



The Gstaad Menuhin Festival, Switzerland

Sunday 9th – Saturday 15th August 2020

Each summer, the Swiss Alpine town of Gstaad is the setting for the Menuhin Festival, the inspirational legacy of one of the world's greatest violinists, Yehudi Menuhin. The Festival, which has long been synonymous with musical excellence, is mostly held in the beautiful frescoed churches of the Saanenland region of the Swiss Bernese Oberland. During our week-long visit, we attend 4 Festival performances.

Monday, 10th August 2020, 7.30 pm

GALA Chamber Music Recital Grigory Sokolov

Grigory Sokolov, Piano

The programme will be announced later

Venue: Saanen Church

Wednesday, 12th August 2020, 7.30 pm

Chamber Music Sonett für Wien – Brigitte Geller & Manuel Lange

Brigitte Geller, Soprano
Manuel Lange, Piano

Music by Zemlinsky, Korngold ("Sonett für Wien"), Mahler, Zeisl and Schönberg

Venue: Lauenen Church

Continued overleaf ⇒

Thursday, 13th August 2020, 7.30 pm

Chamber Music

Jeremy Menuhin & Friends

Jeremy Menuhin, Piano & Composition
Mookie Menuhin, Piano
Carmina Quartet

Jeremy Menuhin: Suite for 2 Pianos in the Baroque manner,
Quartet in 5 Movements (world premiere)
Lutoslawski: Paganini Variations
Shostakovich: String Quintet

Venue: Rougemont Church

Friday, 14th August 2020, 7.30 pm

Opera in concert version

Fidelio – Beethoven 250

Kampe, Kaufmann & van Zweden – Gstaad Festival Orchestra II

Anja Kampe, Soprano (Leonore)
Jonas Kaufmann, Tenor (Florestan)
Matthias Winckler, Bassbaritone (Don Fernando)
Sebastian Holecek, Baritone (Don Pizarro)
Gunther Groissbock, Bass (Rocco)
Christina Landshamer, Soprano (Marzelline)
Patrick Grahl, Tenor (Jaquino)
Wiener Singverein
(Johannes Prinz, Coach)
Gstaad Festival Orchestra
Jaap van Zweden, Conductor

Beethoven: Recorder Concertino, opera in 2 acts – *in concert version*

Venue: Gstaad Festival Tent

Caveat: The performances listed may be subject to change by the Festival organisers.