

Concert Diary

December 2011		January 2012	
1 Thursday 1.10 - 1.40pm \$5	Adrian Wintle (St John's, Wagga Wagga) St Andrew's Cathedral, Sydney	5 Thursday 1.10 - 1.40pm \$5	Rising Stars: Michael Butterfield (Organ Scholar, St Francis, Paddington) St Andrew's Cathedral, Sydney
4 Sunday 2 - 4.30pm \$27.50 ...students \$10	CHRISTMAS SHOW John Atwell and Tony Fenelon play the Mighty Wurlitzer at the Orion Centre, Campsie	12 Thursday 1.10 - 1.40pm \$5	Rising Stars: Jodie Ah Chong & Robin Jordan St Andrew's Cathedral, Sydney
8 Thursday 1.10 - 1.40pm \$5	Ross Cobb, The Cathedral Choristers with Oscar Smith and Victor Matthews St Andrew's Cathedral, Sydney	14 Saturday 5pm - 6pm	Andrew Grahame presents Colours of the King on 2MBS FM 102.5MHz
10 Saturday 5pm - 6pm	Andrew Grahame presents Colours of the King on 2MBS FM 102.5MHz	15 Sunday 2pm \$Don.	Pastor de Lasala and Gregory van der Struik (organ & trombone duo) Christ Church St Laurence, Sydney
10 Saturday 8pm \$40/...	Poetic Inspirations <i>Sydney Graduate Choir</i> NB Venue is the Conservatorium of Music Debussy, Bowen, Stanford and Parry Jerusalem	19 Thursday 1.10 - 1.40pm \$5	Rising Stars: Joshua and Stephen Walker, Shavaunne Newman, Jayden Duffy, Damian Wigglesworth and Stephen Aveling-Rowe. St Andrew's Cathedral, Sydney
11 Sunday 3.30pm 2pm Carillon Liz Cartwright	The Playing of the Merry Organ Amy Johansen (Sydney University Organist) Enjoy the festive spirit of Christmas with favourites old and new.	22 Sunday 3 - 4pm Free	Gunilla Rönnerberg developed the Suzuki method for organ together with Lars Hagström in 1988, and since then has educated around sixty organists to become Suzuki pedagogues. She has worked in Minneapolis, Chicago, Los Angeles, London, Turin and Copenhagen and today Gunilla is here in Wahroonga! Right on our very own doorstep! You have all been invited to an <i>Open Session at Abbotsleigh School Chapel from 3-4pm</i> . There will be a student mini-recital plus Q & A with Gunilla Ronnberg (Sweden) and Dr Jeremy Chesman (Missouri State University). All most welcome! Abbotsleigh School, Pacific Highway, Wahroonga
15 Thursday 1.10 - 1.40pm \$5	David Drury (St Paul's College, University of Sydney) St Andrew's Cathedral, Sydney	26 Thursday	St Stephen's Uniting Church Macquarie St, Sydney celebrates Australia Day   Devonshire teas available downstairs 9 -10am Scottish Pipe Band in Macquarie St 11am Organ Recital Mark Quarmby (Director of Music, St Stephen's) 12noon Nexas Saxophone Quartet 1pm St Stephen's Brass Ensemble 2pm Organ Recital David Tagg (Assistant Organist, St Stephen's) 3pm Angus McPherson (flute and piano).
16 Friday 1.10pm \$Don	Martin Rein (Head of Music, Tudor House, Moss Vale) St Stephen's Uniting Church, Sydney	Entry by Donation Recitals 30 mins	
18 Sunday 4pm Retiring Collection	Oliver Brett (Assistant Director of Music, St Mary's) St Mary's Cathedral, Sydney		
18 Sunday 2pm \$Don.	Kurt Ison (Sydney) Christ Church St Laurence, Sydney		
18 Sunday 7.30pm Suggested Donation Family \$25 Single \$10	Music and Reading for Christmas St Finbar's Catholic Church, Glenbrook Massed choir, children's choir, Cheryl Priest (Soprano), Owen Torr (Harp), Penrith Symphony Brass, Amy Johansen (organ) directed by Robert Ampt.		
20 Tuesday 8pm \$15, \$12 . . .	Christmas at the Sydney Town Hall Christmas Spectacular with Grand Organ (Robert Ampt), Royal Navy Band, Massed Choir, Children's Choir, Elke Hook (Soprano), Owen Torr (Harp) directed by Christopher Bowen. Box Office: (This was sold out last year . . . !) www.cityrecitalhall.com.au or (02) 8256 2222		
21 Wednesday 2pm	Carols for the young at heart St Stephen's, Willoughby Lane Cove Singers, Ruth Bell (Organ), Rev Lloyd Bennett (Trumpet)		
29 Thursday 12.30pm Free 	Young Organist Day with Robert Ampt at the Sydney Town Hall featuring our talented young organists including the prize winners of the Junior and Intermediate Sydney Organ Competition. Come along, bring family, friends and neighbours, for an hour of Sydney's Grand pipe organ and be dazzled!	26 Thursday   <i>Enjoy Australia Day in Sydney with OMSS</i> 	Instead of the customary organ ramble, we invite you to come into the city on Australia Day. Enjoy all the festivities, including the display of vintage and veteran cars in Macquarie and College Sts, then come to St Mary's Cathedral . At 3 pm Assistant Director of Music, Oliver Brett will play a short recital. Oliver is already well-known to us. He was one of the tutors for the Sydney Summer Organ Academy, and has had a distinguished career in the UK as organ scholar at King's College, Cambridge and Assistant Organist at Durham Cathedral. This will be a public recital. Afterwards, there will be an opportunity to play the St Mary's organs. Then join OMSS members for wine and cheese outside the crypt opposite the song school. (Donations to defray the cost of the refreshments would be appreciated).
Looking for service times of various churches in Sydney? Just click on the thumbnails of the organs in this link. http://www.sydneyorgan.com/Sydneychurches.html			
RSCM 2012 Summer School Monday January 9 - 16 St George's College ~ University of WA, Perth Gordon Appleton (RSCM UK) will be attending the course. Joseph Nolan (Director) and Jacinta Jakovcevic (Organist) Enquiries: sbyfield@three.com.au			

