

Greetings from our President

Donald Rooksby sends his greetings to all members and friends of Derby Music Circle, together with his best wishes for a successful season.

Dates for your diary...

15th October: FRMS Yorkshire Region
Autumn Music Day in Huddersfield

22nd October: FRMS Annual General Meeting
at the Birch Hotel, Heywood, Lancs

5th November: FRMS Central Region
Autumn Music Day in Birmingham

30th March-2nd April: FRMS Yorkshire Regional
Group Annual Music Weekend at the 4-star
Crown Spa Hotel, Scarborough

27th-29th April: The FRMS Music Weekend at the
Barceló Daventry Hotel, with distinguished
guests and live performance from young
professional musicians.

FOR MORE INFORMATION...

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ABOUT OURSELVES: We were founded in 1945 as Derby Recorded Music Society to enable members to share their enjoyment, through the medium of recordings. Our meetings have a minimum of formality and include an interval when members can get together over refreshments. Visitors and new members are always welcome.

WHERE AND WHEN? We meet at the Friends' Meeting House, St Helen's Street, Derby on the 1st and 3rd Monday evenings of the month, from mid-September to April, starting at 7.30 pm. See inside for a location map and how to find us.

SUBSCRIPTIONS AND CHARGES:

Annual subscription	£20.00
Meeting charge (including refreshments)	
Members	£4.00
Visitors	£5.00

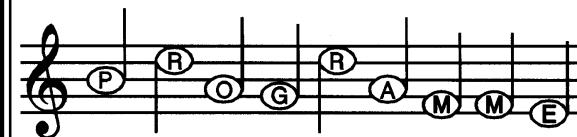
The charge for visitors includes a temporary membership fee which can be offset against the subscription if you decide to join.

FURTHER AFIELD – The FRMS: We are affiliated to the Federation of Recorded Music Societies. In addition to safeguarding societies' interests the Federation organises day and weekend musical events, nationally and regionally, which are open to all members of its affiliated societies. You can find out more on the FRMS website - go to www.thefrms.co.uk

LET THE MUSIC COME TO YOU! We also take programmes "on the road" – to other societies or to places where people would find it difficult to get to our meetings. If you are interested in us visiting you please enquire for details.

Derby Music Circle

"Good music on Mondays"



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Find us on the web at
www.thefrms.co.uk/affprogs/derby.htm

Programme 2011-2012

19th September: “CITY BREAKS”

Remembering perhaps past holidays, our Chairman, **Terry Larkin**, brings us an evening of pleasant listening.

3rd October: “A NINE DAYS WONDER”

Recalling Shakespearean actor Will Kemp’s dance from London to Norwich over nine days in 1600, this programme by **Allan Child** was presented at Norwich Music Society earlier this year.

17th October: “CRITICS AT LARGE”

We welcome as our guest presenter, **Peter Thompson**, from Newcastle (Staffs) RMS, making his first visit to Derby Music Circle

7th November: “LISZT - THE PILGRIMAGE YEARS”

A programme to mark the bicentenary this year of Liszt’s birth, presented by local music critic and lecturer, **Mike Wheeler**

21st November: “BACH’S ENIGMA - THE B MINOR MASS”

Richard Wood explores the diverse origins of a great choral classic.

5th December: “WINTER DAYDREAMS”

Tchaikovsky’s first symphony is the centrepiece of this selection of music associated with this season, introduced by **Ruth Child**.

19th December: CHRISTMAS SOCIAL

— by invitation at the home of our Chairman. Please phone or e-mail the Secretary for directions.

2nd January: NO MEETING (BANK HOLIDAY)

16th January: “PELLEAS AND MELISANDE”

We start Debussy’s 150th anniversary year with a presentation on DVD of his only completed opera., introduced by local music tutor **Tom Corfield**.

6th February: “SCHUMANN - PART II”

A welcome return by our guest, **Peter Golding**, to conclude the story of Schumann’s life and music which had to be postponed last season.

20th February: “FREDERICK DELIUS, 1862-1934”

An appreciation by **Peter Haslam** of an enigmatic English composer who spent much of his life abroad.

5th March: “A DAY IN THE LIFE OF ...”

Our guest presenter this evening, on his first visit to us is **Nick Narracott** from Newark Music Society.

19th March: “ACROSS THE POND”

A programme of American music, introduced by **Peter Chambers**.

2nd April: ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

To be followed by some music, if time permits.

16th April: MEMBERS’ REQUEST EVENING

Something you want to hear? Or maybe to share? Let us know and we’ll see if we can find it or fit it in. But please let us know in good time.

HOW TO FIND US: St Helen’s Street is off Quaker Way, but at the junction there it is restricted to one way and access to St Helen’s Street – except for pedestrians and cyclists – is only via Willow Row or Brook Street.

By Bus: Trent Barton “Allestree” buses from Osnabrück Square and “Sixes” buses from the Bus Station stop at the Seven Stars on Quaker Way. The corresponding inbound stop is on King Street.

Parking: Meter parking spaces on St Helen’s Street are free after 6.00 pm. Chapel Street multistorey is within easy walking distance, but a charge is payable in the evening. Please note that the Radio Derby car park is for their staff and visitors only

Getting Away: To reach St Alkmund’s Way/Ford Street from St Helen’s Street you need to go via Bridge Street and Agard Street or via the Garden Street/Duffield Road one-way system.

