

Strings Section

Sunday 11 March

St Margaret's School, Bushey

Adrian Brown LRAM ARAM

Adrian Brown comes from a distinguished line of Sir Adrian Boult's most gifted pupils. After graduating from the Royal Academy of Music in London, he studied intensively with Sir Adrian for some years. He remains the only British conductor to have reached the finals of the Karajan Conductors' Competition: in fact, the Berlin Philharmonic was the first professional orchestra he conducted. Sir Adrian wrote: 'He has always impressed me as a musician of exceptional attainments who has all the right gifts and ideas to make him a first-class conductor.'

Working with young musicians has also been an area where Adrian Brown has made a valuable contribution to British musical life, as well as in Europe, Japan and the Philippines. He has frequently conducted both the National Youth Orchestra of Great Britain (working closely with Sir Colin Davis and Sir Roger Norrington) and the National Youth Wind Orchestra. He regularly runs courses for young musicians, coaches gifted young conductors and was given the Novello Award for Youth Orchestras at the Edinburgh Festival.

Adrian Brown was one of a hundred musicians presented with a prestigious Classic FM Award at their Tenth Birthday Honours Celebration in June 2002.

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| 9.00 am | D1 | Violin – Beginner up to Grade 1 |
| 9.15 am | D2 | Violin – Novice Grades 1 & 2 |
| 10.15 am | D3 | Violin – Elementary Grades 3 & 4 |
| | D4 | Violin – Intermediate Grades 5 & 6 |
| 11.15 am | D4 | Violin – Advanced Grades 7 & 8 |
| 12.30 am | | Recital Classes: Any European Stringed Instrument |
| | | D38 Age 12 and under |
| | | D39 Age 16 and under |
| 1.00 pm | | Lunch |
| 1.45 pm | | Duet/Small Ensemble Classes |
| | D31 | Age 12 & under |
| | D32 | Age 14 & under |
| | D33 | Age 16 & under |
| 2.15 pm | D6 | Cello – Novice Grades 1 & 2 |
| | D7 | Cello – Elementary Grades 3 & 4 |
| | D8 | Cello – Intermediate Grades 5 & 6 |
| | D9 | Cello – Advanced Grades 7 & 8 |

3.00 pm	D23	Pedal Harp Grades 5 & 6
3.30 pm	D13	Classical Guitar – Beginner up to Grade 1
	D14	Classical Guitar – Novice Grades 1 & 2
4.30 pm	D15	Classical Guitar – Elementary Grades 3 & 4
	D16	Classical Guitar – Intermediate Grades 5 & 6
	D17	Classical Guitar – Advanced Grades 7 & 8
5.45 pm	G1	Composition -13 & Under Original Composition