

# MUSIC ON THE TERRACE



**2022 PROGRAM**

# WELCOME

It is such a pleasure and an honour to return to the Government House Foundation in 2022 as Artistic Director. Having established the Foundation's concert series Music on the Terrace in 2006 and overseeing its growth and development until the end of 2018, I feel a close connection to the Foundation, the Ballroom and Government House. My friend and colleague, Fiona Campbell, brought her fresh and inspired vision to the Foundation over the past three years despite having to contend with interruptions caused by the pandemic and the replacement of the Ballroom roof. I am grateful to Fiona for her thoughtful stewardship and creative nurturing of the Foundation's programs. We are all hoping for a brilliant year in 2022 without disruption or unexpected problems and we have prepared an exciting program of events to help us reconnect with the Ballroom and the gardens.

We welcome back to Perth and to the Ballroom the brilliant, internationally-acclaimed Rachelle Durkin. After spending the past 20 years in New York and singing at the world's major opera houses, including The Metropolitan Opera, Rachelle has decided to return to Western Australia. She will be appearing with the Australian Baroque Orchestra, a newly-formed ensemble under the leadership of violinist Helen Kruger. Rachelle and Helen have put together an exhilarating program that features some of the most exciting arias written for the powerful and dangerous women of baroque opera. Joseph Nolan and the St George's Cathedral Consort always present the most inspiring concerts and it is a great pleasure to have them return to Music on the Terrace. Their program will begin with one of the most famous of all choir works, the Misere by Allegri. The soaring top notes will resonate beautifully in the Ballroom's magnificent acoustic. It will also be a great pleasure to see these highly-refined musicians let their hair down in the second half of the concert and bring us a lovely selection

*Photo by Frances Andrijich.*

of popular works from Elton John to ABBA. Alan Dodge and Sarah McNeill are well-known figures around Perth and it is wonderful to have them both presenting performances for us. Sarah's group, Lit Live, will present a series of captivating stories, read by professional actors, with musical interludes that enhance and develop the storytelling. Alan is a world expert on Russian art and music and will present a fascinating afternoon of chamber music with insights into Russia's search for identity in the late 19th century. Alexander Gadjevic is one of the world's most exciting young pianists and it is a huge thrill to be presenting him in a solo recital. Be prepared to be swept away by his flair and musical poetry. Jazz on the Lawn is also returning with the ever-popular Libby Hammer and The Western Australian Jazz Project.

As always, we are extremely grateful to Governor Kim Beazley and Ms Susie Annus for their passionate commitment to an artistically vibrant community and their support for the Foundation. I look forward to seeing you in the Ballroom!

**Mark Coughlan**  
**Artistic Director**



## A MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

I am delighted to welcome West Australians to Government House to enjoy a new and exciting season of Music on the Terrace and Jazz on the Lawn in 2022.

After a year away from the Ballroom, which closed temporarily in 2021 due to major repairs to the roof, I am pleased to see the Music on the Terrace series back in the Ballroom. The popular Jazz on the Lawn events return to the gorgeous gardens of Government House.

I anticipate many West Australians will join us both in Government House and in the Government House Gardens to experience the exciting events planned for 2022.

I wish to thank the outgoing Government House Foundation Artistic Director, Fiona Campbell, for her outstanding work with the Foundation and we wish her all the best for her future endeavours. We welcome Mark Coughlan as incoming Government House Foundation Artistic Director. Mark has previously held the role of Chair, Government House Foundation and was instrumental in setting up the Music on the Terrace series.

Susie and I are eager to see the Government House community grow and we invite you to join the Government House Foundation as a member. A membership with the Foundation directly supports our mission to improve awareness and understanding of the significance of Government House and its grounds which belong to the people of Western Australia.

We look forward to experiencing the fabulous Government House Foundation season and are delighted that this program continues to expand our support of Western Australian artists.

**The Honourable Kim Beazley AC**  
**Governor of Western Australia**

# JAZZ ON THE LAWN

PRICING	LAWN	TABLE
Standard	\$55	\$65
Member	\$45	\$55



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## LIBBY HAMMER

COVID-19 RESCHEDULE - SOLD OUT

We are delighted to present this beautiful afternoon of relaxed music, food and friendship with the wonderful Libby Hammer. Bring a picnic and soak up some jazzy vibes in the glorious surroundings of the Government House gardens. We're thrilled to have Libby singing for the first time with Music on the Terrace. Her incredible voice and sheer charm have won the hearts of Perth for many years.

**Sunday 27 March, 4.00pm  
Government House Gardens**

*Your ticket is for entry to the grounds. BYO picnic. Licensed bar open for you to purchase drinks. Unreserved seating at tables. Only low chairs and blankets permitted on the lawn.*

*Tickets sold in 2021 are valid for this event in 2022. A waitlist may be available if capacity allows.*

*Photo by Ryan Ammon.*

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## WA JAZZ PROJECT

The WA Jazz Project is an exciting new venture bringing a fresh vision for jazz music in Western Australia. Led by the brilliant Adrian Kelly on trumpet and Grant Windsor at the keyboard, this group of superb musicians will create a vibrant and memorable afternoon of music-making. Relax in the stunning gardens of Government House and be transported by the superb performances.

