

**Prom 1: First Night of the Proms**

20:15 Friday 13 July 2018 ON TV  
Royal Albert Hall

**Ralph Vaughan Williams**

Toward the Unknown Region (13 mins)

**Gustav Holst**

The Planets (52 mins)

**Anna Meredith**

Five Telegrams (22 mins)  
BBC co-commission with 14-18 NOW and Edinburgh  
International Festival: world première

National Youth Choir of Great Britain  
BBC Symphony Chorus  
BBC Proms Youth Ensemble  
BBC Symphony Orchestra  
Sakari Oramo *conductor*

**Prom 2: Mozart, Ravel and Fauré**

19:30 Saturday 14 July 2018  
Royal Albert Hall

**Gabriel Fauré**

Pavane (choral version) (5 mins)

**Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart**

Piano Concerto No 27 in B flat major (32 mins)

**Maurice Ravel**

Daphnis and Chloe (52 mins)

Francesco Piemontesi *piano*  
BBC Symphony Chorus  
City of London Choir  
Royal Philharmonic Orchestra  
Alain Altinoglu *conductor*

**Prom 3: BBC Young Musician 40th Anniversary**

19:00 Sunday 15 July 2018 ON TV  
Royal Albert Hall

**Ben Foster**

Fantasia on the Young Musician Theme  
BBC commission: world première

**Steve Reich**

Drumming - Part 1 (15 mins)

**Giovanni Sollima**

Violoncelles, vibrez! (12 mins)  
(new arrangement for 4 cellos & orchestra by Sollima)

**Iain Farrington**

Gershwinicity (13 mins)  
BBC commission: world première

**Camille Saint-Saëns**

The Carnival of the Animals (13 mins)

**Iain Farrington**

Carnival of the Animals (excerpts) (13 mins)

**David Bruce**

Sidechaining (10 mins)  
BBC commission: world première

**Maurice Ravel**

Tzigane (10 mins)

**James MacMillan**

Britannia (13 mins)

**Modest Mussorgsky**

Pictures at an Exhibition - 10. The Great Gate of Kiev (orch.  
Ravel)

Nicola Benedetti *violin*

Jennifer Pike *violin*

Nicholas Daniel *oboe*

Ben Goldscheider *horn*

Alexander Bone *saxophone*

Jess Gillam *saxophone*

Alexandra Ridout *trumpet*

David Childs *euphonium*

Natalie Clein *cello*

Guy Johnston *cello*

Sheku Kanneh-Mason *cello*

Laura van der Heijden *cello*

Michael Collins *clarinet*

Emma Johnson *clarinet*

Colin Currie *percussion*

Owen Gunnell *percussion*

Adrian Spillett *percussion*

Sam Walton *percussion*

Martin James Bartlett *piano*

Freddy Kempf *piano*

Lara Melda *piano*

Lauren Zhang *piano*

BBC Concert Orchestra

Andrew Gourlay *conductor*

**Proms at ... Cadogan Hall 1**

13:00 Monday 16 July 2018  
Cadogan Hall, London

**Caroline Shaw**

Second Essay: Echo (15 mins)  
Third Essay: Ruby

**Robert Schumann**

Piano Quintet in E flat major, Op 44 (30 mins)

Calidore String Quartet *ensemble*  
Javier Perianes *piano*

**Prom 4: Shostakovich's 'Leningrad' Symphony**

19:30 Monday 16 July 2018  
Royal Albert Hall

**Magnus Lindberg**

Clarinet Concerto (25 mins)

**Dmitri Shostakovich**

Symphony No 7 in C major, 'Leningrad' (75 mins)

Mark Simpson *clarinet*

BBC Philharmonic

Juanjo Mena *conductor*

**Prom 5: Debussy Pelléas et Mélisande**

18:30 Tuesday 17 July 2018  
Royal Albert Hall

**Claude Debussy**

Pelléas et Mélisande (180 mins)

Christina Gansch *Mélisande*  
 John Chest *Pelléas*  
 Christopher Purves *Golaud*  
 Brindley Sherratt *Arkel*  
 Karen Cargill *Genevieve*  
 Chloé Briot *Yniold*  
 Glyndebourne Festival Opera  
 London Philharmonic Orchestra  
 Robin Ticciati *conductor*

### Prom 6: An American in Paris & Turangalîla

19:30 Wednesday 18 July 2018  
 Royal Albert Hall

#### George Gershwin

An American in Paris (17 mins)

#### Olivier Messiaen

Turangalîla Symphony (74 mins)

Angela Hewitt *piano*  
 Cynthia Millar *ondes Martenot*  
 BBC Symphony Orchestra  
 Sakari Oramo *conductor*

### Prom 7: Jacob Collier and Friends

19:30 Thursday 19 July 2018 ON TV  
 Royal Albert Hall

Jacob Collier  
 Becca Stevens  
 Sam Amidon  
 Metropole Orkest  
 Hamid El Kasri  
 Take 6 *ensemble*  
 Jules Buckley *conductor*

### Prom 8: Youthful Beginnings

19:30 Friday 20 July 2018 ON TV  
 Royal Albert Hall

#### Lili Boulanger

D'un matin de printemps (5 mins)  
 D'un soir triste (11 mins)

#### Felix Mendelssohn

Piano Concerto No 1 in G minor (20 mins)

#### Morfydd Llwyn Owen

Nocturne (15 mins)

#### Robert Schumann

Symphony No 4 in D minor (original 1841 version) (28 mins)

Bertrand Chamayou *piano*  
 BBC National Orchestra of Wales  
 Thomas Søndergård *conductor*

### Proms at ... The Roundhouse

15:00 Saturday 21 July 2018  
 Roundhouse, Camden

#### Charles Ives

The Unanswered Question (6 mins)

#### Igor Stravinsky

Symphonies of Wind Instruments (1947 version) (9 mins)

#### Olivier Messiaen

Et exspecto resurrectionem mortuorum (35 mins)

Susan Bickley *mezzo-soprano*  
 London Sinfonietta  
 Sir George Benjamin *conductor*

