

OPERATIC AND SYMPHONY CELEBRITY CONCERT – OMAGGIO A GIUSEPPE VERDI (1813-1901)

STEP INTO THE SYMPHONY



The Societa' Filarmonica Nazionale La Valette of Valletta will be presenting a special Operatic and Symphony Band Concert entitled 'Omaggio a Giuseppe Verdi /Tribute to Giuseppe Verdi', encompassing overtures, arias, duets and choir selections from Verdi's repertoire. The La Valette Symphony Band is marking its 145th anniversary since its inception and the 92nd anniversary of its historic victory at the International Bands Competition held in Como, Italy. It will be held on Saturday 9th November 2019 at 7.30pm at the Auditorium, Catholic Institute, Floriana.

Renowned tenor Kaludi Kaludov from Bulgaria and Soprano Anna Dytry from Poland will perform arias and duets from Verdi's significant operas such as La Traviata, Aida, Rigoletto, Il Trovatore, La Forza del destino. The Coro Bel Canto will perform selections from Nabucco, La Traviata, Il Trovatore.

Kaludi Kaludov enjoys a highly successful international career, having performed at the La Scala of Milan and in the various opera houses of Trieste, Genova, Paris, Buenos Aires, Chicago and Houston in the US, Berlin and Hamburg in Germany, and Vienna. He distinguished himself in Verdi's Aida conducted by Mro Zubin Mehta in Tel Aviv, Israel, singing along with world famous opera singers

including Renato Bruson, Plácido Domingo, Sherill Milnes, Mirella Freni, under famous conductors like Claudio Abbado and Riccardo Muti. Kaludi has a rich repertoire of Verdi's operas, including Attila, Ernani, La forza del destino, La Traviata, Il Trovatore, Aida.

Anna Dytry was born in Poland and specialised in singing under the expertise of Kaludi himself. She performed leading roles of Micaela in Georges Bizet's Carmen, Desdemona in Otello, Leonora in Il Trovatore, Elisabetta in Verdi's Don Carlo, Liu in Madame Butterfly and Tosca in Giacomo Puccini's operas, Elvira in Mozart's Don Giovanni, Giulietta in Les Contes d'Hoffman by Jacques Offenbach, performing in world-class opera houses of Vienna, Maastricht, Poland, Bulgaria and Slovakia.

The La Valette Symphony Band will perform under the baton of Mro Dominic Darmanin. The event promises to be a tribute to Italian Opera by Malta's leading Symphony Band. *

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