

# Jonathan Plowright

## Newsletter



Spring 2014

*Read about Jonathan's recent concert successes in Germany and Poland, news of concerts coming up – including a rare London concert appearance in May, news of another Hyperion Romantic Piano Concerto recording this summer and the chance to win a CD from the series!*

### CONCERT APPEARANCES – RECENT

In the past few months Jonathan has visited Germany twice: a recital for the Chopin Society in Darmstadt, and a recital and masterclasses at the Musikhochschule in Lübeck. On both occasions he received a rapturous welcome from packed houses, and the press had this to say:

*"Langer und herzlicher Beifall für einen großartigen Künstler" Darmstädter Echo  
"There was a long and hearty applause for this magnificent artist"*

Read the full original review [here](#) and the English translation [here](#)

A chance to work with conductor Lukasz Borowicz again saw Jonathan travel to Poland where a capacity crowd of over 900 enjoyed a performance with the Poznan Philharmonic Orchestra of the wonderful Zelenski Piano Concerto No.1....



.....and afterwards bought the CD!



For your chance to win a copy of this CD, which reached No.3 in the Classical Charts, see further details at the end of this newsletter.

More information:  
[www.jonathanplowright.com](http://www.jonathanplowright.com)

## CONCERT APPEARANCES – COMING UP

### Pushkin House, Recital and interview with Bryce Morrison, 2 May:

A rare opportunity to hear Jonathan in recital in London, after which he is interviewed by the renowned writer and critic Bryce Morrison, who is considered to be one of the world's leading authorities on piano performance. In aid of the MCS Young Artist Fund.

Tickets and further info: <http://www.concert-diary.com/concert/660930572/Bryce-Morrison-s-Shoe-Horn-Concert-Jonathan-Plowright-piano>

### Charity Recital for 'Seeing Eye Dogs', St Mary's Church, Portchester Castle, 13 June:

A return invitation by the charity to perform in the grounds of this ancient historic castle on the south coast of England, following a sell-out success three years ago. Jonathan performs a light-hearted programme: all for a very good cause!

<http://www.stmary-portchester.org.uk/>

### Royal Conservatoire of Scotland Piano Summer School 28 – 30 August:

Not interested in the Commonwealth Games? Then why not head on over to the RCS Piano Summer School in Glasgow for your own five intensive days of training!

<http://www.rcs.ac.uk/shortcourses/musicadults/summerschools/piano1.html>

## JONATHAN TO RECORD 4<sup>th</sup> HYPERION ROMANTIC PIANO CONCERTO CD

Jonathan returns to Glasgow City Hall in August to join the BBC Scottish Symphony Orchestra for his fourth CD for the popular Hyperion Romantic Piano Concerto series, conducted once again by Lukasz Borowicz. Together they have unearthed some more rare Polish gems, this time by Ludomir Rozycki, a contemporary of Szymanowski. (<http://culture.pl/en/artist/ludomir-rozycki>)

For your chance to win a copy of Jonathan's 3<sup>rd</sup> Romantic Piano Concerto CD – featuring Concertos by Zelenski and Zarzycki, simply send a suitable caption to this photo to: [diane@jonathanplowright.com](mailto:diane@jonathanplowright.com) and the wittiest will win!



.....AND FINALLY:

## JONATHAN'S RECORDINGS PROMPT SHEET MUSIC REPRINTS

Following Jonathan's successful 'Homage to Paderewski' CD in 2011, Boosey & Hawkes have just re-printed the original sheet music, they write:

*"The publisher's decision to reissue this collection stands in recognition of the fact that the music which it contains is well worth current consideration even though many, perhaps most, of the composers have fallen into relative obscurity. One can easily convince oneself of this also thanks to Jonathan Plowright's excellent recording of Homage to Paderewski for the British Hyperion Records label. We wish to take this opportunity to thank him for his most valuable editorial help with the new edition."*

This follows hot on the heels of Oxford University Press's reissue of the sheet music 'Bach Book for Harriet', recorded by Jonathan a year earlier.

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**Two new videos added to Jonathan's Youtube Channel, click here to view:**

**Part One**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IAFsuDtNecA>

**Part Two**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DNHvSoJtPCA>

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