



Mid Argyll Arts Association
40th Concert Season
Programme of Events 2023/24

Friday 1st September

Ardrishaig Public Hall at 13.30

Benjamin Baker (violin), and Daniel Lehardt (piano) have been working together for 5 years and are winners of the Young Concert Artists International Auditions in 2016 and 2014, respectively. They are both highly acclaimed as soloists and as a duo in the chamber music world.

Friday 27th October

Lochgilthead Parish Church at 19.30

The Willow Trio will be performing *The Swan of Salen* a multimedia adaptation of Tchaikovsky's *Swan Lake* ballet. Set to a Gaelic folk tale, the performance features a unique blend of Tchaikovsky's music and traditional melodies played live on three clàrsachs, and a brand new choreography by Deborah Norris (balletfolk.com) projected behind the musicians.

Saturday 4th November

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Maurizio Reyes is a young prize-winning pianist from Colombia. His studies brought him to the Royal Conservatoire Scotland where he gained a First Class Honours in BMus Performance (Piano) and he has recently completed his Masters Degree in Performance (Piano) also at the RCS.

Saturday 2nd December

Lochgilphead Parish Church at 19.30

The All Sorts are a female a cappella quartet, performing many musical styles - from opera to Motown and Lieder to Disney, combining classic barbershop and classical arrangements

Saturday 27th January

Kilmory Castle, Lochgilphead at 15.00

The Asaka Quartet is an up and coming string quartet formed in 2021 at the Royal Academy of Music in London. They pride themselves on communicating their enjoyment of making music together and sharing this with their audience.

Saturday 17th February

Ardrishaig Public Hall at 19.30

Scottish Opera Highlights A troupe of talented singers, including Scottish Opera's Emerging Artists, traverse Scotland to bring an original piano-accompanied production to local venues. This vibrant, one-of-a-kind show is created specifically for Scottish Opera each season. Opera Highlights combines repertoire favourites with lesser-known pieces

Saturday 23rd March

Cairnbaan Hotel at 19.30

The Tim Kliphuis Trio are one of the world's top string groups, demonstrating both virtuosity and improvisations with a varied repertoire sourced from classical, gypsy jazz and North-European folk music.