

SM summer music at paxton house



Summer Music at Paxton House is the Scottish Borders' highly-acclaimed, annual chamber music festival, offering that special combination of the finest in music and food in a magnificent, period setting.

*Paxton House near Berwick is the sort of place that gets described as a mini-Glyndebourne, thanks to its idyllic setting and a summer music programme of conspicuous excellence...*The Herald

Inaugurated in 1995, *Summer Music* has gained a reputation for its high artistic standards and imaginative programming under the direction of pianist, Gusztáv Fenyő.

...this attractive, imaginative, erudite Borders festival. ...in terms of artistic activity and sheer enterprise, none could rival the summer festival. The Herald

Paxton House, built to the design of John and James Adam in 1758, is one of the most elegant, Palladian country houses in Britain. Concerts are held in the superb acoustic of the Regency Picture Gallery, which exhibits paintings from the National Galleries of Scotland.

...the performance enjoyed the immediacy and punch which the gallery's intimate acoustics comfortably accommodated. The Scotsman

Some of our artists (from top)

Gusztáv Fenyő, *Artistic Director*
Susanne Stanzeleit, Balázs Szokolay, Juliet Jopling,
Timothy Gill, Catherine Manson, Stephen Stirling,
Gervase de Peyer, Edinburgh Quartet

Chamber music is about working *together*: no single performer is more important than any other. Similarly, *Summer Music* depends as much upon your contribution, as a member of our audience, as it does upon the skilful playing of our musicians. In the spirit of chamber music, may we invite you to support us as a **Benefactor** or **Friend** to ensure the continuance of *Summer Music* and the live music-making we all enjoy.

You may do this by simply making an annual donation. You may also like to offer us your ideas, or volunteer to help in some practical way.

We welcome your involvement and, in return, would like to offer you some special benefits...

as a **Benefactor**

- Advance information about 'Summer Music'
- Priority booking
- Seat reservation (seating in the Gallery is otherwise unreserved)
- Steward service for interval refreshments
- Personal invitation to meet the artists
- Invitation to Festival reception
- Listing of your name as a Benefactor in all Festival publications
- Invitation to additional 'Friends' events
- Invitation to an exclusive dinner in the Dining Room of Paxton House

as a **Friend**

- Advance information about 'Summer Music'
- Priority booking
- Seat reservation (seating in the Gallery is otherwise unreserved)
- Invitation to Festival reception
- Listing of your name as a Friend in the Festival Programme Book
- Invitation to additional 'Friends' events



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Gusztáv Fenyő

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I wish to support *Summer Music*

as a **Benefactor** £150*
as a **Friend:** Individual £15* or
Household £25*
(*these figures are suggested minimums)

Title Forenames Surname
Address
 Postcode
Telephone E-mail

Donations can be made by **cheque** (payable to *Friends of Summer Music*) or by **Direct Debit** (please complete the form opposite).

All donations made from taxed income are eligible for **GIFT AID** which enables *Friends of Summer Music* to reclaim the tax and benefit by **28%** additional to your donation. (Please complete the *Gift Aid Declaration* below.)

GIFT AID DECLARATION

Name of Charity: Friends of Summer Music
(*Summer Music* is promoted by Music-Makers, Scottish Charity No. SC023220)

I would like the charity to treat all donations I have made since 6 April 2000, and all donations I make from the date of this declaration until I notify you otherwise, as Gift Aid donations.

Signature Date

- 1 You must pay an amount of income tax and/or capital gains tax at least equal to the tax that the charity reclaims on your donations in the tax year (currently 28p for each £1 you give).
- 2 You can cancel the declaration at any time by notifying the charity.
- 3 If in the future your circumstances change and you no longer pay tax on your income and capital gains equal to the tax that the charity reclaims, you can cancel your declaration.
- 4 If you pay tax at the higher rate you can claim further tax relief in your Self-Assessment tax return.
- 5 If you are unsure whether donations qualify for Gift Aid tax relief, you can ask you local tax office for leaflet IR 65.
- 6 Please notify the charity if you change your name or address while the declaration is still in force.

Please return your completed form to Friends of Summer Music, Music-Makers, 17 North Gardner Street, Glasgow G11 5BU

Instruction to your Bank or Building Society to pay by Direct Debit

Bank or Building Society
Address

Postcode

Name of Account

Bank/Building Society Account No.

Branch Sort Code

Please pay **Friends of Summer Music**, Account No. 90968684 at Barclays Bank PLC, Berwick-upon-Tweed (Branch Sort Code 20-58-17)

the sum of £ (the sum in words)

on the day of 20

and on the same date each following year

* until and including or * until further notice
(*delete as appropriate)

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... created to open minds and spirits to the incomparable experience of live music-making, enhanced by beautiful surroundings.