**Sunday 4 December, 4.00pm  
Government House Gardens**

*Your ticket is for entry to the grounds. BYO picnic. Licensed bar open for you to purchase drinks. Unreserved seating at tables. Only low chairs and blankets permitted on the lawn.*

*Photo by Artshoot Media.*

# MUSIC ON THE TERRACE



## BEWITCHED

WITH RACHELLE DURKIN AND THE AUSTRALIAN BAROQUE ORCHESTRA

An exciting concert featuring the music of powerful and magical women of baroque opera performed by the brilliant soprano Rachele Durkin and the Australian Baroque Orchestra.

**Sunday 12 June, 4pm**  
**Government House Ballroom**

*Concert duration 75 minutes with no interval.*

*Photo by Andrew Keshan.*

Be seduced by the enchanting world of Vivaldi, Handel and Purcell performed on baroque instruments and directed by violinist Helen Kruger. The program includes some of the greatest arias of baroque heroines as well as stunning instrumental concertos and overtures.

PRICING	STANDARD	MEMBER
Standard	\$60	\$50
Subscription*	\$55	\$45
Under 30	\$30	-

*\*Choose all five Music on the Terrace concerts to receive subscriber discount*

#### SUBSCRIPTION PRICE FOR FIVE CONCERTS

Standard	\$275
Member	\$225



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## ALLEGRI TO ABBA

WITH THE ST GEORGE'S CATHEDRAL CONSORT DIRECTED BY JOSEPH NOLAN

A stunning program that begins with masterworks of the Renaissance and ends with modern-day classics by ABBA and Elton John.

St George's Cathedral Consort is one of Australia's leading choral ensembles and is frequently praised for its beautifully blended and lush sound. Joseph Nolan is internationally acclaimed as an organist and conductor with a reputation for exciting and vibrant performances.

The concert begins with the beautiful Allegri's *Miserere*, which might never have been performed outside the Vatican were it not for the audacity of a 14-year-old Mozart who transcribed it from memory after hearing a single performance. The world has since come to love the haunting quality of this music.

The second half of this concert is devoted to the rich, sonorous harmonies of the blues and contemporary classics. The *Lion Sleeps Tonight*, arranged by Jonathan Rathbone, is great fun and the ABBA arrangements demonstrate the sheer genius of the original compositions.

**Sunday 24 July, 4pm**  
**Government House Ballroom**

*Concert duration 75 minutes with no interval.*

*Photo by Russell Barton.*

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## ROMANCE TO REVOLUTION

RUSSIA'S QUEST FOR IDENTITY PRESENTED BY ALAN DODGE

Throughout the second half of the 19<sup>th</sup> century, writers, artists and composers were on a quest to establish a voice that was uniquely Russian in music, literature and art. In music, this 'Russianness' was pursued by *The Mighty Handful*; Mily Balakirev, César Cui, Modest Mussorgsky, Nikolai Rimsky-Korsakov and Alexander Borodin, and resulted in a stunning catalogue of musical treasures with a distinctly Russian voice.

This concert charts a journey through life, art and music of late 19<sup>th</sup> century Russia, presented by the brilliant and entertaining Alan Dodge and featuring some of Perth's finest chamber music performers.

**Sunday 18 September, 4pm**  
**Government House Ballroom**

*Concert duration 75 minutes with no interval.*

*Photo by Nik Babic.*



## LOST AND FOUND

WITH LIT LIVE, PRESENTED BY SARAH MCNEILL

Lit Live, Perth's premiere storytelling company, presents the world's best short fiction about those who have left lives behind and found new adventures, lost and found love, gained insight and lost innocence.

The stories, read by professional actors, will be accompanied by the greatest finds – some of Western Australia's finest musicians including young emerging artists performing live their own magical musical stories.

**Sunday 16 October, 4pm  
Government House Ballroom**

*Concert duration 75 minutes with  
no interval.*

## ALEXANDER GADJIEV IN RECITAL

FIRST PRIZE WINNER OF SYDNEY INTERNATIONAL PIANO COMPETITION

Alexander Gadjiev is the First Prize winner of the prestigious and internationally renowned Sydney International Piano Competition. Awarded by an international jury that included our own Mark Coughlan, Gadjiev stole the show in this year's competition, winning half of all the available prizes – the first time in the competition's 44 year history.

Born in Gorizia, near Italy's border with Slovenia, the 26 year old Alexander has studied in Salzburg and Berlin and performed in many of the world's great musical centres. For his Winner's Tour of Australia he will perform some of the best-loved piano music of Chopin as well as Schumann's grand and noble Fantasy in C major.

**Sunday 6 November, 4pm  
Government House Ballroom**

*Refreshments will be served at interval.*



## BOOKING FORM 2022

or book online [perthconcerthall.com.au](http://perthconcerthall.com.au)

Tickets are available from Perth Concert Hall Box Office. To book your tickets, book online at [perthconcerthall.com.au](http://perthconcerthall.com.au), call 9231 9999 or fill out the below form.



