

April
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2013

West Gippsland Chorale

April
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2013

I Dream a World

Songs from the 7 Continents

North America

Europe

Asia

South America

Africa

Australia

Antarctica

I dream a world, where man no other man will scorn. Where love will bless the earth and peace its path adorns.
Where wretchedness will hang its head and joy like a pearl attends the needs of all mankind.
Of such I dream.

Langston Hughes (1902—1967)



Program

The Wanderer

Three Australian Bush Songs:

Dawn - Birds - Sunset

Student Guest Artist: Sam Stephens

Come Sleep

Bush Night Song

Verano Porteño (*Buenos Aires Summer*)

Gloria (*from "Misa Criolla"*)

I'se the B'y (*Newfoundland Folk Song*)

Nobody knows de trouble I see (*Negro Spiritual*)

Facinatin' Rhythm

Flower Drum Song (*Chinese Folk Song*)

Arirang (*Korean Folk Song*)

Erev Shel Shoshanim (*Evening of Roses*)

The Turtle Dove (*Folk Song*)

Cantique de Jean Racine

Va Pensiero (*Chorus of the Hebrew Slaves*)

Student Guest Artist: Sam Stephens

Abendempfindung

Mandoline

Jabula Jesu (*Folk Song*)

N'kosi Sikelele Africa (*South African National Anthem*)

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Antarctica

Dan Walker ~ *Percussion: Peter & Hedy Kirkbride*

Australia

Iain Grandage

Australia

Peggy Glanville-Hicks

William G. James

South America

Astor Piazzolla

Arr: Oscar Escalada

Ariel Ramirez

Arr: Padre Jesus Gabriel Segade

Soloists: John McCaffery & Sam Stephens

Percussion: Peter & Hedy Kirkbride ~ Mandolin John McCaffery

North America

Arr: Robert de Cormier

Arr: Hugh S. Robertson

George and Ira Gershwin

Interval

Asia

Arr: Jing Ling Tam *Recorder: Elizabeth McCaffery ~ Percussion:*

Arr: Kenneth Jenning

Peter & Hedy Kirkbride

Lyrics Moshe Dor, Music : Josef Hadar Arr: Jack Klebanow

Europe

Arr: R. Vaughan Williams

Soloist: Alan Wright

Jean Racine (1639 -1699)

Gabrielle Fauré (1845–1924)

Text: T.Solera, Tr:John Rutter Guiseppe Verdi (1813 – 1901)

Europe

Wolfgang A. Mozart

Claude Debussy

Africa

Arr: Stephen Hatfield

~ *Percussion: Peter & Hedy Kirkbride*

Enoch Sontonga

~ *Percussion: Peter & Hedy Kirkbride*

World

Langston Hughes (1902—1967) André J. Thomas

West Gippsland Chorale

Soprano: Janette Clark, Marion Cohen, Lynne Davine, Pauline Hastings, Judy Hopkins, Elizabeth McCaffery, Brooke Mollison, Joy Parker, Fiona Powell, Diane Wilkie.

Alto: Leonie Broeren, Lisa Campbell, Helen Chambers, Janice Eshuis, Lynn Jones, Jan MacLean, Tamara Mollison, Anne Outhred, Karin Ryan, Jenny Steele, Alice Youlden.

Tenor: Simon Fraser, Lloyd Harrington, Marie Kitching, Geoff Leunig, John McCaffery, Walter Willems.

Bass: Peter Eshuis, Peter Medling, Des Parker, Allan Richards, David Tanner, Alan Wright.

Simon Loveless ~ Musical Director

Simon has long been active in choral music as a conductor, accompanist, singer, administrator and advocate. He joined West Gippsland Chorale as accompanist in 2011, and took on the role of musical director at the start of 2012. He is also the musical director of the Casey Choir and the Da Capo Singers chamber choir, assistant artistic director and accompanist of Berwick Youth Choir, and a state committee member of the Australian National Choral Association. In addition to his choral involvements, Simon works extensively as a freelance accompanist.

Lisa Fraser ~ Accompanist

Lisa is a graduate of the University of Queensland, having studied piano with Pamela Page. She also completed Education Studies at Monash University and was based for a number of years at Ivanhoe Girls' Grammar in Melbourne, participating in many areas of classroom music education including VCE, performing, accompanying, musical productions, choral education and piano tuition. In choral music, Lisa has previously enjoyed being a member of The Melbourne Chorale, participated in various conducting and vocal workshops and has studied voice with Kathryn Sadler in Melbourne. Lisa currently works at St Paul's and in Drouin teaching piano, theory and voice, and enjoys freelance accompanying.

Sam Stephens ~ Student Artist

It is good to have Sam back with us for this Concert. Sam is a third year Student at Monash, majoring in Voice. Last year he was a member of the Tenors and he surely has been missed!

Hedy and Peter Kirkbride ~ Percussion

We welcome back Peter and Hedy whose special gifts have enhanced a number of our performances

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An auditioned community choir based in Warragul, the Chorale consists approximately 50 of the district's most talented singers. The Chorale was formed as a madrigal group 28 years ago. On several occasions it has combined with neighbouring choirs to present major works. In 2010 a collaboration with Camberwell Chorale presented Verdi's Requiem. In 2011, the Chorale together with the Heidelberg Choral Society performed Handel's Messiah to audiences in West Gippsland and Melbourne and again in 2012, collaborated to present Carmina Burana and a varied Program supported by Leading Notes Youth Choir.

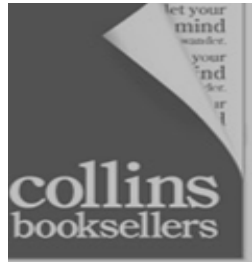
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Saturday 7th December & Sunday 8th December



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