

**THE SOCIETY OF RECORDER PLAYERS**

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**ESSEX BRANCH**

**NEWSLETTER – NOVEMBER 2018**

Meetings are held at St. George's Church Hall, Ongar Road, Brentwood, CM15 9HR, usually on the first Saturday of each month (except August) 2.30 - 5.15 pm.

**DECEMBER 1st Christmas Playing Day**

 We would like to thank Marion for the refreshments.

 Feel free to bring any music or related items you would like to sell, either directly or in aid of branch funds.

**The music will include the following:**

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| Anon. | Christmas Villancicos | SATB Hawthorns | RA109 |
| Arr. Stickley | The Snowman | SAT  | ms |
| Arr. Price | Good King Wenceslas theme & variations | SATB |  |
| Gabrielli | O Magnum Mysterium | SATB+ATTB | LPM EML148 |
| Arr. Pennick | Sweet Chiming Christmas Bells | SATB | ms |

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| **January 5th** |  |  |  |  |
| Anna Vriend | A ChA Child This Day is Born | SSATB | ms |  |
| Handel | Concerto SATB | SATB | Oriel | OL136 |
| Beale | 2 Victorian Madrigals SATTB |  | Avon | AM114 |
| Staeps | Choric Quintet SAATB |  | Universal Ed. | UE13990 |
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 | A Child This Day is Born | SSATB | ms |

**FEBRUARY 2nd:**

Phillipps Pavan & Galliard ‘Paget’ SATTB LPM EML104

Purcell Dido’s Lament S+SATB ms

Gershwin It ain’t necessarily so SATB Choice

Staeps Choric Quintet SSATB Universal Ed

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| **March 2nd**Byrd | 3 Fantasias | ATTB  | Oriel OL 114 |
| Corelli | Concerto Grosso Op.6 No.2 | SATB | White Rose |

Clark Festoons SAATB Oriel

May Harmonium Voluntaries SATB Oriel OL111

 We have a **Facebook** page! Join the group by searching for The Society of Recorder Players – Essex Branch

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| **Winter weather**: In the event of severe weather causing the cancellation of any meeting we will do our best to contact you; however if you are in any doubt about travelling please check the branch website or Facebook page or phone a committee member to find out whether the meeting is still on. |  |  |  |

**SUBSCRIPTIONS**

If you haven’t paid your subscription for 2018-19 yet, please do so at the December meeting. Subscription rates are Adult £50, Associate (member of another branch) £25, Student £23, Family £87.50. Please pay by bank transfer if possible (sort code 20-12-21, account no 50834602, reference ‘your surname’). If paying by cheque, please make cheques payable to ‘The Society of Recorder Players Essex Branch’ and post to the Treasurer (Judith Underwood, 27 Brentwood Place, Brentwood CM15 9DN).

**VISITORS**

Visitors are welcome to make 3 visits per year, after which we hope they will become members of the branch. (Guest fee is £10 per session). Children aged 11-14 may attend 3 meetings as visitors, provided they are accompanied by an adult member of the branch. A member should bring only one child visitor at a time. Subject to the discretion of a committee member, children may become junior members of the branch. They must be accompanied by an adult member at all times. They must be able to play treble or tenor as well as descant.

**Child Protection Policy**

Whilst most members of the SRP are adults, the Society recognises its responsibilities to ensure that when children are included in any of its activities their safety is explicitly considered. To this end, people organising such activities for or including children must ensure that a child is not left alone with a single adult and that no lessons, where a child is left alone with an adult, are organised for children as part of an SRP activity. Occasionally SRP members are asked to recommend recorder teachers for children. If they pass on the names of teachers they will make it clear to parents that :

(1) the SRP takes no responsibility for the quality of any such teacher

(2) the SRP is not able to comment on whether or not the teacher has been DBS checked**.**

**Data Protection**

The Society will hold members’ personal records in accordance with the terms of the GDPR. The data you provide will be used to administer your membership nationally and by your Branch. It will not be passed on to any third party without your consent. As members we request your agreement to the use of any photographs or videos taken during events organised by our Branch for publicity purposes such as flyers, Facebook, and the SRP website.

**DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES**

**Further branch meeting dates:** January 5th 2019, February 2nd, March 2nd, April 6th, May 4th, June 8th (note date!) and July 6th.

**BRANCH MUSIC LIBRARY**

A solution has been found for the Branch music library, which we will be housed rent-free in a garage in Brentwood with many thanks to Nigel Panzetta for his initiative and hard work to make this possible.

**Bass recorder:** The branch has a bass which is available for members to borrow, either to play at a meeting or to take home to practise. Please contact Madeline if you would like to borrow it.

**OFFICERS & COMMITTEE 2018/19**

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