### Prom 9: War & Peace

19:30 Saturday 21 July 2018  
 Royal Albert Hall

#### Eriks Esenvalds

Shadow (8 mins)

#### Benjamin Britten

Sinfonia da Requiem (21 mins)

#### Ludwig van Beethoven

Symphony No 9 in D minor, 'Choral' (65 mins)

Erin Wall *soprano*  
 Judit Kutasi *mezzo-soprano*  
 Russell Thomas *tenor*  
 Franz-Josef Selig *baritone*  
 BBC Proms Youth Choir  
 World Orchestra for Peace  
 Simon Halsey *conductor*  
 Donald Runnicles *conductor*

### Prom 10: Fauré, Franck & Widor's Toccata

11:00 Sunday 22 July 2018  
 Royal Albert Hall

#### Charles-Marie Widor

Organ Symphony No 5 in F minor, Op 42 (6 mins)

#### César Franck

Trois Pièces - Pièce héroïque (11 mins)

#### Gabriel Fauré

Pavane (arr. Apkalna) (8 mins)

#### Johann Sebastian Bach

Fantasia in G major, BWV 572 (10 mins)

#### Sir George Thomas Thalben-Ball

Variations on a Theme by Paganini (A Study for the Pedals) (8 mins)

#### Thierry Escaich

Deux Évocations (13 mins)

Iveta Apkalna *organ*

### Prom 11: Mahler Symphony of a Thousand

19:00 Sunday 22 July 2018  
 Royal Albert Hall

#### Gustav Mahler

Symphony No 8 in E flat major, 'Symphony of a Thousand'

Tamara Wilson *soprano*  
 Camilla Nylund *soprano*  
 Joëlle Harvey *soprano*  
 Christine Rice *mezzo-soprano*  
 Claudia Huckle *contralto*  
 Simon O'Neill *tenor*  
 Quinn Kelsey *baritone*  
 Morris Robinson *bass*  
 Southend Boys' Choir  
 Southend Girls' Choir

BBC National Chorus of Wales  
 BBC Symphony Chorus  
 London Symphony Chorus  
 BBC National Orchestra of Wales  
 Thomas Søndergård *conductor*

### Proms at ... Cadogan Hall 2

13:00 Monday 23 July 2018  
 Cadogan Hall, London

#### Jean-Philippe Rameau

Pièces de clavecin, Book 1 - Prelude in A minor (5 mins)  
 Pièces de clavecin, Book 3 (12 mins)  
 excerpts

#### Eve Risser

Furakèla (5 mins)  
 BBC commission: world première

#### François Couperin

Pièces de clavecin, Book 1 - Sarabande 'La lugubre'  
 Pièces de clavecin, Book 1 - Chaconne 'La Favorite'

#### Joseph-Nicolas-Pancrace Royer

Pièces de clavecin, Book 1 - La sensible  
 Pièces de clavecin, Book 1 - La marche des Scythes

Jean Rondeau *harpsichord*

### Prom 12: Beethoven, Shostakovich & Rachmaninov

19:00 Monday 23 July 2018 ON TV  
 Royal Albert Hall

#### Ludwig van Beethoven

Overture 'Coriolan' (8 mins)

#### Dmitri Shostakovich

Cello Concerto No 1 in E flat major (29 mins)

#### Andrew Norman

Spiral (6 mins)  
 UK première

#### Sergei Rachmaninov

Symphonic Dances (36 mins)

Alisa Weilerstein *cello*  
 BBC Symphony Orchestra  
 Karina Canellakis *conductor*

### Prom 13: Pioneers of Sound

22:15 Monday 23 July 2018 ON TV  
 Royal Albert Hall

#### Daphne Oram

Still Point (30 mins)  
 world première of revised version

Shiva Feshareki *turntables/electronics*  
 London Contemporary Orchestra  
 Robert Ames *conductor*

### Prom 14: Sibelius, Schubert & Zimmermann

19:30 Tuesday 24 July 2018  
 Royal Albert Hall

#### Richard Wagner

The Mastersingers of Nuremberg - overture (10 mins)

#### Franz Schubert

Die junge Nonne  
 Gretchen am Spinnrade  
 Lied der Mignon  
 Erlkönig

#### Bernd Alois Zimmermann

Symphony in One Movement (15 mins)

#### Franz Schubert

Fantasy in C major, D760, 'Wanderer' (orch. Liszt) (22 mins)

#### Jean Sibelius

Symphony No 7 in C major (22 mins)

Elizabeth Watts *soprano*  
 Louis Lortie *piano*  
 BBC Philharmonic  
 John Storgårds *conductor*

### Prom 15: Paul Lewis plays Beethoven's 'Emperor' concerto

19:30 Wednesday 25 July 2018 ON TV  
 Royal Albert Hall

#### Tansy Davies

What Did We See? (orchestral suite from 'Between Worlds')  
 BBC commission: world première

#### Ludwig van Beethoven

Piano Concerto No 5 in E flat major, 'Emperor' (38 mins)

#### Johannes Brahms

Symphony No 2 in D major (42 mins)

Paul Lewis *piano*  
 BBC Philharmonic  
 Ben Gernon *conductor*

### Prom 16: Stravinsky, Debussy & Wagner

19:30 Thursday 26 July 2018  
 Royal Albert Hall

#### Richard Wagner

Tannhäuser - overture (14 mins)

#### Claude Debussy

La damoiselle élue (20 mins)

#### Igor Stravinsky

Song of the Nightingale (20 mins)  
 The Firebird - suite (1945 version) (31 mins)

Sabine Devieille *soprano*  
 Anna Stéphany *mezzo soprano*  
 Hallé Choir (*female voices*)  
 Hallé Youth Choir (*female voices*)  
 Hallé  
 Mark Elder *conductor*

### Prom 17: Parry, Vaughan Williams & Holst

19:00 Friday 27 July 2018 ON TV  
 Royal Albert Hall

#### Hubert Parry

Symphony No. 5 in B minor (27 mins)

#### Ralph Vaughan Williams

The Lark Ascending (15 mins)

**Hubert Parry**

Hear my words, ye people (15 mins)

