alto Sax	Fletcher Markham	Keyboard	Joseph Hames	Trombone
Oliver Horn	Alto Sax	Alfie Hawkes	Perc/Drums	Lucas Ayre	Trombone
Mia Stone	Baritone Sax	Alex Higginbottom	Tenor Sax	Anya Lakhani	Trumpet
Edie Bott	Bass Guitar	Dolores Pye	Trombone	Edward Wakefield	Trumpet
Finlay Friedersdorff	Guitar	Zach Matthews-Smith	Tenor Sax	Otis Jenkinson	Trumpet

Primary Schools Massed Choir

Featuring singers from Ashby Willesby Primary School, Broomleys School, Inglehurst Junior School & Martinshaw Primary School

Leicestershire Music Concert Band

Reed Panesar	Alto Sax	Alfie Hawkes	Flute	Amelia McMillan	French Horn
Seb Mitchell	Alto Sax	Amber Waddington	Flute	Evie Klein	Oboe
Georgina Goldsworthy	Bari Sax / Flute	Charlotte Piggin	Flute	Grace Davis	Oboe
Adela Turlington	Bassoon	Edith Hewins	Flute	Nesimba Mautsi	Oboe
Fleur Moult	Bassoon	Elizabeth Brown	Flute	Oliver Taplin	Percussion
Kudzai Mautsi	Bassoon	Eva Chauhan	Flute	Ross Dimelow	Percussion
Olin Aguillion	Bassoon	Georgia Harris-Marsh	Flute	Samuel Beddard	Saxophones
Joseph Wadkin	Clarinet	Hope Richmond	Flute	Bethany Share	Trombone
Merrin Rogers	Clarinet	Isla Mackay	Flute	Dolores Pye	Trombone
Nuala Rogers	Clarinet	Kirsten Ulph	Flute	Ben Armitage	Trumpet
Oliver Horn	Clarinet	Lilly Holt	Flute	Daniel Pallett	Trumpet
Finlay Arscott	Euphonium	Rithik Patel	Flute	Julia El Arfaoui	Trumpet
Adam Palha	Flute	Rosie Mather	Flute	Zachary Jones	Trumpet

Leicestershire Schools Symphony Orchestra

Ella Varley Leah Tully	Bassoon Bassoon	Annabel Hames Nadia Gauhar	Oboe Oboe	Eve Thomas Gabriella Nemaura	Violin Violin
Mia Stone	Bassoon	Fletcher Markham	Percussion	Hannah Smith	Violin
Alethea Carruthers	Cello	Lily Maynard Smith		Holly Blunt	Violin
Beatrice Sharman	Cello	Rishan Raja	Percussion	Isabella Eastwood-	
Chloe Preston	Cello	Joseph Hames	Trombone	Paramore	Violin
Dorothy Francis	Cello	Lucas Ayre	Trombone	Isabelle Till	Violin
Ellie-Mae Share	Cello	Anya Lakhani	Trumpet	Isabelle Vaughan	Violin
Jacob Le Page	Cello	Ellie Moss	Trumpet	Jessica Wragg	Violin
Jaya Lakhani	Cello	Caleb Barford	Tuba	Joel Moulder	Violin
Pol Macip-Porter	Cello	Amy Tang	Violin	Lauren Price	Violin
Rebecca Davey	Cello	Ananya Dhinesh	Violin	Laurence Norton	Violin
Sabrina Benbow	Cello	Anay Gosai	Violin	Lily Barnett	Violin
Siyana Kotecha	Cello	Anesh Patel	Violin	Livia Bloxham	Violin
George Thomson	Clarinet	Anjalee Patel	Violin	Niamh Karim	Violin
Holly Ingrams	Clarinet	Ayesha Pocock	Violin	Nina Szajna	Violin
Oliver Yarwood	Clarinet	Bertie Duffin	Violin	Rosalind Hynes Bird	Violin
Yanee Tong	Clarinet	Charlotte Brooks	Violin	Saheli De Costa	Violin
Jack Francis	Flute	Charlotte Mackley		Sam Nutter	Violin
Shivam Champaneri		Davide Sokunbi	Violin	Vivek Patel	Violin
Florence Hynes Bird	French Horn		Violin	Willow Shan	Violin
Agnieszka Cygan	Oboe	Erin Mills	Violin	Ya Han Yang	Violin
				Zack Fray	Violin
				Anna Gaul	Violin &
					Trumpet

Acknowledgements

Tuesday Evening Band: Fletcher Markham – *Piano*, Danny Willson – *Bass*, Matt Newnham – *Drums*

With thanks to the following people for their weekly support at rehearsals and for performing tonight; John Ayre (Viola), Catherine Le Page (Viola), Rachel Thomas (French Horn) & Frances Hynes-Bird (Flute).

