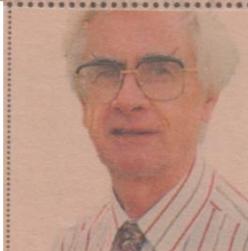


PICK OF THE WEEK

WHAT YOUR COLUMNISTS WON'T BE MISSING THIS WEEK



"Festive music is already beginning to appear on concert schedules and one of the early offerings might turn out to be one of the best. It's Bach's sublime Christmas Oratorio, to be sung by Nantwich Choral Society, at Bunbury Parish Church a week today, at 8pm."

— Eric Snape

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Choral performances

NANTWICH Choral Society has announced two Christmas concert dates to be performed in December.

The first concert is Christmas Oratorio, and takes place this Saturday, December 6, at 8pm in Bunbury Parish Church featuring the Orchestra of the Golden Age.

A concert of traditional Christmas carols then follows on Saturday, December 20, to be held in Nantwich Parish Church at 7.30pm.

Tickets are available from Sounds Musical in Hospital Street on 625579, and the church shop.

Society highlights

THE major event of Nantwich Choral Society's 2003-4 season will be a performance of Bach's Christmas Oratorio on December 6 in Bunbury Church when the society will be joined by the prestigious Orchestra of the Golden Age.

On Saturday, October 11 the choir is hosting a day Singing Workshop of Tudor music at Ellesmere College, to which members of other choirs in the area are being invited.

The always-popular Carols evening in December will be followed by two in March and June featuring music by Liszt, Langlais, Britten and Maxwell Davies.

New singers are welcome - rehearsals are on Wednesdays at 7.30pm at Malbank School, Welsh Row.

Go along for a 'taster' and make yourself known to conductor, Patrick Larley.