**Gustav Holst**

Ode to Death (12 mins)

**Ralph Vaughan Williams**

Pastoral Symphony (No. 3) (35 mins)

Tai Murray *violin*Francesca Chiejina *soprano*Ashley Riches *bass-baritone*

BBC National Chorus of Wales

BBC National Orchestra of Wales

Martyn Brabbins *conductor***Prom 18: Currentzis conducts Beethoven**

19:30 Saturday 28 July 2018

Royal Albert Hall

**Ludwig van Beethoven**

Symphony No 2 in D major (32 mins)

**Ludwig van Beethoven**

Symphony No 5 in C minor (31 mins)

MusicAeterna

Teodor Currentzis *conductor***Prom 19: Ten Pieces Prom**

13:00 Sunday 29 July 2018

Royal Albert Hall

**Kerry Andrew****Mason Bates****Joseph Bologne de Saint-Georges****Aaron Copland****Antonín Dvořák****Edward Elgar****Carl Orff****Henry Purcell****Jean Sibelius****Igor Stravinsky****Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky**

Music by Kerry Andrew, Mason Bates, Joseph Bologne (Chevalier de Saint-Georges), Copland, Dvořák, Elgar, Orff, Purcell, Sibelius, Stravinsky and Tchaikovsky

Naomi Wilkinson *presenter*

Ten Pieces Children's Choir

BBC Singers

London Music Masters

Phoenix Dance Theatre's Youth Academy

Brave New Voices from English PEN

BBC Symphony Orchestra

Rafael Payare *conductor*Denni Sayers *Stage Director***Prom 20: Ten Pieces Prom**

17:00 Sunday 29 July 2018

Royal Albert Hall

**Kerry Andrew****Mason Bates****Joseph Bologne de Saint-Georges****Aaron Copland****Antonín Dvořák****Edward Elgar****Carl Orff****Henry Purcell****Jean Sibelius****Igor Stravinsky****Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky**

Music by Kerry Andrew, Mason Bates, Joseph Bologne (Chevalier de Saint-Georges), Copland, Dvořák, Elgar, Orff, Purcell, Sibelius, Stravinsky and Tchaikovsky

Naomi Wilkinson *presenter*

Ten Pieces Children's Choir

BBC Singers

Denni Sayers *Stage Director*

London Music Masters

Brave New Voices from English PEN

Phoenix Dance Theatre's Youth Academy

BBC Symphony Orchestra

Rafael Payare *conductor***Proms at ... Cadogan Hall 3: Ancient Rituals and New Tales**

13:00 Monday 30 July 2018

Cadogan Hall

**Joseph Tawadros**

Constellation (5 mins)

Work (5 mins)

Permission to Evaporate (4 mins)

Gare De L'est (7 mins)

**Jessica Wells**

Rhapsody for solo oud (5 mins)

BBC commission: world première

**Joseph Tawadros**

Heal (6 mins)

Eye of the Beholder (4 mins)

Forbidden Fruit (5 mins)

Bluegrass Nikriz (4 mins)

Joseph Tawadros *oud***Prom 21: An Alpine Symphony**

19:30 Monday 30 July 2018

Royal Albert Hall

**Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart**

Notturmo in D major, K286 (17 mins)

**Georg Friedrich Haas**

Concerto grosso No. 1 (30 mins)

UK première

**Richard Strauss**

An Alpine Symphony (50 mins)

Hornroh Modern Alhorn Quartet

BBC Scottish Symphony Orchestra

Ilan Volkov *conductor***Prom 22: A London Symphony**

19:00 Tuesday 31 July 2018

Royal Albert Hall

**Joseph Haydn**

Symphony No. 104 in D major, 'London' (29 mins)

**Ralph Vaughan Williams**

A London Symphony (Symphony No 2) (50 mins)

BBC Scottish Symphony Orchestra

Andrew Manze *conductor*

**Prom 23: Havana Meets Kingston**

22:15 Tuesday 31 July 2018 ON TV  
Royal Albert Hall

Mista Savona *keyboard/samples*  
Randy Valentine *vocals*  
Solis *vocals*  
Brenda Navarrete *percussion/vocals*  
Julito Padrón *trumpet/vocals*  
Mathieu Bost *saxophone*  
Bopee *guitar*  
Rolando Luna *piano*  
Valery 'Valess' Assouan *bass*  
Manuel Garcia *drums*

**Prom 24: A Hero's Life**

19:00 Wednesday 1 August 2018  
Royal Albert Hall

**Dame Ethel Smyth**

The Wreckers - On the Cliffs of Cornwall (Prelude to Act 2) (8 mins)

**Antonín Dvořák**

Cello Concerto in B minor (42 mins)

**Richard Strauss**

Ein Heldenleben (45 mins)

Daniel Müller-Schott *cello*  
BBC National Orchestra of Wales  
Otto Tausk *conductor*

**Prom 25: Tchaikovsky, Glinka & Joby Talbot**

19:00 Thursday 2 August 2018  
Royal Albert Hall

**Mikhail Ivanovich Glinka**

Summer Night in Madrid (Spanish Overture No 2) (10 mins)

**Joby Talbot**

Ink Dark Moon for guitar and orchestra (25 mins)  
BBC commission: world première

**Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky**

The Nutcracker - Act 1 (40 mins)

Miloš Karadaglić *guitar*  
Finchley Childrens Music Group *ensemble*  
BBC Symphony Orchestra  
Alexander Vedernikov *conductor*

**Prom 26: Late Night Serpent and Fire**

22:15 Thursday 2 August 2018  
Royal Albert Hall

**Henry Purcell**

Dido and Aeneas (15 mins)  
excerpts  
The Fairy Queen - Chaconne: Dance for Chinese Man and Woman (3 mins)  
Dance for Chinese Man and Woman

**Christoph Graupner**

Dido, Queen of Carthage (8 mins)  
excerpts

**Antonio Sartorio**

Julius Caesar in Egypt (3 mins)  
excerpts

**Matthew Locke**

The Tempest - Curtain Tune (5 mins)

