



# **BLOOM**

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**2010**

*a celebration of music-making*

**Friday 3 September**  
**Saturday 4 September**  
**Sunday 5 September**

**Ainslie Arts Centre**  
**Elouera St Braddon**

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[www.mfe.org.au](http://www.mfe.org.au)





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The 2010 Bloom Music Festival is a three day celebration of music-making based at the Ainslie Arts Centre, featuring the music groups and organisations that use its facilities. The program includes intimate and exotic concerts by professional musicians, unusual sound installations, open rehearsals, performances by youth and community bands, choirs and orchestras, an open day with hands-on activities, and the premiere of a new work for community musicians.

## PRO MUSICA SEVEN ROOMS

a musical progression through seven rooms of the Ainslie Arts Centre. Music by Monteverdi, Bach, Chausson, Koehne, Sweeting & Brel.

**Friday 3 September 7:30pm**

**Saturday 4 September 7:30pm**

Drinks from 7pm

Performers: Chris Latham & Ewan Foster violins, James Larsen cello, Luke Sweeting piano, ANU School of Music Recording Ensemble, Rachael Thoms vocals, Callum Henshaw & Lachlan Coventry guitars, Veronica Walshaw percussion.

Tickets \$39 / \$35

**Bookings: Canberra Ticketing 02 6275 2700**

**[www.canberraticketing.com.au](http://www.canberraticketing.com.au)**

Pro Musica is the presenter of the Canberra International Music Festival, a ten-day event in May that brings together musical events of exceptional quality in intimate venues around Canberra, with a strong emphasis on new and re-discovered works.

The 17th Canberra International Music Festival will be held 11-22 May 2011 and will celebrate the centenaries of both the creation of the ACT and the Griffins' designs for Canberra.

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## MUSIC FOR EVERYONE

### Sunday 10am-12pm Act Up Sing Out Youth Music Theatre

Open rehearsal of *Into the Woods Jnr*

### Sunday 1pm-4pm OPEN DAY at Music For Everyone

- Round-the clock performances from all MFE programs for youth and adults
- Instrumental and vocal groups in rehearsal and performing: violin, cello, flute, guitar, recorder, clarinet, saxophone, trumpet, singing, percussion, drumming
- Performance from Act Up Sing Out's show *Into the Woods Jnr*
- Free "Come and Try" sessions: Musicplay for pre-schoolers; Singing Rock, Pop and Jazz for adults and teens; Drumming for all ages
- World premier performance of *Liberty and Death* by composer Michael Sollis, featuring the Music For Everyone adult ensembles in wind, strings and guitar
- Info and displays on all programs
- Refreshments on sale

Come along to our Open Day and find out what musical activity is right for you! A timetable of performances and FREE 'Come and Try' sessions will be available one week before the event on our website [www.mfe.org.au](http://www.mfe.org.au)

### Sunday 4.30pm-5.30pm Rock Academy in Concert

Youth rock bands perform their original songs & rock classics.

Music for Everyone, winner of the 2009 National Music in Communities Award as the best all-round community music program in Australia, offers an extensive program of music tuition, workshop and performance opportunities for all ages, abilities and interests, including: intro-to-music classes for children aged 18 months to nine years; music for people with disabilities; instrumental tuition in wind, brass and string instruments for all ages and skill levels; singing classes; drum-kit, drumming and percussion classes; instrumental ensembles; Act Up Sing Out youth music theatre; Rock Academy & Rock School programs for youth; plus school programs, weekend workshops, visiting artists, commissions, projects and concerts.

[www.mfe.org.au](http://www.mfe.org.au)

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The Ainslie Arts Centre is an ACT Government arts facility.

## **CANBERRA YOUTH MUSIC**

**Saturday 10.00am: Intermediate Choir performance**

**Saturday 10.30am: Children's Choir performance**

**Saturday 11.00am: Wind Symphony performance**

Canberra Youth Music's mission is to provide excellence in music education to young ACT musicians through quality training and performance opportunities in instrumental and vocal ensembles. Members of Canberra Youth Music (CYM) are encouraged to develop their musical skills by working closely with their conductors and their peers in a social and positive environment. Each year, CYM provides over 1,000 hours of rehearsals and tutorials for its musicians and gives 30 concerts in public venues across the ACT.

[www.canberrayouthmusic.asn.au](http://www.canberrayouthmusic.asn.au)

## **YOUNG MUSIC SOCIETY**

**Saturday 12.00pm: Jazz Band performance**

**Saturday 2.00pm: Instrument tryouts & music activities for kids**

The Young Music Society (YMS) is a not-for-profit organisation formed in the early 1970s to provide musical opportunities for young people in Canberra. YMS owns a wide range of musical instruments that are available for members to hire. YMS offers various holiday programs, including the annual Summer School, a non-residential two-week program of music and performing arts for 400 students, with three programs tailored to meet different levels of musical experience from beginner to advanced. YMS also runs a weekly Jazz Workshop for youth.