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2 Thursday 1.10 - 1.40pm \$5	Ross Cobb (Director of Music, St Andrew's Cathedral) St Andrew's Cathedral, Sydney
5 Sunday 2 - 4.30pm \$27.50 ...students \$10	Chris McPhee and Malcolm Ross play the Mighty Wurlitzer at the Orion Centre, Campsie.
5 Sunday 3pm \$5, \$2	Heather Moen-Boyd (Scots Kirk, Mosman) Stephen's Willoughby (Afternoon Tea)
9 Thursday 1.10 - 1.40pm \$5	Victor Matthews (Organ Scholar, St Andrew's Cathedral) St Andrew's Cathedral, Sydney
11 Saturday 5pm - 6pm	Andrew Grahame presents Colours of the King on 2MBS FM 102.5MHz
16 Thursday 1.10 - 1.40pm \$5	Thomas Wilson (Director of Music, St Mary's Cathedral) St Andrew's Cathedral, Sydney
19 Sunday 2pm \$Don.	Martin Rein (Bowral) Christ Church St Laurence, Sydney
19 Sunday 4 pm Retiring Collection	Victor Matthews St Mary's Cathedral, Sydney
23 Thursday 1.10 - 1.40pm \$5	No recital today St Andrew's Cathedral, Sydney
24 Friday 1.10pm \$Don.	Alistair Nelson (Acting Organist, St James' King Street) St Stephen's Uniting Church, Sydney
<p>Not all organ . . . Regular lunchtime recitals on Wednesdays (1.15pm) at St James', Sydney; Fridays (1.10pm) at St Stephen's, Sydney; Sundays (2pm) Carillon Recitals at the Great Hall, Sydney University; (various) Wesley Music Centre (Forrest, Canberra) and (various) Cathedral Singers. All have webpages . . .</p>	
<p>OHTA 2012 <i>Western Australia</i> Conference Tuesday 10th April - Monday 16th ~ Perth and Albany Recitalists include Jonathan Bradley, Patrick Elms, Annette Goerke, Jacinta Jacovcevic, Joseph Nolan, Dominic Perissinotto and Stewart Smith. There will also be several lectures relating to organ playing, organ music and organbuilding in Western Australia.</p>	
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Organ Society Events

Christmas Events

On Air with Andrew Graeme

Theatre Organ Society Events

Other Events

Regular Recitals
 Christ Church St Laurence
 St Andrew's
 St James'
 St Mary's
 St Stephen's - Sydney
 St Stephen's - Willoughby

RSCM Summer School & OHTA Conference