**George Frideric Handel**

Julius Caesar in Egypt - 'Che sento? Oh Dio! ... Se pietà di me non senti' (8 mins)

**Dario Castello**

Sonata No. 15 in D minor (5 mins)

**Francesco Cavalli**

Dido - 'Rè de' Getuli altero ... Il mio marito' (3 mins)

**Johann Adolf Hasse**

Mark Antony and Cleopatra - 'Morte col fiero aspetto' (4 mins)

**George Frideric Handel**

Concerto grosso in C minor, Op. 6 No. 8 (15 mins)

Anna Prohaska *soprano*  
Il Giardino Armonico  
Giovanni Antonini *conductor*

**Prom 27: Folk Music around Britain and Ireland**

19:30 Friday 3 August 2018 ON TV  
Royal Albert Hall

Julie Fowles *singer*  
Jarlath Henderson *singer*  
Sam Lee *singer*  
Alaw Welsh folk group  
The Unthanks *English folk group*  
BBC Concert Orchestra  
Stephen Bell *conductor*

**Proms at ... Lincoln Drill Hall**

15:00 Saturday 4 August 2018  
Lincoln Drill Hall

**Igor Stravinsky**

The Soldier's Tale (65 mins)

Hebrides Ensemble  
William Conway *conductor*

**Proms at ... Lincoln Drill Hall**

19:30 Saturday 4 August 2018  
Lincoln Drill Hall

**Igor Stravinsky**

The Soldier's Tale (65 mins)

Hebrides Ensemble  
William Conway *conductor*

**Prom 28: NYO perform Mussorgsky, Ligeti and Debussy**

19:30 Saturday 4 August 2018 ON TV  
Royal Albert Hall

**Modest Mussorgsky**

A Night on the Bare Mountain (orch. Rimsky-Korsakov) (12 mins)

**George Benjamin**

Dance Figures (16 mins)

**Maurice Ravel**

Piano Concerto for the Left Hand (19 mins)

**György Ligeti**

Lontano (12 mins)

**Claude Debussy**

La mer (23 mins)

Tamara Stefanovich *piano*

National Youth Orchestra of Great Britain

Sir George Benjamin *conductor*

**Prom 29: Brandenburg Concertos Project - 1**

15:00 Sunday 5 August 2018

Royal Albert Hall

**Johann Sebastian Bach**

Brandenburg Concerto No 1 in F major, BWV 1046 (20 mins)

**Mark-Anthony Turnage**

Maya (12 mins)

UK première

**Johann Sebastian Bach**

Brandenburg Concerto No 3 in G major, BWV 1048 (10 mins)

**Anders Hillborg**

Bach Materia (18 mins)

UK première

**Johann Sebastian Bach**

Brandenburg Concerto No 5 in D major, BWV 1050 (21 mins)

**Uri Caine**

Hamsa (28 mins)

UK première

Pekka Kuusisto *violin*

Antje Weithaas *violin*

Maya Beiser *cello*

Fiona Kelly *flute*

Uri Caine *piano*

Mahan Esfahani *harpsichord*

Swedish Chamber Orchestra

Thomas Dausgaard *conductor*

**Prom 30: Brandenburg Concertos Project - 2**

19:30 Sunday 5 August 2018

Royal Albert Hall

**Johann Sebastian Bach**

Brandenburg Concerto No 4 in G major, BWV 1049 (15 mins)

**Olga Neuwirth**

Aello - ballet mécanomorphe (18 mins)

UK première

**Brett Dean**

Approach - Prelude to a Canon (18 mins)

**Johann Sebastian Bach**

Brandenburg Concerto No 6 in B flat major, BWV 1051 (17 mins)

**Johann Sebastian Bach**

Brandenburg Concerto No 2 in F major, BWV 1047 (arr. Felix Mottl) (12 mins)

**Steven Mackey**

Triceratos (18 mins)

UK première

Antje Weithaas *violin*

Brett Dean *viola*

Tabea Zimmermann *viola*

Claire Chase *flute*

Fiona Kelly *flute*

Marten Larsson *oboe*

Håkan Hardenberger *trumpet*

Swedish Chamber Orchestra

Thomas Dausgaard *conductor*

**Proms at ... Cadogan Hall 4**

13:00 Monday 6 August 2018

Cadogan Hall

**Charles Villiers Stanford**

A Soft Day (2 mins)

**Hubert Parry**

Weep you no more, sad fountains (3 mins)

**Ralph Vaughan Williams**

The House of Life - 'Love-Sight' (4 mins)

**Ivor Gurney**

Thou didst delight my eyes (2 mins)

**Sir Arthur Somervell**

A Shropshire Lad - 'Into my heart an air that kills' (2 mins)

**Frank Bridge**

Come to me in my dreams (4 mins)

**Herbert Howells**

Goddess of Night (2 mins)

**Frank Bridge**

Journey's End (4 mins)

**Benjamin Britten**

A Sweet Lullaby (5 mins)

world première

Somnus (2 mins)

world première

**Gustav Holst**

Journey's End (4 mins)

**Benjamin Britten**

A Charm of Lullabies (11 mins)

**Mark-Anthony Turnage**

Farewell (2 mins)

world première

**Lisa Illean**

Sleeplessness ... Sails (6 mins)

BBC commission: world première

Dame Sarah Connolly *mezzo-soprano*

Joseph Middleton *piano*

**Prom 31: Minnesota Orchestra & Osmo Vänskä**

19:00 Monday 6 August 2018

Royal Albert Hall

**Leonard Bernstein**

Candide - overture (5 mins)

**George Gershwin**

Piano Concerto in F major (31 mins)

**Charles Ives**

Symphony No. 2 (37 mins)

Inon Barnatan *piano*  
Minnesota Orchestra  
Osmo Vänskä *conductor***Prom 32: Inside Shostakovich**22:15 Monday 6 August 2018  
Royal Albert Hall**Dmitri Shostakovich**Piano Concerto No 2 in F major (20 mins)  
Symphony No 9 in E flat major (20 mins)  
Tom Service and Nicholas Collon present Shostakovich's  
Symphony No. 9, with live excerptsDenis Kozhukhin *piano*  
Tom Service *presenter*  
Aurora Orchestra  
Nicholas Collon *conductor***Prom 33: Brahms's A German Requiem**19:30 Tuesday 7 August 2018 ON TV  
Royal Albert Hall**Thea Musgrave**

