

Ryedale Festival



Spring Weekend

15TH–17TH MARCH 2019

**BBC NEW GENERATION ARTISTS AND
JOHN RUTTER AT THE RYEDALE FESTIVAL**



The Ryedale Festival launches its new season with a Spring Weekend of music in association with BBC New Generation Artists, as well as the chance to take part in an inspirational day of singing with a world famous composer



FRIDAY 15TH MARCH 2019

7.30pm / All Saints' Church, Helmsley

RYEDALE FESTIVAL LAUNCH CONCERT 2019

ARIS QUARTET

Haydn – *Sunrise* Quartet in B flat major (op. 76, no. 4)

Janáček – String Quartet no. 1 *Kreutzer Sonata*

Dvořák – Quartet no. 13 in G major (op. 106)

'Music is the shorthand for emotion' said the novelist Tolstoy, whose novella *The Kreutzer Sonata* inspired one of Janáček's most dramatic and searingly emotional works. The brilliant young players of the Aris Quartet contrast its turbulence with the radiant good spirits of Haydn's *Sunrise* quartet and the profound contentment of a late masterpiece by Dvořák. After the concert, the festival's Artistic Director Christopher Glynn will introduce the programme for the 2019 Ryedale Festival.

'one of the most sensational ensembles of the younger generation' – Arte

Pre-concert and interval bar on the first floor of Helmsley Town Hall, with stair lift. Wheelchair users – please contact the box office for information on accessibility

SATURDAY 16TH MARCH 2019

11am-5pm / St Peter's Church, Norton

COME AND SING WITH JOHN RUTTER



Come and join one of the world's most popular composers and conductors for a fabulous day of singing! Whether you are young or old, an experienced chorister or new to choral singing, this will be a day to remember, performing an interesting and varied selection of music under the kindly and expert guidance of John Rutter.

All ages and abilities are welcome, there are no minimum standards and no auditions. An ability to read music is an advantage but not a necessity. The music will include some of John's recent compositions and personal favourites, and the accompanist for the day will be Ben Morris (Assistant Director of Music, York Minster). The ticket price includes hire of all music required for the day, as well as tea and coffee, but participants should bring their own packed lunch.



8pm / National Centre for Early Music, York

MISHA MULLOV-ABBADO GROUP

The double-bassist and composer Misha Mullov-Abbado burst on to the scene in 2015 with a sensational debut album that prompted a stream of plaudits from international press and fans alike. As the son of the conductor Claudio Abbado and Russian violinist Viktoria Mullova, Misha has not only exceeded high expectations but established himself as a highly individual talent in his own right. Now a BBC New Generation Artist, he brings his unique sound and style to York, along with some of the top names in British jazz.

'luxurious ballads...folk-melodic grace...broad-grin swing...hot jazz news' – The Guardian



SUNDAY 17TH MARCH 2019

3pm / Birdsall House

**CONCERT AND CAKE:
ALEKSEY SEMENENKO (VIOLIN)
AND INNA FIRSOVA (PIANO)**

Mozart – Violin Sonata in G major (K.301)
Beethoven – Violin Sonata no. 4 in A minor
Schubert – Valse-Caprice
Poulenc – Violin Sonata
Tchaikovsky – Romance
Saint-Saëns – Rondo Capriccioso

The Ukrainian violinist Aleksey Semenenko has been widely praised for his spellbinding virtuosity and passionate commitment. He joins pianist Inna Firsova for a programme that takes in the disarming simplicity of Mozart's earliest violin sonata, a captivating work Poulenc composed in memory of a great Spanish poet, along with a shot of adrenaline in the form of some virtuosic violin showpieces. Tickets include coffee, tea and cake in the interval.

'an unparalleled level of refined musicianship and stage presence. He imbued every moment with meaning' – The Strad

'stunning technique and intonation, verve, wit, delicatess, and beautiful phrasing' – Boston Musical Intelligencer

Coffee, tea and cake will be served in the interval

BOOKING FORM

Tickets can be purchased online (www.nyedalefestival.com), by post, or by calling the Box Office (01751 475777). Full Terms and conditions can be found online.
Booking opens on Monday 19 November 2018

DATE	TIME	EVENT	VENUE	PRICE	NO	TOTAL (£)
Fri 15 March	7.30pm	ARIS QUARTET (LAUNCH CONCERT)	All Saints' Church, Helmsley	£20.00		
Sat 16 March	11am–5pm	COME AND SING WITH JOHN RUTTER	St Peter's Church, Norton	£15.00		
Sat 16 March	8pm	MISHA MULLOV-ABBADO	National Centre for Early Music, York (St Margaret's Church, Walmgate, York)	£15.00		
Sun 17 March	3pm	ALEKSEY SEMENENKO AND INNA FIRSOVA	Birdsall House	£15.00		
		WEEKEND PASS FOR 3 CONCERTS (EXC. COME & SING)		£40.00		
		HANDLING CHARGE		£2.00		£2.00
				Total		

*N.B. There are no reductions in ticket prices for Members/Friends for this event
There are a limited number of £5 tickets for Under 30s available – please call the Box Office for more information*

FORTHCOMING DATES



WEDNESDAY 17TH APRIL 2019
York Minster

PARSIFAL

Hallé Orchestra and Choir
Sir Mark Elder (conductor)

Wagner – Parsifal
Prelude to Act 1 and Act 3

Following the huge success of *The Dream of Gerontius* in November 2017, tickets are on sale for our next co-operation with the Hallé Orchestra and Choir, and York Minster. A cast of distinguished soloists led by Nicky Spence as Parsifal, Iain Paterson as Amfortas, and Gabor Bretz as Gurnemanz is supported by singers from York University.



FRIDAY 12TH – SUNDAY 28TH JULY 2019

RYEDALE FESTIVAL 2019

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