## Mid Argyll Arts Association

Established in 1983 to foster and promote the understanding and appreciation of the arts and to increase the accessibility of the arts to the general public throughout the Mid Argyll area.

### **Ticket prices**

Concerts

Adult - £12 Concession - £10

School children / students - FREE

Tickets at the door

Season Tickets:

Adult - £60 Concession - £50

Dance - £5.00 per performance

Tickets at the door

Full details of our 2019-2020 season are also on our website: www.maaa.org.uk

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#### Dance

in association with Mid Argyll Community Dancers

Friday 13<sup>th</sup> September

#### **Scottish Contemporary Dance School**

at 7.30pm in Ardrishaig Public Hall

Sponsored by Kames Fish Farm

Saturday

10.00 - 11.30am in Ardrishaig Public Hall



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Programme of events

September 2019 to March 2020



All concerts in Ardrishaig Public Hall except where shown

Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> September 2019 AGM at **6.15pm** followed at **7.30pm** 

Katherine Aitken mezzo-soprano with accompanist

Scottish mezzo-soprano Katherine Aitken is a graduate of the Royal College of Music and Royal Academy of Music, London. During her time in the Royal Academy Opera, Katherine sung roles including Cherubino in Mozart's *Le nozze di Figaro* and La Ciesca in Puccini's *Gianni Schicchi*. After completing her formal education, Katherine was a member of the Studio Opéra de Lyon where she performed the roles of L'Enfant (Ravel's *L'Enfant et les Sortilèges*) and Valetto (Monteverdi's *L'incoronazione di Poppea*). Katherine also recently premiered the role of Wild Woman in *Aurora* by Noah Moseley with Bury Court Opera.

Saturday 26th October 2019 at 3.00pm

Maximiliano Martín clarinet

With Scott Mitchell piano

Spanish clarinettist and international soloist. Maximiliano Martin is one of the most exciting and charismatic musicians of his generation. He combines his position of Principal Clarinet of the Scottish Chamber Orchestra with solo, chamber music engagements and masterclasses all around the world. Scotland-based pianist Scott Mitchell has performed extensively as a chamber music pianist and accompanist throughout Great Britain, Europe. South America and the Middle East. As a result of his varied chamber music activities he performs regularly at St. John's Smith Square, Purcell Room and the Wigmore Hall in London. He has also appeared at many of the world's major festivals including the Edinburgh and the Festival Wiener Klassik.

Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> November 2019 at **3.00pm** 

Vitaly Pisarenko piano

Russian pianist **Vitaly Pisarenko** was born in Kiev, Ukraine in 1987. He had his first public recital at the age of 6. Following his first musical training at music schools in Kiev and Kharkov, he commenced his study in Moscow. He won First Prize in 2008 at the 8th International Franz Liszt Piano Competition in Utrecht, the Netherlands. Vitaly's packed tour schedule, with world-wide engagements, commenced straight away, performing in more than 25 countries.

Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> January 2020 at **3.00pm** 

### **Fyrish String Quartet**

in the Council Chamber at Kilmory Castle

Joe Hodson violin

Yvette Rosie viola

Tim Cais 'cello

Established in late 2017, the Fyrish String Quartet is a young, vibrant ensemble. Each member is a talented musician who excelled whilst studying at university and collectively they have received tuition from some of the UK's leading musicians. Bringing energy and charisma, the Fyrish String Quartet will present a thrilling programme not to be missed.

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Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2020 at **3.00pm** 

in the Lochgilphead Parish Church

#### **Meadow Wind Octet**

The Meadows Chamber Orchestra is one of the UK's finest amateur orchestras. It occupies a unique place in Scottish musical life. For this concert, there will be eight of its outstanding young members performing a selection of music guaranteed to surprise and provide an afternoon of pure enjoyment.

Saturday 14th March 2020 at 7.30pm

in the Lochgilphead Parish Church

Ugly Bug Ragtime 3
John Burgess clarinet

Ross Milligan guitar and banjo Andy Sharkey string bass

This highly talented trio brings together three of Scotland's finest jazzers to play a wonderful mix of hot rags, blues and stomps from the golden age of jazz all delivered with real drive, swing and verve by the wee band with the big, big sound. Whilst showing due reverence to tradition, each and every piece is stamped with their own personalities and the experience they have gained over the years working alongside many of the jazz "greats" such as Stephane Grappelli and Earl Hines. The trio has played at Jazz Festivals all over their native land often playing with some very special guests including Enrico Tomasso, Leroy Jones, Brian Kellock and Roy Williams.