Phoenix Rising (23 mins)

**Johannes Brahms**

A German Requiem (68 mins)

Golda Schultz *soprano*  
Johan Reuter *baritone*  
BBC Symphony Chorus  
BBC Symphony Orchestra  
Richard Farnes *conductor***Prom 34: Barber, Britten & Copland**19:00 Wednesday 8 August 2018  
Royal Albert Hall**William Walton**

Overture 'Portsmouth Point' (7 mins)

**Aaron Copland**

Connotations for Orchestra (19 mins)

**Benjamin Britten**

Les illuminations (23 mins)

**Samuel Barber**Antony and Cleopatra (18 mins)  
Two Scenes**Benjamin Britten**

Four Sea Interludes from Peter Grimes (16 mins)

Sally Matthews *soprano*  
BBC Philharmonic  
Juanjo Mena *conductor***Prom 35: New York: Sound of a City**22:15 Wednesday 8 August 2018 ON TV  
Royal Albert HallHercules and Love Affair  
serpentwithfeet  
Sharon Van EttenHeritage Orchestra  
Jules Buckley *conductor***Prom 36: Mahler, Wagner and Webern**19:30 Thursday 9 August 2018  
Royal Albert Hall**Anton Webern**

Five Pieces for Orchestra, Op. 10 (6 mins)

**Gustav Mahler**

Symphony No 10 - Adagio (24 mins)

**Richard Wagner**

Die Walküre - Act 1 (66 mins)

Anja Kampe *Sieglinde*  
Robert Dean Smith *Siegmund*  
Franz-Josef Selig *Hunding*  
Philharmonia Orchestra  
Esa-Pekka Salonen *conductor***Prom 37: Orchestra of the Academy of Santa Cecilia & Sir Antonio Pappano**19:30 Friday 10 August 2018  
Royal Albert Hall**Joseph Haydn**

The Creation - Chaos (6 mins)

**Leonard Bernstein**

Symphony No. 1 'Jeremiah' (25 mins)

**Gustav Mahler**

Symphony No 1 in D major (56 mins)

Elizabeth DeShong *mezzo-soprano*  
Orchestra of the Academy of Santa Cecilia, Rome  
Sir Antonio Pappano *conductor***Prom 38: West Side Story**15:30 Saturday 11 August 2018  
Royal Albert Hall**Leonard Bernstein**West Side Story (76 mins)  
concert performanceRoss Lekites *Tony*  
Students from ArtsEd and Mountview  
John Wilson Orchestra  
John Wilson *conductor***Prom 39: West Side Story**20:00 Saturday 11 August 2018  
Royal Albert Hall**Leonard Bernstein**West Side Story (76 mins)  
concert performanceRoss Lekites *Tony*  
Students from ArtsEd and Mountview  
John Wilson Orchestra  
John Wilson *conductor***Prom 40: Joshua Bell & the Academy of St Martin in the Fields**

16:00 Sunday 12 August 2018

Royal Albert Hall

**Felix Mendelssohn**

A Midsummer Night's Dream - overture (12 mins)

**Camille Saint-Saëns**

Violin Concerto No 3 in B minor (29 mins)

**Frank Bridge**

Lament (5 mins)

**Ludwig van Beethoven**

Symphony No 4 in B flat major (34 mins)

Academy of St Martin in the Fields

Joshua Bell

**Prom 41: Edward Gardner conducts Elgar & Vaughan Williams**

20:00 Sunday 12 August 2018 ON TV

Royal Albert Hall

**Lili Boulanger**

Pour les funérailles d'un soldat (9 mins)

**Edward Elgar**

Cello Concerto in E minor (28 mins)

**Ralph Vaughan Williams**

Dona nobis pacem (36 mins)

Sophie Bevan *soprano*Neal Davies *bass-baritone*Jean-Guihen Queyras *cello*

BBC Symphony Chorus

BBC Symphony Orchestra

Edward Gardner *conductor***Proms at ... Cadogan Hall 5**

13:00 Monday 13 August 2018

Cadogan Hall

**Iannis Xenakis**

Rebonds B (6 mins)

**Simon Holt**

Quadriga (16 mins)

world première

**Suzanne Farrin**

new work (10 mins)

BBC commission: world première

**Iannis Xenakis**

Tetras (17 mins)

Colin Currie *percussion*

JACK Quartet

**Prom 42: Grieg's Piano Concerto**

19:30 Monday 13 August 2018

Royal Albert Hall

**Arvo Pärt**

Symphony No 3 (25 mins)

**Edvard Grieg**

Piano Concerto in A minor (29 mins)

**Jean Sibelius**

Symphony No 5 in E flat major (32 mins)

Khatia Buniatishvili *piano*

Estonian Festival Orchestra

Paavo Järvi *conductor***Prom 43: Daniel Barenboim & West-Eastern Divan Orchestra**

19:30 Tuesday 14 August 2018

Royal Albert Hall

**Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky**

Violin Concerto (34 mins)

**David Robert Coleman**

Looking for Palestine (20 mins)

London première

**Alexander Scriabin**

The Poem of Ecstasy (22 mins)

Elsa Dreisig *soprano*Lisa Batiashvili *violin*

West-Eastern Divan Orchestra

Daniel Barenboim *conductor***Prom 44: Debussy, Ravel & Boulanger**

19:30 Wednesday 15 August 2018

Royal Albert Hall

**Claude Debussy**

Prélude à l'après-midi d'un faune (10 mins)

**Lili Boulanger**

Psalm 130 'Du fond de l'abîme' (25 mins)

**Claude Debussy**

Nocturnes (25 mins)

**Maurice Ravel**

Boléro (15 mins)

