

Dear member of Sheffield Philharmonic Chorus

Our next rehearsal is Tues 5 May 2026, St Andrew's Church Psalter Lane,

- We will be rehearsing Mendelssohn's Elijah and the Proms repertoire from 7.00 - 8.45
- 8:45-9:15pm: Holst Planets – semi-chorus only.
- Please collect your music for the Proms repertoire, hire charge £2, correct change welcome.
- Georgina's workshop will be held 6:30-6:55 in the back room.

Message from Ros Hobson

England Concert with Brigantes Orchestra Saturday 16 May 2026 7.30pm Sheffield Cathedral

- Please find attached the Concert Notice for the above concert. If you are taking part in this concert please read this carefully.
- We will be standing for this concert so if you require a seat please email Georgina Hulse (GeorginaHulse@sheffieldphil.org) and she will make arrangements for you.
- If you spot any errors or omissions please let me know and I will do my best to resolve them.
- Some issues will have to wait until the afternoon rehearsal so that we can explore the options available to us.
- There will be copies of the Concert Notice available for you to photograph at the rehearsals on Tuesday 5 May and Tuesday 12 May 2026. I will also bring a small number of hard copies.

Librarian Posts

- We are looking for new librarians as Alan and Rosemary will be standing down at the next AGM.
- Please contact joannebriddock@sheffieldphil.org if you can help.
- Please see 12 April update for details.

Volunteers wanted to produce rehearsal notes

- We are still looking for volunteers to make rehearsal notes available after each rehearsal. This will be done on a rota basis so will not be an onerous task.
- As many members commented in the membership survey that they would be happy to take on non-committee roles, this is an ideal opportunity to help out with an invaluable task.
- If you think you can help please email me Secretary@sheffieldphil.org or catch me at rehearsal.

End of Season Social: Sunday 7 June 2026, 6:45pm

- The Forum Sheffield, 129 Division Street, Sheffield S3 7SB
- Everyone who is coming needs to book in with the venue in advance, whether you are having food or just drinks.

- So, please use this link to book your place for drinks only (pay at the bar) or to book and pay for the buffet (£15 per person). You can book for yourself and your guests, or you can send the link to your guests for them to book for themselves.
- [Book for end of season social](#)

Charity Mozartathon, 6-7 June 2026 from 10am

- You are invited to join Chris Wiltshire as he performs all of Mozart's Piano Sonatas, Variations, Fantasias and Duets (with Jonathan Lazell) in aid of Alzheimer's Research UK.
- Drop in and meet the family at 27 Hallam Grange Rise, S10 4BE.
- Chris is dedicating this event to his wife Pat, a long standing former member of the Chorus.

Please see our website for all other details. <http://www.sheffieldphil.org/>

- [2025-26 Rehearsal schedule](#)
- [Preparing the music](#)
- [2025-26 and 2026-27 Diary dates](#) compulsory tutti rehearsal for Elijah is Sun 7 June 11:00-14:00
- [Darius' concerts](#)
- [Singing opportunities](#)

Best wishes, Christine Pennington

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