



Saturday 18 November, 2023

Finding your choral voice

A workshop for sopranos and altos led by Suzzie Vango

Including:

Sarah Quartel *Voice on the wind*

Sarah Tenant-Flowers arrangement of Shen Khar Venakhi traditional Georgian chant

Gustav Holst *O Swallow, Swallow*



More info & registration: www.englisharts.org



English Arts Chorale

St Mary's Church, Reigate, Surrey

2pm - 5pm

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An engaging and spirited workshop tailored for sopranos and altos, whether experienced choir members or aspiring singers, with a special emphasis on:

- How to keep your voice healthy
- How to engage support easily
- How to keep vocal stamina
- How to blend and improve intonation

Suzzie will guide vocalists through warm-up exercises, concentrating on enhancing colour, achieving harmony in blend, and perfecting intonation. Following these exercises, participants will apply these techniques in lively song performances.

1.30pm Registration

2-2.30 Vocal warm-ups & coaching tips

2.30-3.30 Songs

3.30-3.50 Tea/coffee break with cake

3.50-4.30 Songs

4.30-4.45 Q & A Session

4.45 Informal sing through of songs with
'Pamper Raffle' prize draw

5pm Finish



Suzzie Vango's high-energy workshops have gained her an international reputation as a vocal leader. She directs the acclaimed a cappella quintet Papagena, conducts the National Children's Choir of Great Britain, and collaborates with renowned organizations such as the London Symphony Orchestra. As a soprano, she has performed and recorded worldwide. She co-authored the award-winning warm-up book, "How to Make Your Choir Sound Awesome."

Accompanist for the workshop will be Suzy Ruffles. Suzy holds a postgraduate diploma in piano accompaniment from Trinity Laban. She began as a répétiteur and Assistant Musical Director for opera companies such as Hampstead Garden Opera and Blackheath Halls Community Opera. She now specializes in choral accompaniment, currently with Woking Choral Society, Holmbury St Mary Choral Society and as a deputy for the Bach Choir. Suzy has also created learning tracks for choirs.




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