

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**59 Productions**

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 & Turangalila

19:30 Wednesday 18 July 2018
Royal Albert Hall

George Gershwin

An American in Paris (17 mins)

Olivier Messiaen

Turangalila 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 expecto 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

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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 (19 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 *nrmtables/electronics*
London Contemporary Orchestra
Robert Ames *conductor*
Suzanne Ciani

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 Chiejjina *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)

Homroh Modern Alphorn 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 Fowlis *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

Tricerons (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 excerpts

Denis 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 Hall

Hercules and Love Affair

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Sharon Van Etten

Heritage 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 performance

Ross 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 performance

Ross 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

Quadrige (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 Bartók
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 Stéphany *Chair/White Cat/Chinese Cup/Squirrel*
Elizabeth Watts *Shepherdess/Bat/Owl*
Sunnyboy Dladla *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 Zabel
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
Love Like A Lion (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*
József Lendvay Jr *violin*
Jenő Lisztes *cimbalom*
Jenő Lisztes *cimbalom*
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 Tuta *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 Deleplaître *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*