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Leics Make Music Festival 2 Wednesday 24th April 2024

Pre-show entertainment from the Spoken Word, Singing & Songwriting group at EAVA FM

Leicestershire Music Junior Steel Pan Ensemble

Directed by Pat Munroe

Watermelon Sugar arr. Pat Munroe

Sugar Bum Bum arr. Pat Munroe

Neer's Tabla Ensemble

Directed by Bhindarjit Neer (Bilu)

Kherwa Taal (8 beats) Bhindarjit Neer

Church Langton Primary School Clash Taiko Group

Dagenham Fish Clash Taiko

Taiko Group

Sitting by the Lake arr. Alan Kirkland

Leicestershire Music Strictly Strings

Conducted by Sam Giles

Saturn Joëlle Broad

The Red Spot (Jupiter) Joëlle Broad

Music from The AvengersAlan Silvestri arr. Larry Moore

Leicestershire Music Jam Band

Conducted by Joe Millson

Seven Nation Army Jack White

Leicestershire Music Junior Concert Band

Conducted by Jo Conquest

Swing Low Sweet Chariot Trad. arr. Thomas Wyss

Hey Jude Lennon / McCartney arr. Thomas Wyss

featuring James Armitage & Nathan Durnin

Delilah Les Reed & Barry Mason arr. Alan Fernie

Interval

Leicestershire Music Senior Steel Pan Ensemble

Directed by Pat Munroe

Uptown Top Ranking & I'm Still in Love Medley My Cherie Amour

Leics Create: Leicester Leaps Out

In Partnership with Sinfonia Viva and Orchestras Live

Leics Create is a creative programme which enables young people at the very start of their musical journey to create music, and to perform together as part of a large ensemble. This year we will premiere the third **Leics Create** piece, **Leicester Leaps Out**, which has been co-composed by Pete Letanka, and young people from across Leicester and Leicestershire. The piece takes its inspiration from the jazz standard *Lester Leaps In*, famously performed by Lester Young and the Count Basie Orchestra, and our version focusses on celebrating Leicester.

Young musicians have been working with their **Leicester**shire Music leaders over recent months in preparation for the concert this evening. The group includes young musicians from:

Ashmount School, Birch Wood School, **Leicester**shire Music Jam Band, **Leicester**shire Music Junior Concert Band, Langmoor Primary School, Thistly Meadow Primary School, St Peter's CE Primary Academy, **Leicester**shire Music Strictly Strings.

The young musicians you will see on stage, have created some of the music themselves, inspired by Leicester. You will see the words that have inspired the rhythms and melodies they will play on the screens. The young people are supported by musicians from **Leicester**shire Music, Blues and Roots Ensemble and Sinfonia Viva during the performance.

Leicester Leaps Out includes several sections; a song which was co-created by Pete Letanka and the Jam Band; instrumental riffs which the students have learned to play and a creative section where each group has made their own rhythms and melodies. The song lyrics are:

Leicester Leaps Out

We've gotta let people hear the music

We've gotta get everyone together!

You know it's time to shine!

Come on it's party time!

You see everyone around you smiling, There's something in the air.

And now is the time when Leicester leaps out! We've got so much to share.

Because everytime we sing, You feel it in your soul, And we can do anything, 'cos now we're really on a roll!

We've gotta let people hear the music You know it's time to shine! We've gotta get everyone together! Come on it's party time!

We are very excited to share this brilliant new piece with you and hope you will go home singing the tune!

Leics Create is co-produced by Sinfonia Viva, Orchestras Live and **Leicester**shire Music.

https://www.bluesandrootsensemble.com/ https://www.sinfoniaviva.co.uk/ https://www.orchestraslive.org.uk/

With thanks to the following people for their support at rehearsals Sophie Gray, Joe Millson, Sam Giles, Jo Conquest & Elizabeth Ogunde.

