

Friends of
West Green House



Opera



Why support West Green House Opera?

- West Green House Opera was established to present Country House Opera sung in English especially those excellent early operas so often created for Country House entertainment. Our productions are played in our covered Green Theatre, the centre piece of an exceptional garden enhanced on the Opera evenings by the spectacle of a Fete Champêtre making West Green House Opera presentations unique.
- West Green House commissions new productions each year. These have included the baroque masterpieces of Purcell, Lampe, Gay, Mozart and Vivaldi. In addition, we sponsor specialist early music companies to perform. In 2008 Sweden's Drottningholm Opera and Orchestra performed Haydn and in 2010 New Chamber Opera, Oxford, presented Cavalli's Erismena, the first opera ever to be translated into English.
- A series of rarely heard twentieth century one act opera productions have been commissioned. Stravinsky, Bernstein, Britten, Walton and Ravel to add to West Green House's body of work for an intimate theatre.
- In 2012 West Green House Opera in conjunction with a major opera company will inaugurate an emerging artists programme by presenting a newly commissioned production in which they will perform.
- To reach the widest possible audience, West Green House presents recitals, designed for all musical interests. The "Haus Musik" series brings international artists to West Green House to perform for those with a deep interest in music. The "Afternoon Tea with music" series performed informally in our conservatories bringing the joy of music to the local community. Our family concert is held near Midsummer's day with a large choir to entertain in a lakeside picnic setting.

Become a Friend of West Green House

Join today

Join us today to discover just how rewarding Friendship can be. Friends share our passion for presenting Country House Opera. Ticket revenue covers less than half of the costs of producing opera and financial help from individuals, corporates, trusts and foundations is vital in assisting us in realising West Green House Opera's goals.

How we can reward you

In recognition of your support we extend a range of privileges and take every opportunity we can to bring you closer to West Green House Opera.



A West Green House Opera Friend
Solo Friend £150 Duet Friend £300.

A West Green House Opera Friend receives
Advance information on all events.
Priority booking.
A newsletter three times a year to keep you informed.
An invitation to a pre- Opera talk and get together.

A West Green House Bronze Opera Patron
£500 plus

A West Green House Bronze Opera Patron receives
All of the above.
Recognition of your generosity in our programme.
Priority seating at all Operas and Concerts.
An invitation to our "Haus Musik" concert and dinner.

A West Green House Silver Patron
£1000 - £3000 plus

A West Green House Silver Opera Patron receives
All of the above.
An invitation to post Opera drinks in the house to meet the Director, Conductor and leading artists.
An invitation to the dress rehearsal of our new emerging artists programme and an opportunity to meet these musicians at the start of their careers.

A West Green House Gold Patron
£5000 plus

This is a group of our most generous and loyal supporters who have made it possible to take on challenging projects and to push our artistic boundaries.

A West Green House Gold Patron receives
All of the above.
Bespoke opportunities for further involvement in

- Our emerging artists programme
- To work with us to bring the renowned Early Opera companies to England. To visit them before they come and to enjoy their time with us both musically and socially

Join the Friends of West Green Opera

Please return to:

West Green House Opera, Thackhams Lane, Hartley Wintney, Hook, Hampshire, RG27 8JB

Donation Form

Mr/Mrs/Miss (name)

Address

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Postcode Telephone

Email address

I would like to be a Friend/Patron of West Green House Opera at the following level:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Friend Solo | £150 | £ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Friend Duet | £300 | £ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Bronze Patron | £500 plus | £ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Silver Patron | £1000 plus | £ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Gold Patron | £5000 plus | £ |

I would like to make an extra donation to the Opera Fund of £

Total £

Gift Aid

West Green House Opera has always been a non profit organisation presenting operas where emerging singers may have the opportunity to perform beside established artists in a fully professional production. We have now applied for Charity status and if this is approved your support in the future will be eligible for Gift Aid.

How to pay

- By cheque made payable to 'West Green House Opera Fund'
 By credit card

Card number

Valid from / Expires / Security code

Signature

First line of address to which the card is registered

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