

Wagner Society of New Zealand

PROGRAMMES AROUND NEW ZEALAND FOR 2006

AUCKLAND

- Sunday 16 April, 7.30pm **At Music Theatre, School of Music, 6 Symonds Street**
'Wagner and France: A Tale of Two Cultures' (Heath Lees)
- Sunday 21 May, 7.30pm **At Music Theatre, School of Music, 6 Symonds Street**
Wagner's birthday: AGM, and DVD of *Die Walküre* Act 1 (Kupfer/Bayreuth)
- Sunday 16 July, 7.30pm **At Music Theatre, School of Music, 6 Symonds Street**
'Wagner and the Visual Arts' (Chris Brodrick)
- Sunday 10 September, 4pm **At Music Theatre, School of Music, 6 Symonds Street**
Tristan und Isolde. Complete performance with dinner during intervals
- Sunday 26 November, 7.30pm **At Music Theatre, School of Music, 6 Symonds Street**
Christmas Extras: Requests, round-ups and a few surprises
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WELLINGTON

- Saturday 18 March, 3.45pm **At Rutherford House (near Railway Station), 12th Floor**
Reception for all Wagner Society members, from home and overseas, who are attending *Parsifal* performances
- Sunday 21 May, 2.30pm **At Rex Benson's House, 46 Garden Road, Northland**
'A Tribute to Birgit Nilsson' (Les Austin, with Introduction by Les Holborow)
- Sunday 6 August, 4pm **At Massey Museum Theatrette, Buckle Street**
'Wagner and the Visual Arts' (Chris Brodrick)
- Sunday 8 October, 4pm **At Massey Museum Theatrette, Buckle Street**
'Bach and Wagner: Two Great Composers Separated by a Common Musical Language?' (Heath Lees)
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CHRISTCHURCH

- Friday 21 April, 7.30pm **At Lecture Theatre A6, University of Canterbury**
'The Ring and the Life-cycle of an Audience' (Heath Lees) followed by a DVD of *'The Making of the Adelaide Ring'*
- Friday 19 May, 7.30pm **(Venue to be announced)**
Wagner's Birthday. Pot Luck Dinner.
- Friday 21 July, 7.30pm **At Lecture Theatre A6, University of Canterbury**
The Flying Dutchman, Act 1, introduced by John Pattinson
- Friday 18 August, 7.30pm **At Lecture Theatre A6, University of Canterbury**
The Flying Dutchman, Acts 2 and 3.
- Friday 20 October, 7.30pm **At Lecture Theatre A6, University of Canterbury**
'Wagner and the Visual Arts' (Chris Brodrick)
- Sunday 3 December, 6.30pm **At John and Ann Pattinson's home, 37b Highland Place, Avonhead.**
Christmas BBQ

