



**Lifeboats**

The  
Guildford RNLI  
and the  
Vivace Chorus  
present



# A Gala Concert

**7:30 pm Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> October 2012**  
**Holy Trinity Church, Guildford**

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# Courage is timeless

## ...THOSE IN PERIL ON THE SEA

Nine years after the Battle of Waterloo in 1815 one visionary man, Sir William Hillary, founded a charity dedicated to 'the Preservation of Life from Shipwreck'. From that small seed grew the Royal National Lifeboat Institution - the RNLI - which today operates over 400 high-powered t craft from more than 230 Lifeboat stations.



# A Gala Concert

Following the success of our first Gala Concert last year, the liaison between the Vivace Chorus and the RNLI has resulted in this second exciting musical occasion with the focus of providing much needed support to our Lifeboat service.



As you will see, we have a wide choice of music and a diverse range of instrumentalists.

We hope that you enjoy the programme.

There will a retiring collection  
on behalf of the RNLI  
at the end of the concert

If you would like to help the RNLI, please go to our web site at [www.guildfordrnli.org.uk](http://www.guildfordrnli.org.uk) or telephone 01483 825949 for more details.



The RNLi is totally independent and solely funded by voluntary contributions. It provides four main services:-

- \* A 24/7 Lifeboat rescue service from 235 lifeboat stations with 4,500 crew members
- \* A Lifeguard service on 152 beaches around the coast and growing
- \* The RNLi Flood Rescue Team is a specially trained group with worldwide capability
- \* The RNLi provides a prevention and education service with volunteers giving talks in schools and to the Marine Leisure community

**97% of the RNLi are volunteers !**

**Our collections & events :-**

Flag Day in Guildford with much help from the Guildford British Sub-Aqua Club



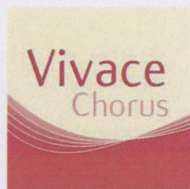


The Summer lunch  
at Lukyns

Our souvenir sales desk



A serious  
moment during  
our Bridge tea



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## PROGRAMME

Vivace Chorus

*F Haydn*

Insanae et vanae curae

*J Brahms*

Geistliches Lied

Fortuna Wind Trio

*G Handel*

The Arrival of the Queen of Sheba

*L van Beethoven*

Variations on a Theme '*La ci darem la meno*'

North Sea String Quartet

*A Borodin*

Nocturne

Wind & String ensemble

*J Strauss*

Kaiserwalzer

Vivace Chorus

*S Rachmaninov*

Bogoroditse Dievo (Ave Maria)

*C Franck*

Panis angelicus

## INTERVAL

Glass of wine & nibbles

RGS Big Band

*arr J Bocock*

Mambo No. 5

*arr T Ricketts*

Selections from *All shook up*

*C Porter arr P Jennings*

*Anything goes*

*J Zawinul arr L Norred*

*Birdland*

*arr P Jennings*

Rock and Roll Hall of Fame

David Coram

*D Briggs*

'Variation on Greensleeves'

Vivace Chorus

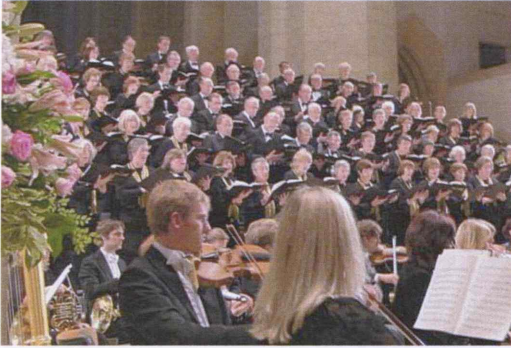
*G Fauré*

Cantique de Jean Racine

*C Parry*

I was Glad

Apart from Holy Trinity Church and the Royal Albert Hall, the choir has performed at Leeds Castle, Notre Dame de Paris, the Barbican, Fairfield Hall and St Martin-in-the-Fields.



We are always on the lookout for new members; so if you enjoy beautiful choral music and want to have fun singing, please contact Jane at [membership@vivacechorus.org](mailto:membership@vivacechorus.org) to find out how you can be a part of our exciting future. Rehearsals take place in this church on Monday evenings.

Find out more from our web site: [vivacechorus.org](http://vivacechorus.org) or follow us on Facebook or Twitter.

## David Coram

Organist and accompanist

In addition to concerts in France, Spain, Germany and the USA, the 2011-2012 season saw David embark on a cathedral concert tour to promote his new CD of *Peter and the Wolf* and *Carnival of the Animals*, which features Richard Briers as narrator and pianist David Owen Norris.

The tour incorporates an educational programme, for which David is currently building an interactive organ with organ building colleague Stephen Cooke. He is Director of Music at Hammersmith Parish Church.

## RGS Big Band

The Big Band of the Royal Grammar School comprises around 50 of the most able woodwind and brass players across the school and specialises in the performance of mostly light music. It rehearses every week and gives regular concerts throughout the academic year. The Big Band has often toured abroad and has visited countries including Spain and Italy.

## **The Fortuna Trio**

**Jane Dixon-Wayne *flute*    Vicky Wright *clarinet***

**Elizabeth Trigg *bassoon***

Elizabeth, Vicky and Jane are all graduates of the Royal Academy of Music and enjoy active and varied freelance careers. Collective orchestral experience includes London Symphony, London Philharmonic, Royal Philharmonic and Royal Opera House orchestras as well as supporting artists including Elton John, Julie Andrews and Squeeze. They are also involved in a variety of chamber ensembles that have performed for BBC broadcasting and in numerous international festivals.

The Fortuna Trio have an extensive repertoire and have appeared in recitals around the UK as well as at corporate and social functions. Recent clients have included Downing Street, Royal Shakespeare Company, The Royal Parks, House of Commons, UCL, ITN, Sainsbury's and Home House.

The trio belongs to the Music in Hospitals scheme with whom they regularly give workshops and recitals to audiences of all ages. The Fortuna Trio are also delighted to work with Wigmore Learning as part of Chamber Tots.

[www.thefortunatrio.com](http://www.thefortunatrio.com)

## The North Sea String Quartet

The North Sea String Quartet was founded in 2008 at the Royal College of Music. They have performed at venues in London and around England including Cadogan Hall, the Lake District Summer Music Festival and chamber music festivals at the Royal College of Music. The North Sea String Quartet has performed in masterclasses with members of the Chilingirian Quartet, Quator Ebene and the Endellion Quartet, to name but a few. When not performing as a quartet, the players all have freelance orchestral careers, and have individually performed with orchestras including the Royal Philharmonic Orchestra, Royal Liverpool Philharmonic Orchestra, Northern Sinfonia, and City of Birmingham Symphony Orchestra.



The Quay at RNLI Headquarters, Poole



# Lifeboats

## 'They are the bravest people I know.'

Hilary Fletcher, RNLI Volunteer, Guildford

Hilary volunteers for the RNLI. She helps raise funds in her local area in memory of her husband. Whenever he went out to sea, Hilary was comforted to know that if he got into trouble, someone was there. The funds she raises make sure our crews can keep being there.



You don't have to set foot in a boat to help save lives at sea with the RNLI. Wherever you live, whatever your skills, whatever your age, the RNLI volunteer family is waiting to welcome you.

**Please will you volunteer with us?**

95% of our people are volunteers – there's an opportunity waiting for you now.

[RNLI.org/volunteersurrey](http://RNLI.org/volunteersurrey)  
or call 0300 300 9903

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