[www.youngmusicsociety.org.au](http://www.youngmusicsociety.org.au)

## **MARUKI COMMUNITY ORCHESTRA**

**Saturday 9.30am: Twinkle Starlets in rehearsal**

**Saturday 10.45am: Maruki Strings in rehearsal**

**Saturday 12.00pm: John Gould Sinfonia in rehearsal**

**Saturday 2.00pm-5.00pm: Maruki Orchestra in rehearsal**

The Maruki Community Orchestra is an innovative community symphony orchestra devoted to fostering musicians in the Canberra region, regardless of age, experience and skill level, who have a strong interest in playing classical instruments in an orchestra environment and who wish to develop their skills and express their musicality. The Maruki Orchestra's next concert is on Sunday 12 September 3pm at the Albert Hall, performing Bruckner's 7th Symphony, Mozart's Overture to The Magic Flute, & Beethoven's Violin Concerto.

[www.marukicomcommunityorchestra.org.au](http://www.marukicomcommunityorchestra.org.au)

## **NATIONAL CAPITAL ORCHESTRA**

**Saturday 1.00pm: Open Rehearsal Sibelius Symphony No 5**

The National Capital Orchestra (NCO) is a full symphony orchestra and performs four programs of major symphonic works each year. It has a permanent membership of around fifty players from a variety of backgrounds, including present and former members of the Canberra Youth Orchestra and the Canberra Symphony Orchestra. NCO's next concert is on Sunday 10 October 3pm at the Queanbeyan Performing Arts Centre: the program features the Nielsen Clarinet Concerto with soloist David Hatch and Sibelius' Symphony No 5.

[www.nco.org.au](http://www.nco.org.au)

## **AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL EISTEDDFOD SOCIETY**

**Saturday 4.00pm: performance by Eisteddfod participants**

The Australian National Eisteddfod Society is committed to encouraging and fostering the pursuit of excellence in all disciplines of the performing arts. The Society was established in 1937 and has presented an Eisteddfod in Canberra annually since 1955. In recent years it has attracted about 5000 individual entries and 100 groups, local and interstate, in 200 event categories for children aged 6 years and under, to open. The Piano Division will be held 31 August – 4 September, the Singing Division 6-11 September and the Speech and Drama Division 20-23 September.

[www.nationaleisteddfod.org.au](http://www.nationaleisteddfod.org.au)

## **AINSLIE ARTS CENTRE**

Ainslie Arts Centre is an ACT Government arts facility that provides rehearsal, tuition and performance space for community and youth music organisations. Ainslie Arts Centre is located on the corner of Elouera St and Donaldson St in Braddon, a short distance from the city centre. The Ainslie Arts Centre is sited in a heritage-listed building that was formerly the Ainslie Public School, and was adapted for arts use in 2001. The Centre consists of a number of permanent offices as well as several spaces available for casual hire, including a large hall. Current permanent tenants are: Australian National Eisteddfod, Canberra Youth Music, Hall Village Brass Band, Music For Everyone, Pro Musica and Young Music Society. Regular casual hirers include Maruki Orchestra, National Capital Orchestra and Connexions Big Band. The Centre is managed by Gorman House Arts Centre.

[www.arts.act.gov.au/pages/page15.asp](http://www.arts.act.gov.au/pages/page15.asp)



## FRIDAY 3 SEPTEMBER

**7.30pm** Bloom Music Festival opening concert presented by Pro Musica

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This concert is repeated on  
Saturday 4 September 7.30pm

Between the two performances of Seven Rooms, there will be ongoing sound installations in the seven rooms featuring the works of John Luther Adams, Morton Feldman, Gavin Bryars & Terry Riley.

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## SATURDAY 4 SEPTEMBER

All day Sound installations by Pro Musica

Open rehearsals & performances:

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- 10.00am** Canberra Youth Music Intermediate Choir
- 10.30am** Canberra Youth Music Children's Choir
- 10.45am** Maruki Strings
- 11.00am** Canberra Youth Music Wind Symphony
- 12.00pm** Maruki John Gould Sinfonia
- 12.00pm** Young Music Society Jazz Band
- 1.00pm** National Capital Orchestra
- 2.00pm** Hall Village Brass Band
- 2.00pm** Maruki Orchestra rehearsal to 5pm
- 2.00pm** Young Music Society – kids' activities
- 3.00pm** Connexions Big Band
- 4.00pm** Australian National Eisteddfod Society
- 7.30pm** Seven Rooms – details as for Friday

## SUNDAY 5 SEPTEMBER

**10am-12pm:** Music For Everyone's Act Up  
Sing Out youth music theatre: rehearsal

**1pm-4pm:** Music For Everyone's Open Day

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**4.30pm-5.30pm:** Music For Everyone's  
Rock Academy in Concert

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