

# SINGING DAY

**Sat 23 June 2018**

RSCM France is the French area of the Royal School of Church Music, dedicated to promoting church music in all styles of worship.

This Singing Day offers you the chance to prepare and sing a service of Evensong, including music by Howells, Harris, Ives and Rutter, directed by Martin van Bleek, Chairman of RSCM NW Europe and conductor of the European Cathedral Singers. He is also Director of Music at St. Anna and St. Mary's Anglican Church in Haarlem, Netherlands. The Singing Day will take place at St John the Evangelist Church in St Raphaël, Var, and is open to all RSCM Affiliates, Members and Friends, as well as other interested singers. Dress: smart casual (no robes).

**Programme:** 9.30 Registration and coffee  
10.00 Session 1  
12.30 Packed lunch  
13.30 Session 2  
15.00 Tea/coffee break  
15.30 Session 3  
16.30 Evensong

**Music:** A special book will be compiled for the occasion and we will try to provide the music in advance of the event.

**Catering:** Please bring a packed lunch. Tea, coffee & biscuits will be provided throughout the day.

**Participation fee:** 35€ for singers from affiliated churches and schools, Members and Friends  
40€ for all other singers  
15€ for singers under 18

**Venue:** St John the Evangelist Church, 117 av Paul Doumer, 83700 St Raphaël

**Getting there:** In the centre of St Raphaël, short walk from train (TGV) and bus station.  
Car: Paying street parking nearby, or station car park.  
Church website: [www.sjevar.com](http://www.sjevar.com)

**Accommodation:** If you would like to stay over, there are several hotels within walking distance of the church, at varying prices. Please ask for details.

**Bookings & information:** Shirley Rowson (Secretary)      Tel: 04 94 50 38 46  
Email: [rscmfrance@gmail.com](mailto:rscmfrance@gmail.com)

## BOOKING FORM

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So that we may order the correct number of music scores in advance, we invite you to register as soon as possible, and **no later than 6 June 2018**

Completed booking forms, with payment\*, should be sent to the secretary:  
Shirley Rowson, 262 Chemin des Bastides du Mitan, 83920 La Motte

*\*if you are attending from outside France, please ask for our bank details for payment*

Please complete one form for each participant.

Title (Mr, Mrs, Dr, Revd etc): ..... Surname: .....

First name: ..... Age (if under 18) .....

Address: .....

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Home tel: ..... Mobile/portable: .....

Email: .....

Church/school/other institution (if applicable): .....

Voice:       Soprano       
              Alto           
              Tenor         
              Bass         

Special requirements (reduced mobility etc): .....

Do you give permission for photographs taken during the event to be used in our publicity?  
Yes        No

Do you agree to your name being added to our mailing list for news of future events?  
Yes        No

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I will be attending the RSCM Singing Day on 23 June 2018

I enclose a cheque for .....€ drawn on a French account and made payable to **RSCM France**.

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## **TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

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All fees are payable in euros. All bank charges must be paid by the applicant.

Fees are subject to change only in the event of circumstances beyond the control of RSCM France, including changes in taxation and exceptional surcharges imposed by suppliers.

### **Day courses**

Full payment, which covers administrative costs, is required at the time of booking and is non-refundable (except in the event of the course being cancelled by RSCM France).

### **Residential courses**

A deposit of 30% of the full fee is required on booking for residential courses.

Deposits cover administration costs and are therefore non-refundable (except in the event of the course being cancelled by RSCM France).

The balance of the full fee is due 6 weeks before the course. After this date, RSCM France reserves the right to re-allocate any places for which the fee has not been paid in full.

In the event of cancellation by the applicant more than 6 weeks (42 days) before the start of the course, amounts paid in advance, except for the deposit, will be refunded.

### **All courses**

In the case of cancellation by RSCM France, all fees paid will be refunded in full.

RSCM France cannot take responsibility for any other costs incurred due to cancellation, whether this is by the applicant or by RSCM France, or for reasons beyond our control (such as adverse weather or strike action). For this reason, we strongly recommend that you take out your own travel insurance.

RSCM France reserves the right at any stage to refuse an application without stating the reason. If a tutor or lecturer is absent, RSCM France will provide a suitable replacement.

RSCM France reserves the right to alter other features of the course, including venue, programme and facilities.

Please notify RSCM France of any special access, mobility, medical or dietary requirements when you first book to attend, especially if these will affect your ability to participate fully. RSCM France will endeavour to help where possible.

Any dependent adult student must be assisted by a full-time carer paying their own costs. RSCM France is unable to accept responsibility for the supervision of dependent adults in the care of students attending courses.

Under-18s may, at RSCM France's discretion, attend adult courses if accompanied by a parentally-designated adult guardian. Terms will vary according to circumstances, so please ask before booking.

Pets are not allowed. It may be possible to accommodate assistance dogs if advised in advance.