

New Musical Director

Calum Fraser was brought up in Whiteparish and was a pupil at the Cathedral School for 8 years, so he is thrilled to be returning to Salisbury as Musical Director of Winterbourne Opera. Calum is no stranger to opera, having been the Musical Director, for the last two years, of award-winning Opera'r Ddraig, based in Cardiff, where productions included *Acis & Galatea*, *Dido & Aeneas*, *Orpheus in the Underworld* and *Così fan tutte*, which was performed at the 2013 Edinburgh Festival Fringe.

Following a degree in music at the University of Manchester, he gained an MA in conducting at The Royal Welsh College of Music and Drama and has a number of years of conducting experience to his credit. As well as his opera projects, Calum works with symphony and chamber orchestras as well as choirs. He is the founding Musical Director of Caledonian Voices and The Martin Harris Singers, and also works with and directs a number of other choirs.

Choral Workshop

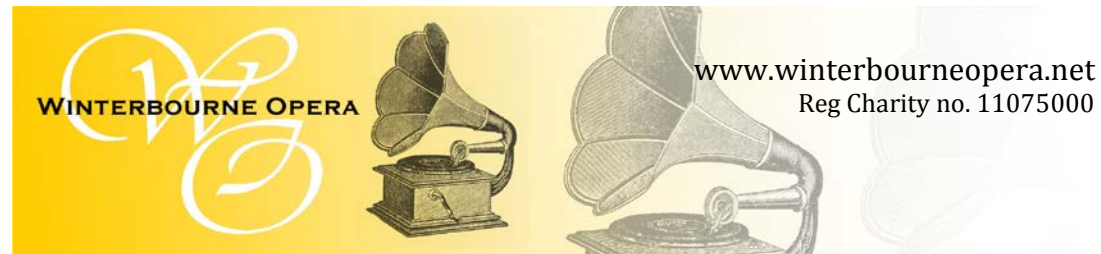
Calum will be leading two optional rehearsals on Monday 3rd and 10th February at 7pm at the Methodist Hall, Winterbourne Dauntsey. All are welcome. The workshop day will start at 11am, stopping briefly for a light lunch, and tea and cake later. Calum, with all his conducting and choral experience, will lead us through the work with his good humour, energy and dynamism, ready for performance at 6.30pm when we will open up to an audience. The solo parts will be taken by a young professional counter-tenor and two sopranos, and it should be a highly enjoyable day!

Donizetti's comic opera, *Elixir of Love*

23-27 July 2014 in the Cattle Ring, Salisbury Market

After the success of *Carmen* we are returning to Salisbury market for Donizetti's comic opera under Ben Occhipinti's inspiring direction. Calum brings with him his award-winning opera and conducting experience and a first class orchestra. Our soloists are talented young professional singers from the leading conservatoires, or who have recently completed their training. It promises to be an exciting production, especially with our unusual venue!

The box office opens on 1st May at www.salisburyplayhouse.com



Full Day Choral Workshop with Calum Fraser

Orpheus and Eurydice in English by Gluck

SATURDAY

15th FEBRUARY 2014

11am - 5pm

**ST MARTIN'S CHURCH
SALISBURY**

£20 including lunch and tea

Performance at 6.30pm

Audience tickets £5

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FULL DAY CHORAL WORKSHOP

with Calum Fraser

Gluck: *Orpheus and Eurydice* (in English)

at St Martin's Church, Salisbury

Saturday 15th February 2014, 11am - 5pm

Performance at 6.30pm (Audience £5 on door)

We will be holding 2 optional rehearsals beforehand at 7pm on Monday 3rd and 10th February at the Methodist Hall, Winterbourne Dauntsey to which everyone is welcome.

Please complete the registration form and return it to: Mandy Hollywood, 222 Devizes Road, Salisbury, SP2 7LY. Please include a cheque made payable to **Winterbourne Opera** for **£20** for each singer. **Email: mandy.buckley@btinternet.com or tel. 01722 324737 for more information.**

Name of singer	
Address	
Postcode	
Telephone No.	
Mobile No.	
E-mail address	
Voice - S, A, T or B	
Have you sung <i>Orpheus and Eurydice</i> before?	
Will you be borrowing a score (Novello edition) £5 deposit refundable on its return, please.	
Would you like to be on Winterbourne Opera's mailing list for events including <i>Elixir of Love</i> from 23 rd – 27th July 2014 at the Cattle Ring, Salisbury Market? (Tickets online from Salisbury Playhouse from early May.)	
Would you like to join our Friends' Scheme? Minimum £30 pa includes priority booking, a newsletter and cream tea at a rehearsal with the opera director & young professional soloists.	

A simple cold lunch will be provided between 1pm and 2pm, and tea and cakes between 5pm and 6.00pm in the Church Hall next door. These are included in the £20 registration fee. There are toilets available in both the church and the hall. There is NO parking at the church. The nearest long-stay car parks are: Culver Street with foot access to the Church via Churchill Way underpass; Southampton Road opposite Wiltshire College with a short walk along Churchill Way (both currently £7.40 a day).