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Leeds Castle Concert to Celebrate 75 Years of the Royal Philharmonic Orchestra

Get ready to dress to impress, wave your Union Jack and raise a toast to the 75th year of the Royal Philharmonic Orchestra (RPO), as they play their first live open-air concert since the pandemic at this summer's Leeds Castle Concert on 10th July.

The RPO's anniversary marks a double celebration for this incredibly popular event, which had to be postponed in 2020 due to government guidance. The audience will be treated to a rousing musical programme throughout the afternoon, until the sun sets over the historic Castle, a Spitfire roars past overhead, candelabras are lit across the concert site, corks pop and dancing continues along with a host of world-class performers until the fantastic firework finale.



As the RPO celebrates its 75th anniversary, its mission to enrich lives through orchestral experiences that are uncompromising in their excellence and inclusive in their appeal, places the RPO at the forefront of music-making in the UK and internationally. The RPO aspires to be an orchestra for the modern world, unafraid to push boundaries. Conducting the RPO at the Leeds Castle Concert, will once again be world renowned Conductor and Artistic Director, Dr John Rigby.

Dr John Rigby said:

"I cannot wait to perform once again at the Leeds Castle Concert! We have a fantastic programme this year, a fantastic line up of soloists and the people of Kent are always such an incredible audience. This year is certainly looking like it will be a very memorable evening, especially as the Royal Philharmonic Orchestra are celebrating their 75th Anniversary this year and it will be wonderful to join them to play live music again in such a magnificent setting! Roll on the 10th July!!"

It couldn't be simpler to book tickets for the Leeds Castle Concert, just visit the website www.leedscastleconcert.co.uk for more information. Picnic tickets are priced at £53 per person. Purchase ten or more tickets and receive a 10% discount. Brachers, a leading law firm in Kent, return as headline sponsor for the fifth year.

Leeds Castle is located near Maidstone in Kent just off Junction 8 of the M20 and only one hour's drive from London.

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