Leicestershire Music Junior Steel Pan Ensemble

Aniah Cross Elyse Clarke Keira Munroe Nia David Arley Cheung Ivor Goldie Lachlan Goldie Poppy Golding Aubrey Thomas Precious Munroe Jet Billing Lyla Swarbrick Kailon Galloway Ava Enawalla Maahi Gosal Remae King **Daniel Francis Rivelle Roberts** Kasey Lai Malachi Cazley Maneet Gosal Zachariah Clarke

Neer's Tabla Ensemble

Japnaam Singh Khalsa Niyam Pancholi Shivam Solanki Mayur Sharma Sahib Singh-Bring Shyam Solanki

Thanks to members of Church Langton Primary School Taiko & Clash Taiko Groups

Leicestershire Music Strictly Strings

Abigail Lo	Cello	Ariela Carruthers	Violin	Jessica Ayo-Bello	Violin
Edith Hallam-Jones	Cello	Celio Carreiro-Lee	Violin	Kanaeva Soetanto	Violin
Daniel Billings	Double Bass	Ewan Carruthers	Violin	Sianna Patel	Violin
Edison Mitchell	Double Bass	Imogen Jolliffe	Violin	Sophie Holt	Violin
Daniel Macdonald	Viola	Isabelle Ayo-Bello	Violin	Thea Addison-Smith	Violin

Leicestershire Music Junior Concert Band

Clara Brewster	Flute	Joshua Borman	Clarinet	Nathan Durnin	Tenor Horn
Dayani Tailor	Clarinet	Jude Semeraro	Percussion	Rayshali Tailor	Tenor Horn
Eliza Taplin	Flute	Lucy Chadwick	Clarinet	Sam Gaul	Flute
Emelia Bailey	Clarinet	Luke Dixon	Percussion	Toby Suart	Clarinet
Freya Swales	Bassoon	Luke Garland	Clarinet	Dayani Tailor	Clarinet
Imogen Woods	Clarinet	Marcelina Kosiewicz	Flute	Jeffery Ayo-Bello	Alto Sax
Jake Kelly	Flute	Matilda Semeraro	Cornet	Julian Nierzwicki	Alto Sax
James Armitage	F. Horn	Mattie Borman	Clarinet	Rayshali Tailor	Tenor Horn
Jonah Walsh	Euphonium	Medea Bloxham	Clarinet		

Leicestershire Music Senior Steel Pan Ensemble

Aleena-Zia George	Hannah Nyoni	Matthew Hoult	Setira Cross
Amara Palmer	Isabella Large	Max Dalzell	Shecaniah Anguah
Amelia Andrearczyk	Jasmine Cruz	Mia Newcombe	Sofia Kerr
Anaya Niven	Jazzmine (Jazz) Reilly	Nasir George	Teyona Galloway
Beatriz Ribeiro	Kyson Cheung	Paris-Lee Walbrook	Tierell Munroe
Breyona Edwards	Laura Stenton	Ravin Wijesekera	Trevon Ferguson
Emily Harris	Logan Ramsay	Rowan Reilly-Munroe	Victoria Aghauche
		Sapphire Thomas	Zahraya Queensborough

Leics Create

Pupils from Langmoor Primary School & Birch Wood School

Ashmount School

Charlie	Darsh	Evan	Harry	Jordan	Pereye	Summer
Clarity	Dylan	Harley	Jessica	Luis	Sonny	

Leicestershire Music Jam Band

Jeffrey Ayo-Bello	Alto Sax	Jonah Walsh	Baritone	Koby Creighton	Guitar
Julian Nierzwicki-Sharma	Alto Sax	Dayani Tailor	Clarinet	Rayshali Tailor	Tenor Horn
Lauren Mutton	Alto Sax	Mikayla Nemaura	Clarinet	Billy Hincks	Trombone
Alarna Munroe	Baritone	Orla Caldwell-Giles	Clarinet	Daniel Suart	Trumpet
James Hunt	Baritone	Kuba Martin	Flute		

Thistly Meadow Primary School

Adam Page	Darragh Campbell-Follett	Hafsa Bektur	Niall Barrs
Aleeah Dennis	Dhria Jani	Jaydn Regiharan	Oliver Findley
Alfie Griffiths	Elijah Graham	Lilly Keogh	Oliver Martin
Amber Wilson	Elsie Brookes	Lorenzo Battista	Olivia Treasurer
Anabia Cheema	Ethan Brewin	Lorenzo Rowe	Phoebe Walsh
Armands Leisups	Evie Busby	Madison McColgan	Skye Tobin
Ben Embleton-Hall	Gabi Grisulis	Maisie Carolan	Sophia Andreou
Bradley Fisher	Haariz Khan	Max Crane	Sophia Brighty
		Maya Townsend	Summer Stilling

