

Become a Friend of the Edinburgh Singers

Support the Edinburgh Singers (ES) by becoming a 'Friend of the Edinburgh Singers'.

History of the ES

The ES was formed as an amateur choir in 1952. Whether singing in support of local and national charities, or performing in major venues such as the Usher Hall, the choir has been part of the city's music scene ever since. The ES has gone from strength to strength in recent years, with concerts featuring Mendelssohn's Elijah, Bach's Mass in B minor, and Beethoven's Mass in C, as well as programmes including shorter pieces and songs and, of course, Christmas music.

The ES toured to Tuscany in October 2007, singing to packed audiences in Florence, Montecatini Terme, and San Gimignano. The varied programme of classical, modern, and Scottish pieces was anchored by the beautiful Mass in G minor by Ralph Vaughan Williams.

The ES is regularly invited to sing on radio and on TV's Songs of Praise, and were regional finalists in the BBC Choir of the Year 2008, singing Finzi's "My Spirit Sang All Day", and the beautiful and haunting "Sleep" by Eric Whitacre.

What do I get by joining Friends of the Edinburgh Singers?

Membership will normally run from September to August – the choir's year. For this first, launch year, a reduced membership fee will cover the period January to August 2010. By joining you will receive the following benefits:

- A regular ES newsletter with features and events
- Direct notification of all concerts
- £1 off all ES concert tickets purchased in advance of a concert
- where possible, preferential seating at our concerts

All membership fees go towards supporting current and future activities of The Edinburgh Singers.

How do I join?

Please complete the application form on the back of this flier and mail to:

Secretary
The Edinburgh Singers
127 Caroline Terrace
Edinburgh EH12 8QU

or email a scanned copy of your signed application to choir@edinburghsingers.org.uk

FRIENDS OF THE EDINBURGH SINGERS

APPLICATION FORM

Year of membership: _____

Membership fee January – August 2010 - £6.00

- I am paying in person
- I enclose a cheque / postal order made payable to 'The Edinburgh Singers'
- I would like to pay via an online banking transfer. Please provide me with the information to do so.

Note: If you are applying for multiple persons, please complete and submit a separate form for each person, but you are welcome to pay for multiple applications together.

Please print clearly and complete all fields below

Name: _____

Address: _____

Post Code: _____

Email Address: _____

I am renewing my membership Yes No

If you have any questions, please contact the choir secretary at choir@edinburghsingers.org.uk.

We look forward to welcoming you to *FOES!*

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Payment processed Date: _____ Name: _____ Receipt No.: _____

Bank Transfer Information: _____ Membership No.: _____