Justina Gringytė *mezzo-soprano*

CBSO Youth Chorus

CBSO Chorus

City of Birmingham Symphony Orchestra

Ludovic Morlot *conductor***Prom 45: Orchestre de la Suisse Romande & Jonathan Nott**

19:00 Thursday 16 August 2018

Royal Albert Hall

**Claude Debussy**

Jeux (19 mins)

**Maurice Ravel**

Violin Sonata in G major (orch. Yan Maresz) (19 mins)

UK première of this orchestration

**Igor Stravinsky**

Petrushka (1911 version) (34 mins)

Renaud Capuçon *violin*

Orchestre de la Suisse Romande

Jonathan Nott *conductor***Prom 46: Benjamin Grosvenor & National**



**Youth Jazz Orchestra**

22:15 Thursday 16 August 2018  
Royal Albert Hall

**Laura Jurd**

The Earth Keeps Spinning  
World première

**George Gershwin**

Rhapsody in Blue (original version with jazz band, arr. Grofé)

Benjamin Grosvenor *piano*  
National Youth Jazz Orchestra  
Guy Barker *conductor*  
Mark Armstrong *conductor*

**Prom 47: Elgar, Prokofiev & Venables**

19:30 Friday 17 August 2018  
Royal Albert Hall

**Edward Elgar**

Introduction and Allegro (14 mins)

**Philip Venables****Béla Bartók**

Venables Plays Bartok  
BBC commission: world première

**Sergei Prokofiev**

Symphony No 5 in B flat major (44 mins)

Pekka Kuusisto *violin*  
BBC Symphony Orchestra  
Sakari Oramo

**Prom 48: Sir Simon Rattle conducts L'enfant et les sortilèges**

19:30 Saturday 18 August 2018 ON TV  
Royal Albert Hall

**Maurice Ravel**

Mother Goose (ballet)  
Shéhérazade

**Maurice Ravel**

L'enfant et les sortilèges (44 mins)  
(concert performance; sung in French, with surtitles)

Magdalena Kožená *mezzo-soprano*  
Patricia Bardon *Mother/Shepherd/Dragonfly*  
Jane Archibald *Fire/Nightingale/Princess*  
Anna Stéphaney *Chair/White Cat/Chinese Cup/Squirrel*  
Elizabeth Watts *Shepherdess/Bat/Owl*  
*Teapot/Little Old Man/Tree-Frog*  
Gavan Ring *Grandfather Clock/Black Cat*  
David Shipley *Tree/Armchair*  
London Symphony Chorus  
London Symphony Orchestra  
Sir Simon Rattle *conductor*

**Prom 49: Chopin & Tchaikovsky**

11:00 Sunday 19 August 2018  
Royal Albert Hall

**Agata Zubel**

Fireworks (7 mins)  
UK première

**Frédéric Chopin**

Piano Concerto No. 2 in F minor (34 mins)

**Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky**

Symphony No 5 in E minor (45 mins)

Seong-jin Cho *piano*  
European Union Youth Orchestra  
Gianandrea Noseda *conductor*

**Prom 50: Mozart's Clarinet Concerto & Mahler's Fifth Symphony**

20:00 Sunday 19 August 2018 ON TV  
Royal Albert Hall

**Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart**

Clarinet Concerto in A major (28 mins)

**Gustav Mahler**

Symphony No 5 in C sharp minor (68 mins)

Annelien Van Wauwe *clarinet*  
BBC Scottish Symphony Orchestra  
Thomas Dausgaard *conductor*

**Proms at ... Cadogan Hall 6 - The Sense of An Ending**

13:00 Monday 20 August 2018  
Cadogan Hall

**Frank Bridge**

Music, when soft voices die (3 mins)

**Ralph Vaughan Williams**

Rest (4 mins)

**Gustav Holst**

Nunc dimittis (4 mins)

**Laura Mvula**

The Virgin of Montserrat (8 mins)  
BBC commission: world première

**Hubert Parry**

Songs of Farewell (32 mins)

BBC Singers

Sakari Oramo *conductor*

**Prom 51: Strauss, Wagner & Per Nørgård**

19:30 Monday 20 August 2018  
Royal Albert Hall

**Richard Wagner**

Parsifal - Prelude to Act I (12 mins)

**Richard Strauss**

Four Last Songs (22 mins)

**Per Nørgård**

Symphony No 3 (50 mins)  
UK première

Malin Byström *soprano*

London Voices  
The National Youth Chamber Choir  
BBC Scottish Symphony Orchestra  
Thomas Dausgaard *conductor*

**Prom 52: Edward Gardner & Bergen Philharmonic**

19:00 Tuesday 21 August 2018

Royal Albert Hall

**Richard Wagner**

Flying Dutchman – overture (11 mins)

**Rolf Wallin**

Violin Concerto (25 mins)  
world première

**Jean Sibelius**

Symphony No 2 in D major (45 mins)

Alina Ibragimova *violin*  
Bergen Philharmonic Orchestra  
Edward Gardner *conductor*

**Prom 54: Iván Fischer & Budapest Festival Orchestra (I)**

19:30 Wednesday 22 August 2018  
Royal Albert Hall

**George Enescu**

Suite No. 1 – Prélude à l'unisson (9 mins)

**Béla Bartók**

Music for Strings, Percussion and Celesta (28 mins)

**Gustav Mahler**

Symphony No 4 in G major (57 mins)

Anna Lucia Richter *soprano*  
Budapest Festival Orchestra  
Iván Fischer *conductor*

**Prom 55: Iván Fischer & Budapest Festival Orchestra (II)**

19:30 Thursday 23 August 2018 ON TV  
Royal Albert Hall

**Franz Liszt**

Hungarian Rhapsody No. 1 in C sharp minor (14 mins)

**Johannes Brahms**

Hungarian Dance No. 1 in G minor (4 mins)

**Franz Liszt**

Hungarian Rhapsody No. 3 in B flat major (5 mins)

**Pablo de Sarasate**

Zigeunerweisen (9 mins)

**Johannes Brahms**

Hungarian Dance No. 11 in C minor (4 mins)

**Johannes Brahms**

Symphony No 1 in C minor (46 mins)

