



### **Programme for Spring 2024**

Meetings are held monthly on Saturdays  
at Dower Court, William Plows Avenue, Heslington Road,  
York YO10 5AD  
2.00pm to 4.30pm.

#### **January 20th**

##### **Mikhail and the Song of the People**

Mikhail Glinka, the father of Russian music, was the inspiration for future composers including Borodin, Mussorgsky and Tchaikovsky. David Archer looks at the great music of Russia in the 19th century.

#### **February 17th**

##### **Follow that - again!**

A second round of music chosen by Gavin and David as follow-ons from your suggested pieces.

#### **March 16th**

##### **From the Emerald Isle**

Gavin Mist presents music from and about Ireland including works by John Field, Charles Stanford and Sir Hamilton Harty with a few Irish songs along the way.

#### **April 6th**

##### **Going HIPP**

Our guest speaker Alan George of the Fitzwilliam String Quartet explores the theory of Historically-informed Performance Practice in older music and how it has evolved over the years.

#### **May 11th**

##### **AN AFTERNOON IN THE COMPANY OF A GERMAN MASTER**

Stephen Davis will explore the life and works of Ludwig van Beethoven and examine some of his finest compositions including his opera *Fidelio*.

For more information please contact

Gavin Mist  
Tel. 01904 653193  
E-mail [pix-sounds@gavinmist.com](mailto:pix-sounds@gavinmist.com)