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Festival Guide

Z.o.o Master Class

Wednesday 22 August

6.00 pm

WAAPA

Z.o.o Duo in Concert

Friday 24 August

7.30 pm

WAAPA

Ensemble Performances

Saturday 25 & 26 August

Carine Senior High School

*Introducing festival
guests for 2012...*

***Z.o.o
Duo***

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President's Message



Dear Society Members,

This year's guitar ensemble festival is proving to be the biggest ever, with a record number of entries. The festival will be hosted this year by Carine Senior High School.

As festival artist and adjudicator's I'm very pleased to introduce the *Z.o.o Duo*, comprising virtuoso guitarists Peter Constant (Australia) and Marion Schaap (Netherlands). Many of you may remember that Peter was a founding member of *GuitarTrek*, Australia's first and longest-running professional guitar quartet, and that both he and his wife Marion were based in Melbourne at the Victorian College of the Arts.

For the last decade they have been in the Netherlands doing very exciting things both as a duo and as educators. *Z.o.o Duo* will give a masterclass for the guitar society (details below), a concert at WAAPA (details below), and adjudicate our weekend-long festival.

Kind regards
Dr Jonathan Paget
President, Classical Guitar Society of WA

Guitar Alchemy: Z.o.o Duo in Concert

24th August 2012 (Friday) - 7:30pm

Virtuoso classical guitarists Peter Constant (Australia) and Marion Schaap (Netherlands) have had a stunning duo career spanning two decades and multiple continents. Described by Classical Guitar Magazine as "premiere league quality", a *Z.o.o. Duo* concert is a vibrant musical experience where colour, variety, and atmosphere are served by virtuosity and splitsecond timing.

Together, Peter and Marion ran the guitar faculties of Melbourne University and the Victorian College of the Arts from 1992-1998, before moving to Holland where their initiatives in the creation of the Stichting Gitaarorkest Nederland (comprising three flourishing guitar orchestras) are the pride of the European guitar scene.



Venue: Music Auditorium, WA Academy of Performing Arts (2 Bradford St Mt Lawley)

Tickets: \$35 Full, \$29 Concession/Friends

Bookings: phone 9370 6895; online: www.waapa.ecu.edu.au

Z.o.o Duo Masterclass

6.00-8.00pm Wednesday 22nd August

Music Auditorium, WA Academy of
Performing Arts
(2 Bradford St Mt Lawley)

Players: \$75; Observers: \$10, \$5 conc.,
free for CGSWA members

Interested players should contact
Jonathan Paget (j.paget@ecu.edu.au)



ENSEMBLE PERFORMANCES—DAY 1

Session 1 - Saturday, 25 August, 10.00am-12.30pm

<i>Perf. Time</i>	<i>Ensemble</i>	<i>Director(s)</i>	<i>Holding Room</i>
10.00am	Woodvale Secondary College Senior Classical Guitar Ensemble	Keith Perry	1
10.20am	Willetton Senior High School - Extra JAR TADA!	Caroline Binsted	2
10.35am	Lesmurdie Senior High School	Steve East	3
10.55am	Atwell College Guitar Ensemble	Fifi Winata	4
11.05am	Woodvale Secondary College Junior Classical Guitar Ensemble	Keith Perry	1
11.20am	Margaret River Senior High School Senior Guitar Ensemble	Bruce Godden	2
11.35am	Ocean Reef Senior High School - Fretfish	John Ralph	3
11.45am	St Columba's Guitar Ensemble	Fifi Winata	4
11.55am	Hale School Senior Quartet	Marcus Roberts	1
12.15pm	Synchronicity	Jane Darcey	2
12.30pm	Lunch Break		

Session 2 - Saturday, 25 August, 1.10pm-5.30pm

<i>Perf. Time</i>	<i>Ensemble</i>	<i>Director(s)</i>	<i>Holding Room</i>
1.10pm	Corpus Christi College Guitar Quartet	Amanda Alexander	3
1.25pm	Helena College Junior Guitar Ensemble	Jane Darcey	4
1.35pm	Melville Senior High School Guitar Ensemble	Paul Hines	1
1.45pm	Ocean Reef Senior High School Senior Classical Guitar Ensemble	John Ralph	2
1.55pm	Corpus Christi College Williams Guitar Ensemble	Amanda Alexander	3
2.10pm	Helena College Senior Guitar Ensemble	Jane Darcey	4
2.25pm	South Fremantle Senior High School Guitar Ensemble	Paul Hines	1
2.35pm	Kelmscott Senior High School - Highly Strung	Caroline Binsted	2
2.45pm	Corpus Christi College Segovia Guitar Ensemble	Amanda Alexander	3
3.05pm	Break		
3.20pm	Ellenbrook Secondary College Senior Guitar Ensemble	Deborah Banks	4
3.35pm	John Curtin College Of The Arts Junior Guitar ensemble	Paul Hines	1
3.45pm	Rossmoyne Senior High School Classical Guitar Ensemble #2	Robbie-Ann Rossi	3
4.00pm	Kelmscott Senior High School - String Theory	Caroline Binsted	2
4.15pm	Ellenbrook Secondary College Junior Guitar Ensemble	Deborah Banks	4
4.30pm	John Curtin College Of The Arts Senior Classical Guitar Ensemble	Kevin Fraser	1
4.50pm	Rossmoyne Senior High School Senior Classical Guitar Ensemble	Robbie-Ann Rossi	3
5.05pm	Guitarstrophe! The WA Guitar Ensemble	Caroline Binsted	2