József Lendvay Sr *violin*

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Jenő Lisztes *cimbalom*

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Budapest Festival Orchestra  
Iván Fischer *conductor*

**Prom 56: Mozart & Bruckner**

19:30 Friday 24 August 2018  
Royal Albert Hall

**Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart**

Piano Concerto No 21 in C major, K 467 (29 mins)

**Anton Bruckner**

Symphony No 5 in B flat major (75 mins)

Benjamin Grosvenor *piano*  
BBC Symphony Orchestra  
Sakari Oramo *conductor*

**Prom 57: John Wilson conducts Bernstein's On the Town**

19:30 Saturday 25 August 2018 ON TV  
Royal Albert Hall

**Leonard Bernstein**

On the Town (106 mins)

Nathaniel Hackmann *Gabey*

Louise Dearman *Hildy*

London Symphony Orchestra *orchestra*

John Wilson *conductor*

Martin Duncan *Stage Director*

**Prom 58: The Sound of an Orchestra**

19:30 Sunday 26 August 2018  
Royal Albert Hall

Royal Philharmonic Orchestra

Joshua Weilerstein *Conductor*

Gerard McBurney *creative director*

Mike Tutaj *projection design*

**Proms at ... Cadogan Hall 7**

13:00 Monday 27 August 2018  
Cadogan Hall

**Leonard Bernstein**

La bonne cuisine (5 mins)

**Bushra El-Turk**

Crème Brûlée on a Tree (5 mins)

BBC commission: world première

**Leonard Bernstein**

Fancy Free – 'Big Stuff' (3 mins)

Conch Town (12 mins)

UK première

**Aaron Copland**

Pastorale (3 mins)

**Samuel Barber**

Hermit Songs, Op. 29 – 'Sea Snatch'; 'The Monk and His Cat' (3 mins)

**Marc Blitzstein**

Modest Maid'; 'Stay in My Arms' (4 mins)

**Stephen Sondheim**

A Little Night Music – 'The Miller's Son' (4 mins)

**Leonard Bernstein**

Trouble in Tahiti – 'What a Movie!' (3 mins)

Wallis Giunta *mezzo-soprano*

Michael Sikich *piano*

Iain Farrington *piano*

Toby Kearney *percussion*

Owen Gunnell *percussion*

**Prom 59: Relaxed Prom**

16:15 Monday 27 August 2018

Royal Albert Hall

James Redwood *presenter*

Donna Williams *Poet*

Julie Doyle *signer*

BSO Resound\* *ensemble*

Bournemouth Symphony Orchestra

Sian Edwards *conductor*

James Rose\* *conductor*

### Prom 60: Marin Alsop & Baltimore Symphony Orchestra

20:00 Monday 27 August 2018 ON TV

Royal Albert Hall

#### Leonard Bernstein

Slava! (A Political Overture) (4 mins)

Symphony No 2 'The Age of Anxiety' (35 mins)

#### Dmitri Shostakovich

Symphony No 5 in D minor (51 mins)

Jean-Yves Thibaudet *piano*

Baltimore Symphony Orchestra

Marin Alsop *conductor*

### Prom 61: Yannick Nézet-Séguin & Rotterdam Philharmonic

19:30 Tuesday 28 August 2018

Royal Albert Hall

#### Franz Liszt

Piano Concerto No. 2 in A major (21 mins)

#### Anton Bruckner

Symphony No 4 in E flat major 'Romantic' (68 mins)

Yefim Bronfman *piano*

Rotterdam Philharmonic Orchestra

Yannick Nézet-Séguin *conductor*

### Prom 62: Diana Damrau sings Strauss

18:00 Wednesday 29 August 2018

Royal Albert Hall

#### Edward Elgar

In the South (Alassio) (19 mins)

#### Iain Bell

Aurora (17 mins)

BBC co-commission: world première

#### Richard Strauss

Das Rosenband (4 mins)

Ständchen (3 mins)

Wiegenlied (3 mins)

Zueignung (3 mins)

#### Béla Bartók

Concerto for Orchestra (35 mins)

Diana Damrau *soprano*

Royal Liverpool Philharmonic Orchestra

Vasily Petrenko *conductor*

### Prom 63: Sir Andrés Schiff plays 'The Well-Tempered Clavier' (Book 2)

21:30 Wednesday 29 August 2018 ON TV

Royal Albert Hall

#### Johann Sebastian Bach

The Well-Tempered Clavier Book 2 (145 mins)

Sir Andrés Schiff *piano*

### Prom 64: Verdi Requiem

19:30 Thursday 30 August 2018

Royal Albert Hall

#### Giuseppe Verdi

Requiem (84 mins)

Lise Davidsen *soprano*

Karen Cargill *mezzo-soprano*

Dmytro Popov *tenor*

Tomasz Konieczny *bass*

London Philharmonic Choir

London Philharmonic Orchestra

Andrés Orozco-Estrada *conductor*

### Prom 65: Stravinsky, Ravel & Berio

19:00 Friday 31 August 2018

Royal Albert Hall

#### Maurice Ravel

La valse (13 mins)

#### Luciano Berio

Sinfonia (34 mins)

#### Igor Stravinsky

The Rite of Spring (34 mins)

London Voices *ensemble*

BBC Symphony Orchestra

Semyon Bychkov *conductor*

### Prom 65a: Youssou Ndour & Le Super Étoile de Dakar

22:15 Friday 31 August 2018 ON TV

Royal Albert Hall

Youssou N'Dour & Le Super Étoile

### Proms at ... Alexandra Palace

15:00 Saturday 1 September 2018

Alexandra Palace

#### Hubert Parry

#### Samuel Coleridge-Taylor

#### Charles Villiers Stanford

Music by contemporaries of Sullivan (45 mins)

#### Arthur Sullivan

Trial by Jury (45 mins)

Neal Davies *The Learned Judge*

Mary Bevan *The Plaintiff*

*The Defendant*

*Counsel for the Plaintiff*

BBC Singers *ensemble*

BBC Concert Orchestra

Jane Glover *conductor*

### Prom 66: Berlin Philharmonic & Kirill Petrenko (I)

19:30 Saturday 1 September 2018

Royal Albert Hall

**Paul Dukas**

La Péri – Fanfare (21 mins)

