

The Northwood String Orchestra is one of Southampton's longest running ensembles with its origins going back to entertaining injured WW1 servicemen at Netley Hospital in the early '20s. 'Northwood' was the house on The Avenue where the players met regularly on the lawns.

The orchestra is known for its friendly and welcoming nature and plays a variety of music from the string orchestra repertoire. Rehearsals are:

**Mondays in term time 7.30—9.30pm at the Friends Meeting House**

New players welcome, please contact us through:

**[www.northwoodorchestra.co.uk](http://www.northwoodorchestra.co.uk)**



### Refreshments

We warmly invite you to join us for tea and cakes in the interval.

We are asking for donations to support

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Many thanks for your donations at our concerts last year when we raised £473 for the Madagascar Internet Mobile School Project and £250 for Hamble Lifeboats.



*We look forward to seeing you at our next concert,*

***3pm on Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> June 2020***

*at St Alban's Church, Swaythling, SO16 3BB*

*Keep in touch through our website or find us*



### Health and Safety Notice - Four Fire Exits

In the unlikely event of a fire, please find exits back through the main doors where you came in; the right hand door at the front of the church; adjacent to the toilets; at the rear of the side hall.

Northwood String Orchestra  
Southampton

Conductor

**Malcolm Porter**

Leader

**Ellabeth Little**

with



Winter Concert

**25<sup>th</sup> January 2020**

**St James' Church  
West End**

**making  
music**

## Players and Singers

First Violin		Second Violin	
<b>Ellabeth Little</b>	Katy McGrath	<b>Alison Hopper</b>	Enid Heritage
Mark Ashley	Bernadette O'Sullivan	Jim Bailey	Shahnaz Lambert
Alan Fitch	Helen Taylor	Terry Bristow	Andrea Madigan
Louise Hunt	(Jill Jenkins)	Zoe Duke	(Vivien Kemp)
		Margaret Hamilton	

Viola		'Cello	
<b>Robert Pill</b>	Joy McLaggan	<b>Anita Doyle</b>	John Miller
Rosie Bertram	Lois Popplestone	Jenny Brennan	Simon Richardson
Liz Gulliver	Mary Wells	Marguerite Johnson	

Double Bass	Polly Falvey	Keyboard	Anna Thomsett
<i>Many thanks for completing our orchestra this afternoon</i>			

### CHORA

Conductor	Ian Partridge	Piano	Elizabeth Sweetnam
Nia Collins	Janet Green	Barbara Howells	Kaarina Manzur
Jenny Dominey	Sue Grove	Fiona Jeppsson	Rosemary Powell
Rebecca Gates	Hilary Mitchell	Karen Jones	Pam Robertson

**Malcolm Porter** After graduating from the Guildhall School, Malcolm played viola in the Bournemouth Symphony Orchestra then pursued a career in high school and sixth form college class music teaching. Now mainly working as a viola maker, he enjoys the occasional outing as a viola player and conductor.

**Ellabeth Little** Ellabeth studied on the Specialist Music Course at Peter Symonds College, played in the National Youth Chamber Orchestra, and led the Hampshire Chamber Orchestra. Currently teaching locally both privately and at Mountbatten School, Ellabeth gives regular recitals and has a particular passion for enthusing young people in their love for music.

**CHORA** is a female chamber ensemble formed in 2018 to create opportunities for classically trained singers to perform an eclectic variety of challenging choral works, opera, new works, liturgical and secular music with carefully selected chamber instruments or unaccompanied. We are delighted to participate in today's concert providing a wonderful opportunity to sing with the Northwood String Orchestra. If you would like to join CHORA, or if you would like to book the singers for an event, please email [kaarinamanzur@hotmail.com](mailto:kaarinamanzur@hotmail.com)

## Programme

**Arrival of the Queen of Sheba** Allegro G F Handel  
Violin Soloists: Ellabeth Little Arr R Jacques  
Alison Hopper

**Chanson de Matin** Allegretto E Elgar  
**Chanson de Nuit** Andante

**The Gordian Knot Untied** I Overture II Air H Purcell  
III Rondeau Minuet  
IV Air V Jig

*My Love Dwelt in a Northern Land* E Elgar

*As Torrents in Summer* E Elgar

**The Snow & Fly Singing Bird** E Elgar  
Violin Soloists: Ellabeth Little  
Mark Ashley

### INTERVAL

*Les Nymphes des Bois* L Delibes

*Le Ruisseau* G Fauré

**Serenade** Andante Cantabile R Hofstetter

**The Four Seasons, Spring Op 8 No 1** I Allegro A Vivaldi  
II Largo  
Violin Soloist: Ellabeth Little III Allegro

**Stabat Mater** Inflammatus et accensus G B Pergolesi  
*with CHORA* Fac ut ardeat cor meum