Session 3 - Sunday, 26 August, 9.00am-12.35pm

<i>Perf. Time</i>	<i>Ensemble</i>	<i>Director(s)</i>	<i>Holding Room</i>
9.00am	Kalamunda Senior High School Guitar Ensemble	Joe Bonini	1
9.15am	Eastern Hills Senior High School Classical Guitar Ensemble	Justin Lynam	2
9.35am	Churchlands Senior High School Junior Guitar Ensemble	Richard Lenz	3
9.45am	Ballajura Community College Classic Guitar Ensemble	Graham Hall	4
10.00am	Thornlie Senior High School Guitar Ensemble	Joe Bonini	1
10.15am	Duncraig Senior High School Senior Guitar Ensemble Guitarrista	Gemma Berry	2
10.30am	Churchlands Senior High School Senior Guitar Ensemble	Richard Lenz	3
10.40am	Break		
11.00am	Leeming Senior High School Guitar Ensemble	Nick Kostourkov	4
11.15am	St Stephen's Primary School - The Random Notes	John Ralph	1
11.25am	Duncraig Senior High School Junior Guitar Ensemble Strummers	Gemma Berry	2
11.35am	Carine Senior High School Senior Guitar Ensemble	Richard Lenz	3
11.45am	WA Academy of Performing Arts - Caprice Quartet	Jonathan Paget	4
12.00pm	WA Academy of Performing Arts - Swan Trio	Jonathan Paget	4
12.15pm	WA Academy of Performing Arts - Virtrioso	Jonathan Paget	4
12.35pm	Lunch Break		

Session 4 - Sunday, 26 August, 1.15pm-5.30pm

<i>Perf. Time</i>	<i>Ensemble</i>	<i>Director(s)</i>	<i>Holding Room</i>
1.15pm	Applecross Senior High School Junior Guitar Ensemble	Nick Kostourkov	1
1.25pm	Campbell Primary School Guitar Ensemble	Craig Lake	2
1.35pm	WA Academy of Performing Arts - Centauri Quartet	Jonathan Paget	4
1.50pm	John Forrest Secondary College Senior Guitar Ensemble	Tammy de Wind	3
2.05pm	Just Plucked!	Robbie-Ann Rossi	1
2.15pm	Perth Modern Guitar Quartet	Graham Hall	2
2.25pm	WA Academy of Performing Arts - Plectra Ensemble	Jonathan Paget	4
2.45pm	UWASOM Guitar Ensemble	John Casey	3
3.10pm	Break		
3.25pm	Applecross Senior High School Senior Guitar Ensemble	Nick Kostourkov	1
3.40pm	Perth Modern School Junior Guitar Ensemble	Graham Hall	2
3.50pm	Trinity College Guitar Ensemble Two	Duncan Gardiner	4
4.00pm	Shenton College - The Lost Guitarrristas	John Casey	3
4.15pm	Prendiville Catholic College - Acoustic Melody	John Ralph	1
4.25pm	Perth Modern Senior Guitar Ensemble	Graham Hall	2
4.40pm	Trinity College Guitar Ensemble One	Duncan Gardiner	4
4.55pm	Shenton College - Los Guitarrrristas	John Casey	3
5.10pm	WA Classical Guitar Society Orchestra	Mathew Laurenson	1
5.30pm	Closing Ceremony		

RECENT CONCERT REVIEWS by Kevin Fraser

WAAPA GUITARS 'UNDER A SOUTHERN SKY'

I caught the very engaging evening of music presented at WAAPA comprising a number and variety of ensembles and solos displaying the marvellous talents of the select group of guitarists at WAAPA. This evening was a treat for the listener as we were lead through a landscape of journeys in classical guitar music for a range of groups. I know that WAAPA puts on a couple of these concerts each year and I for one, will be sure to promote this to my students and invite some along especially. This was an exciting presentation with moments of brilliance from the many guitarists involved!

CHRIS KOTCHIE RECITAL

I wanted to make a special mention of Chris's final recital for his performance degree. He has a natural 'feel' for the music and melds together with his guitar with great ease! With a penchant for the avant-garde and a lightness and clarity to his interpretive style of other composers (including Bach and BARRIOS) his concert appeal is voluminous! Congratulations go to Chris for another wonderful night of music!

CLASSICAL GUITAR SOCIETY ORCHESTRA – 'MAGIC OF THE GUITAR' AND 'GUITAR ROMANCE'

Well, it certainly has been a month for classical guitar audiences! This year, the CGSO has returned to the Fremantle Town Hall for its winter concert. Under the professional baton of **Mathew Laurensen**, the orchestra has continued to grow and bloom. The excellent mix of a variety of Australian composers (including our own Jane Darcey, also Paul Svoboda, Richard Charlton and Leonard Weiss) and internationals furnished a very pleasant soundscape. The orchestra is producing a nice strong tone with great clarity and the solos and duos punctuated the concerts beautifully. This performance was repeated (with slight variations) last Sunday afternoon with a backdrop of the Swan River on a gorgeous light winter's day, with views from the windows of the Maylands Yacht Club. I enjoyed the two experiences very much! Thanks to all those involved.



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