**RETURN FORM** | Mail: Perth Concert Hall, 5 St Georges Terrace, Perth WA 6000. In Person: Visit the Perth Concert Hall Box Office at Perth Concert Hall, 5 St Georges Terrace, Perth (Monday to Friday, 9am - 5pm)

### PERSONAL DETAILS

Mr  Mrs  Miss  Ms  Dr  Other (Please specify) \_\_\_\_\_

First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Surname \_\_\_\_\_

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Do you or your companion require wheelchair access?  Yes  No

### SELECT CONCERTS

Please indicate the number of tickets you require. Select all five Music on the Terrace concerts to access subscription pricing\*.

JAZZ ON THE LAWN	PRICING	STANDARD			MEMBER		SUBTOTAL	
		LAWN	TABLE^	LAWN	TABLE^			
Libby Hammer	Sun 27 Mar	COVID-19 RESCHEDULE – SOLD OUT						
WA Jazz Project	Sun 4 Dec	\$55	\$65	\$45	\$55		\$	
MUSIC ON THE TERRACE		STD	SUB*	U30	MEM	SUB*		
		\$60	\$275	\$30	\$50	\$225	\$	
Bewitched	Sun 12 Jun						\$	
From Allegri to ABBA	Sun 24 Jul						\$	
Romance to Revolution	Sun 18 Sep						\$	
Lost and Found	Sun 16 Oct						\$	
Alexander Gadjiev in Recital	Sun 6 Nov						\$	
The Duel	SELECT DATE	STANDARD			MEMBER			
		\$250			\$225			
12, 13, 14, 15 May							\$	
							<b>TOTAL</b>	\$

^Unreserved seating at tables.

# THE DUEL

WEST AUSTRALIAN OPERA IN ASSOCIATION WITH THE UNIVERSITY OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA CONSERVATORIUM OF MUSIC

Was this Music's greatest competition? In 1786 a standoff was held in one of the world's most lavish palaces. Joseph II (Holy Roman Emperor) had set his tame composers a challenge, pitting the Italian opera style against the German 'singspiel'. With both pieces performed on the same night, at stake was more than pride, the winner would be feted with commissions and patrons, the loser, fighting for scraps.

In one corner, the established Antonio Salieri set an opera buffa entitled *Prima la musica e poi le parole* (First the Music, then the Words) and in the other corner the still upstart Wolfgang Mozart, flying the nationalistic flag with his comedy *Der Schauspieldirektor* (The Impresario).

For this re-creation, we invite you to get up close and personal in the intimate surrounds of Government House Ballroom with stages at either end, dinner with your friends and a time machine back to the eighteenth century. Decide for yourself who wins – Mozart or Salieri?

**12 - 15 May, 7pm**  
**Government House Ballroom**

*Featuring UWA Chamber Musicians.*

*Sung in Italian and German with English surtitles.*

*Reserved table seating. Ticket price includes dinner and beverages.*

*More information: [waopera.asn.au](http://waopera.asn.au)  
Tickets: [perthconcerthall.com.au](http://perthconcerthall.com.au)*

*Performance subject to COVID-19 regulations.*

## BOOKING TOTAL & PAYMENT

	SUBTOTAL
Jazz on the Lawn	\$
Music on the Terrace	\$
The Duel	\$
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$</b>

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## MEMBERSHIP

Are you a member of Government House Foundation?

Yes, I am.     No, but I'm interested in becoming a member.  
(Please fill out the Membership form below or online at [govhouse.wa.gov.au/forms](http://govhouse.wa.gov.au/forms))

I would like to purchase an annual Government House Foundation membership

Individual (\$60)     Couple (\$110)

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## MEMBERSHIP/DONATION TOTAL & PAYMENT

	SUBTOTAL
Government House Foundation Membership	\$
Donation to the Westraliana Fund	\$
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$</b>

Please be aware, Membership or a donation payment will be separate from your booking payment.

## BECOME A MEMBER TO SAVE AND SUPPORT

2022 Annual Membership is \$60 (Individual), \$110 (Couple)

By becoming a member of the Government House Foundation, you are directly supporting the conservation, restoration and enhancement of this magnificent property and promoting the historic and contemporary relevance of Government House.

As a member you will enjoy benefits including;

- Member only events at Government House
- Priority bookings to the Music on the Terrace series
- Entitles you to purchase two tickets at Member price per event
- Regular updates and special offers from our arts industry associates

There are many opportunities to meet other friends who share the same appreciation for the importance of Government House and are part of a close community that embraces the Music on the Terrace and Jazz on the Lawn series.

To enquire about Government House Membership please visit: [govhouse.wa.gov.au/forms](http://govhouse.wa.gov.au/forms)

Or email Government House: [foundation@ghf.org.au](mailto:foundation@ghf.org.au)

## DONATE TO THE WESTRALIANA FUND

The Westraliana Fund is a public fund, established to further the objectives of the foundation in support of Government House. Donations to the Westraliana Fund are tax deductible and a receipt for your donation will be issued.

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