

THE RUSTY PLAYERS OF OUNDLE: CONDUCTOR - DAVID MILSTED

1st VIOLINS

Douglas Butler (Leader)
Jane Sanders
Richard Hartnell
Helen Franklin
Alison Green
Kate Thain

2nd VIOLINS

Susan Evans
Janet Marchand
Doug Northwood
Julian Fairweather
Elizabeth Megahey
Diana Awdry
Barbara Philp

VIOLAS

Ruth Hopkins
Alan Rayden
Ros Southgate
Angela Godwin
Louise Solt

CELLOS

Sue Healey
Clare Warman
Mary Franklin
Pat Baldwin
Lisa Hayden
Charlotte Williams
Lisa Emerson

FLUTES

Ann Speyer (+ piccolo)
Nicola Guise
Claire Yarland
Anne Worthington
Claire Lawson

OBOE

Richard McKim

CLARINETS

Caroline Green
Teresa Belchin

BASS CLARINET

Chris Gill #

DOUBLE BASS

Edward James

Guest player #
Total: 50

FRENCH HORNS

Barry Morrison
John Green
Andrew Ricketts

TRUMPETS

Hugh Illingworth
Ray Stewart
Justin Jeffrey

TROMBONES

Peter Browse
Richard Woollard
Rosemary Abram

TUBA

David Webb
Henry Bredin

TIMPANI

Caroline Hawkins

PERCUSSION

Joh Roberts
Kate Wishart #

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CHRISTMAS CONCERT

4pm

Saturday 7 December 2019

ST MARY'S CHURCH
TITCHMARSH



RPO DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

*All concerts followed
by afternoon tea!*

4pm Sunday 5 April 2020: RPO SPRING CONCERT
"MOVIE MATINÉE" - Oundle Primary School

4pm Saturday 11 July 2020: JOINT CONCERT with
Rusty Strings of Oundle and Rusty Strings of Callander
St Peter's Church, Oundle

4pm Sunday 12 July 2020: RPO FESTIVAL CONCERT
Oundle School Chapel



TEA served at the
end of the concert



Happy 10th Birthday to the Rusty Players

What an exciting musical adventure we have had since Chris Gill, our Founder, first came up with the idea of the RPO. Chris, a former resident of Oundle, was inspired to start the group after a visit to the town by the highly acclaimed author Alexander McCall Smith. McCall Smith regaled his audience with tales of his own orchestra in Edinburgh, known as the Really Terrible Orchestra. Following the visit, Chris decided to rescue his redundant clarinet from the attic, encourage his friends to do the same and then somehow convince them to get together to play. The Rusty Players of Oundle was born.

We thank and applaud Vince Davy our wonderful conductor for the first 10 years, having been involved from the beginning. Vince brought his professional expertise and experience to a group of rusty amateurs and somehow they made a decent sound. The orchestra grew from strength to strength under Vince's watchful eye and today it boasts over fifty members with all major orchestral departments represented.

Our players are from young to old and come from far and wide. We are an inclusive group, meeting fortnightly in Oundle Primary School on a Monday evening. We are always looking to welcome new members. Our entry requirements are an instrument, a music stand and a good sense of humour! The orchestra gives performances on a termly basis and have even toured to France and Norfolk. The Rusty Strings also separately have a program of performances. Our summer highlight for the past three years has been an invitation to the RPO to play at the Oundle International Festival.

This term we are delighted to welcome our new conductor, David Milsted. We feel honoured that David has agreed to take up the baton, bringing his phenomenal talent for music and a dynamic enthusiasm to the Rusty Players of Oundle as we embark on a new chapter.

Kate Thain, RPO Chairman

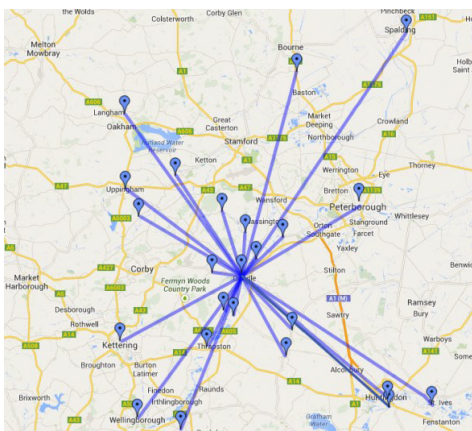
Look us up:

www.rustyplayersoundle.org.uk

Oundle's Rusty Orchestra returns to St Mary's Church Titchmarsh



Vince Davy's farewell performance conducting the RPO in Oundle School Chapel at the 2019 Oundle International Festival



RPO members come from far and wide!

PROGRAMME

The Liberty Bell March (1893) John Philip Sousa

Polka from 'Schwanda the Bagpiper' (1926) Jaromir Weinberger

Waltz from 'Suite no.2' for Jazz Orchestra (1938) Dmitri Shostakovich

Rusty Strings: *Sarabande* and *Praeludium* from 'Holberg Suite' (1884) Grieg

Sleigh Ride (1948) Leroy Anderson

White Christmas (1942) Irving Berlin, arr Milsted

A Christmas Medley arr Willcocks /Milsted

O come All Ye Faithful

Silent Night

Jingle Bells

Hark! The Herald Angels Sing

Radetzky March (1848) Johann Strauss, arr Meyer



The RPO are most grateful for the continued support of BULLEY DAVEY (Oundle)