

## **ANOTHER FEAST OF CLASSICAL MUSIC IN MANGONUUI**

Including works by Donizetti, Puccini, Lloyd-Webber and Mozart, excerpts from the Merry Widow, arias and duets from Don Pasquale, and more, to be held on the lawn of Mill Bay Haven, 19 Silver Egg Drive  
6.00pm to 8.00pm, Saturday 25 February 2012

### **Featuring:**

#### **Spectacular Soprano, Joanna Foote**

Joanna studied music at Auckland and Los Angeles universities and performed in Mill Bay Haven's 2007 concert near the beginning of her career. Soon after, she was a finalist in both the NZ Young Performer of the Year competition, and in the 2009 Aria competition in Sydney, and she won the 2009 NZ Aria competition. In recent years Joanna has been based in Europe, touring with Diva Opera, and has also performed in Scotland and in Seattle, USA. In 2010, she received a foundation grant from the Dame Kiri Te Kanawa Foundation.

#### **Exciting Baritone, Jared Holt**

Jared studied Classics and Law in NZ at the same time as continuing to perform in opera, oratorio and recital. In 2000, he won the NZ Mobil Song Quest and the Karaviotis scholarship enabling him to study at the Royal Opera House in the UK in 2003. Since then he has sung dozens of operatic roles in both the UK and in Italy. His oratorio performances include Handel's Messiah, as well as compositions by Bach, Orff, Rossini, Britten and Faure. In recitals Jared has performed Poulenc, Schubert, Strauss, Brahms and Duparc to name a few. His most recent performances have been in Australia and in NZ, mainly in Christchurch and in Dunedin.

#### **Accomplished Flutist, Alisa Willis**

Alisa completed her music studies in NZ, Germany and the USA. She then returned home to NZ to work with orchestras and flute students in NZ, and is currently free-lancing with the NZSO and APO, teaching at Auckland University, and playing with two trios. She has a special interest in exploring sound through free improvisation collaborations.

#### **Accompanying Pianist and Musical Director, Rosemary Barnes**

Rosemary Barnes, a stalwart of the Opera Factory in Newmarket, Auckland, has accompanied the renowned Kiri Te Kanawa among others, and will provide the piano accompaniment for all artists on the night. After 25 years studying and working in London, Rosemary returned to NZ in 1993, and now tutors and coaches emerging artists. She received an MNZM for services to music in the 2000 Queens Birthday Honours.

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Phone or email Anette or Tony Norman on 09 4061113 [anthoynorman@xtra.co.nz](mailto:anthoynorman@xtra.co.nz), or mail to P.O. Box 295, Mangonui 0442, to arrange tickets which are limited to 100, and cost \$85 per person including wine and cheese at interval. Entry must be prepaid, cheques payable to A. Norman or direct deposit to A & A Norman, BSB 030497, account 0304703-00, no ticket sales on the night. Park at Mill Bay boat ramp 100 metres from Mill Bay Haven, and allow 10 minutes for the walk to Mill Bay Haven. Dress smart casual and respect the artists by arriving on time.