St Peters CE Primary Academy, Market Bosworth

Abigail Ingram	Darcie Wasteney	Levi Wilder	Mia Dolgy
Ashleigh Mitchell	Ethan Woodcock	Lilly Wilder	Noah Aukland
Casey Montgomery	George Henstock	Lilly Wright	Olivia Crookes
Charlie Murby	George Thompson	Louie Linstead	Phoebe Light
Chloe Scott	Henry Jeffers	Matthew Henshaw-Cox	Sophie Wiggins
			Thomas McGuinness

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Leics Sing! Choral Spectacular Thursday 25th April 2024

Primary Schools Massed Choir

Conducted by Nicki Atkins & Emma Burns

We Know the Way Opetaia Foa'l & Lin Manuel Miranda arr. Roger Emerson Beyond the Sea Albert Lasry & Charles Trenet arr. John Higgins & Audrey Snyder English Lyrics - Jack Lawrence

The Lighthouse Andy Beck

The Special Schools Choir

Where the River Flows

Wonder

Featuring pupils from Dorothy Goodman School & Ashmount School

Junior Choir

Lightning Greg Gilpin

The Beautiful Rain Janet Gardner

Here Comes the Sun Harrison arr. Pod & Pod

Teachers Choir

Wellerman trad. arr. Jake Alexander

The River of Dreams Billy Joel arr. Roger Emerson

Primary Schools Massed Choir

Let the River Run Carly Simon arr. Mac Huff

All Is Found Kristen Anderson Lopez & Robert Lopez arr. Mark Brymer

Under The Sea Lyrics - Howard Ashman, Music - Alan Menken arr. Alan Billingsley

Interval

Show Choir

Opening Up Sarah Bareilles

Secondary Schools Massed Choir

Conducted by Andy Maycock

42nd **Street** Warren & Dubin arr. Larry Shackley

He Lives in You Mancina, Rifkin, Lebo M arr. Brymer

Show Choir

Try to Remember Schmidt & Jones arr. Althouse

Teacher's Choir

Les Misérables Choral Selection Schönberg arr. Roger Emerson

Secondary Schools Massed Choir

Found / Tonight Lin Manuel Miranda, Paul & Pasek arr. Narverud

Sit Down You're Rocking the Boat Frank Loesser arr. Brymer

The School Song from Matilda Tim Minchin

Finale

Walking on Sunshine Kimberley Rew

Junior Choir

Ada-Grace Byers Isabelle Lubkowski Amara Sanghera Amelia Chmiel Charlotte Lubkowski Hema Karia Immini Solanki

Jade Riley Julian Nierzwicki-Sharma Rosie Hayward Lara Thompson-Crisp Lexie Burne Lotus Rajan-Routen

Melissa Okhravi Olivia Butterworth Sam Lear Savannah Wright Shaaya Thakor

Shai Thakor Sierra Singh Sophia Overton Tabitha Goodall Wiktoria lalewska

Show Choir

Aidan Smith Alivia Burrows Anna Wallace Annabelle Hughes Chloe Smith

Emilia Vernon Emma Law Gemma Pullen Harriet Pearce Jaya Lakhani

Lily Vasey Louisa Childs Maddox McNicholl Pearl Pampoulos Phoebe Barnes

Renee Busby Rosie Kakar Scarlett Walton Sukie Macmillan Summer Vasey

Tyler-Beth McKenna-Smith

Primary Schools Massed Choir

Featuring singers from Coleman Primary School, Desford Community Primary School, Greystoke Primary School, Hallam Fields Primary School, Hazel Community Primary School, Manorfield CofE Primary School, Newbold CofE Primary School, Newtown Linford Primary School, Sparkenhoe Community Primary School & Wyvern Primary School

Secondary Schools Massed Choir

Featuring singers from John Ferneley College, Brockington College, Limehurst Academy, Saint Martins Catholic Voluntary Academy, Manor High School, The Cedars Academy, Humphrey Perkins School, Tudor Grange Samworth Academy, Castle Mead Academy& Brook Mead Academy.

Compere

Tim Clay

Our Musical Directors

Graham Vick Nicki Atkins Gemma Huxley Andy Maycock Emma Burns Simon Lubkowski Gregory Smith Anna Wolloff

Choreographer

Sarah Barton-Wales

The Leicestershire Music Band

Derek Lau Piano Robin Grace Bass Andy Wales Guitar Matt Newnham **Drums**