**Sergei Prokofiev**

Piano Concerto No 3 in C major (29 mins)

**Franz Schmidt**

Symphony No 4 in C major (44 mins)

Yuja Wang *piano*

Berliner Philharmoniker

Kirill Petrenko *conductor*

**Prom 67: Andris Nelsons conducts the Boston Symphony Orchestra**

14:00 Sunday 2 September 2018

Royal Albert Hall

**Gustav Mahler**

Symphony No 3 in D minor (102 mins)

Susan Graham *mezzo-soprano*

CBSO Chorus

CBSO Youth Chorus

Boston Symphony Orchestra

Andris Nelsons *conductor*

**Prom 68: Berlin Philharmonic & Kirill Petrenko (II)**

20:00 Sunday 2 September 2018

Royal Albert Hall

**Richard Strauss**

Don Juan (18 mins)

Death and Transfiguration (26 mins)

**Ludwig van Beethoven**

Symphony No 7 in A major (38 mins)

Berliner Philharmoniker

Kirill Petrenko *conductor*

**Proms at ... Cadogan Hall 8**

13:00 Monday 3 September 2018

Cadogan Hall

**Lili Boulanger**

Nocturne (version for violin and piano) (3 mins)

**Claude Debussy**

Sonata for flute, viola and harp (18 mins)

**Nina Šenk**

Baca (8 mins)

BBC commission: world première

**Lili Boulanger**

Trois morceaux pour piano

**Maurice Ravel**

Introduction and Allegro (11 mins)

Soloists of the Berliner Philharmoniker

Maja Avramović *violin*

Daishin Kashimoto *violin*

Amihai Grosz *viola*

Bruno Deleplaire *cello*

Emmanuel Pahud *flute*

Andreas Ottensamer *clarinet*

Marie-Pierre Langlamet *harp*

Alasdair Beatson *piano*

**Prom 69: Boston Symphony Orchestra Bernstein and Shostakovich**

19:30 Monday 3 September 2018

Royal Albert Hall

**Leonard Bernstein**

Serenade after Plato's 'Symposium' (31 mins)

**Dmitri Shostakovich**

Symphony No 4 in C minor (64 mins)

Baiba Skride *violin*

Boston Symphony Orchestra

Andris Nelsons *conductor*

**Prom 70: Tango Prom**

19:30 Tuesday 4 September 2018 ON TV

Royal Albert Hall

Pablo Ziegler *piano*

Héctor Del Curto *bandoneon*

Claudio Ragazzi *guitar*

Pedro Giraudo *double bass*

Franco Pinna *drums*

Britten Sinfonia

Clark Rundell *Conductor*

**Prom 71: Orchestre Révolutionnaire et Romantique perform Berlioz**

19:30 Wednesday 5 September 2018

Royal Albert Hall

**Hector Berlioz**

Overture 'Le corsaire' (8 mins)

La mort de Cléopâtre (21 mins)

The Trojans – Royal Hunt and Storm (10 mins)

The Trojans – Dido's death scene (7 mins)

**Hector Berlioz**

Harold in Italy (42 mins)

Antoine Tamestit *viola*

Joyce DiDonato *mezzo-soprano*

Orchestre Révolutionnaire et Romantique

Sir John Eliot Gardiner *conductor*

**Prom 72: Britten's War Requiem**

19:00 Thursday 6 September 2018

Royal Albert Hall

**Benjamin Britten**

War Requiem (80 mins)

Erin Wall *soprano*

Allan Clayton *tenor*

Russell Braun *baritone*

Huddersfield Choral Society

Royal Scottish National Orchestra Junior Chorus

Royal Scottish National Orchestra Chorus

Royal Scottish National Orchestra

Peter Oundjian *conductor*

**Prom 73: Before the Ending of the Day**

22:15 Thursday 6 September 2018

Royal Albert Hall

**Hildegard von Bingen**

Ordo virtutum - In principio omnes (4 mins)

**Juan Gutiérrez de Padilla**

Deus in adiutorium (3 mins)

**Jacobus Gallus**

Pater noster (5 mins)

**Gregorio Allegri**

Miserere (12 mins)

**Thomas Tallis**

Te lucis ante terminum (I) (3 mins)

**Arvo Pärt**

Nunc dimittis (8 mins)

**John Browne**

O Maria salvatoris (15 mins)

Tallis Scholars *ensemble*

Peter Phillips *director*

**Prom 74: Handel's Theodora**

19:00 Friday 7 September 2018

Royal Albert Hall

**George Frideric Handel**

Theodora (147 mins)

Louise Alder *Theodora*

Iestyn Davies *Didymus*

Benjamin Hulett *Septimius*

Ann Hallenberg *Irene*

*Valens*

Arcangelo

Jonathan Cohen *conductor*

**Prom 75: Last Night of the Proms**

19:15 Saturday 8 September 2018 ON TV

Royal Albert Hall

**Roxanna Panufnik**

Songs of Darkness, Dreams of Light (10 mins)

**Charles Villiers Stanford**

Songs of the Sea (18 mins)

**Hubert Parry**

Blest Pair of Sirens (11 mins)

**Darius Milhaud**

Scaramouche (10 mins)

**Richard Rodgers**

Carousel - 'Soliloquy' (8 mins)

**Henry Wood**

Fantasia on British Sea-Songs

**Thomas Arne**

Rule, Britannia! (arr. Sargent) (5 mins)

**Edward Elgar**

Pomp and Circumstance March No 1 in D major, 'Land of Hope and Glory' (8 mins)

**Hubert Parry**

Jerusalem (orch. Elgar) (3 mins)

**Unknown**

The National Anthem (arr. Britten) (3 mins)

Auld Lang Syne (2 mins)

Jess Gillam *saxophone*

Gerald Finley *baritone*

BBC Singers

BBC Symphony Chorus

BBC Symphony Orchestra

Sir Andrew Davis *conductor*