CHEPSTOW CHORAL SOCIETY NEWSLETTER August 2015



Welcome to our summer newsletter. We hope that this finds you all well and enjoying a well deserved break in the glorious sunshine. Many thanks and well done to all those members who were able to join us at St. Mary's for our summer concert. Our thanks also go to the unseen helpers who offer their services repeatedly. Enjoy your summer break and return with renewed energy ready to commence our Patrons Evening and Christmas programmes.

Dates for your diary:

- Wednesday 2nd September: Rehearsals commence .Arts Hall 7.30pm.
- Wednesday 30th September: AGM (short rehearsal first)
- Wednesday 21st October: Patrons' Evening. Arts Hall 7.30pm.
- Wednesday 18th November: Sectional rehearsal. Details TBC.
- Sunday 29th November: Festive Carols at St. Pierre 2pm.
- Sunday 13th December: Music for Christmas. Our traditional Christmas Celebration. St Mary's Church 3pm.
- Saturday 19th March 2016: Passiontide Concert. St. Mary's
- Wednesday 29th June 2016: A night of Opera.

Change of venue 23/9/15: Itton Village Hall

Members News

A gentle reminder - a certain level of rehearsal commitment is required in order for members to perform at our concerts. We ask that you attend at least 70% of full rehearsals. We understand that on certain occasions this will not always be possible and a decision on suitability to perform will be taken.

What are the committee up to?

- Website: Our new website has finally arrived and it was well worth the wait. Many, many thanks to Angela for all her hard work and dedication to this project.
- AGM: It is that time of year again!!
 Our AGM will soon be upon us.
 Please consider whether you feel
 able to join our extremely friendly
 committee. Cake is always on offer
 at every meeting.
- Publicity: Our Publicity team continue to work hard to promote CCS far and wide.

Social Events

Watch this space for more social events in the near future.

Voice Representative News

If you have any queries, ideas, issues then let them know and they can bring them to our committee meetings.

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