

October 2015

Welcome to the 66th season of the Ellesmere Port Music Society!

Thank you, once again, for the support and assistance which you have given to the Society in the past. We appreciate very much the continued interest taken by local industry and businesses. As usual, we have a varied season before us, as you will see from the enclosed schedule, and I hope very much that your company will wish to continue to support the Society as a Patron, and that you will enjoy the two main concerts which we have planned under our Music Director, **Lloyd Buck**, and our Chairman, **John Murray**.

The Commercial Patrons' scheme remains as before, with Bronze, Silver and Gold support levels:

Bronze Level (£60 + per season) will entitle the Patron / Organisation to 2 complimentary tickets for each of our concerts (December and April)

Silver Level $(\pounds 100 + \text{per season}) - 2$ complimentary tickets per concert plus commercial advertising in the programme, on the EPMS website and any other relevant publicity

Gold Level (£200 + per season) - 4 complimentary tickets per concert, plus advertising as above.

At present, donations vary between £100 and £250, although of course there is no upper limit. Our concerts are usually very well supported and include patrons from many parts of the Wirral, North Wales, wider Cheshire as well as from Chester and Ellesmere Port itself.

Our traditional pattern of a November Concert followed by a Carol Concert in December has been replaced this year with one Christmas Gala Concert on 12th December, enabling us to have a longer rehearsal period. The April Concert schedule remains unchanged. "The Patron" newsletter will be sent out as usual during February. We will also be organizing our usual social events - you would be very welcome to attend these to enjoy a convivial evening together.

If you would like to continue your support to the Society, please complete the enclosed form and

send it, together with your donation, to the address shown on the form <u>as soon as possible</u>. Please confirm whether or not you would like the complimentary tickets, and whether in the stalls or the balcony. If you wish to order further tickets (£15 balcony or stalls, students 18 and over £7.50, under 18s free of charge) please include a note when you return the form or order direct from chorus members or by contacting the Ticket Secretary, Sue Kilgallen, on 0151 339 5225 or email <u>epmsnews@yahoo.com</u>. Alternatively you can email me at the address below.

Finally, I pass on to you once again the Society's sincere gratitude and best wishes for the coming season. We really do value your commitment and support towards us.

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66th Season - 2015 - 2016

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Ellesmere Port Music Society for the season 2015 - 2016 at

Bronze Level (£60+)

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We do / do not require commercial publicity at the EPMS concerts (exact details will be confirmed later)

We will / will not require complimentary tickets for the concerts (please contact us to order these)

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