

CHOIR COMMITTEE

MINUTES

1:00pm on Thursday, 6 May 2021

Via Zoom

Present: Professor Douglas Hedley (Chair); Miss Hannah Ambrose (Choir Administrator); Ms Ann Cernek (Development Office); Dr Timothy Chesters (Fellows' Representative); Miss Emma Easterbrook (Assistant Bursar); George Gillow (Senior Organ Scholar); Julia Morris (Senior Choral Volunteer); Mrs Nicola Robertson (Head of Chapel Office); Mr Graham Ross (Director of Music); the Rev'd Dr Mark Smith (Dean); and Ms Jocelyn Wyburd (Tutors' Representative).

1. **Apologies**

Samuel Jones (Junior Organ Scholar); and Harry Swanson (Senior Choral Scholar).

2. **UNRESERVED**

(i) **Declarations of Interest**

None.

(ii) **Minutes of 11 March 2021**

Approved.

(iii) **Matters Arising**

None.

(iv) **Update on current projects**

All of the current projects had been reviewed as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic.

- a. *Summer UK Tour (including Concert for Leamington Music Friday, 25 June 2021, Concert in Hay on Wye Saturday, 26 June 2021, Concert for St Boniface Society, Crediton, Sunday, 27 June and Concert at Powderham Castle, Devon Monday, 28 June 2021):* The Director of Music was pleased to confirm that this was in the process of being finalised.

- b. *Pre-Term Rehearsals and Installation of new Master (Thursday, 30 September – Friday, 1 October 2020)*: The Pre-Term rehearsal period and installation of the new Master will go ahead during the late afternoon of Friday, 1 October 2021.
- c. *Advent Carol Services (Thursday, 25 November and Saturday, 28 November 2021)*: This was still scheduled to go ahead.
- d. *Staff Carol Service (Thursday, 2 December 2021)*: This was still scheduled to go ahead.
- e. *SJSS Christmas Festival (Friday 17 December 2021)*: This was confirmed to go ahead.

(v) **Any Other Business**

None.

3. **Date of next meetings (over Zoom unless otherwise notified), all start at 1.00pm.**

- Thursday, 10 June 2021
- Thursday, 14 October 2021
- Thursday, 25 November 2021
- Thursday, 27 January 2022
- Thursday, 10 March 2022
- Thursday, 5 May 2022
- Thursday, 9 June 2022

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For information: Anthony, Lord Grabiner QC (Master); Ms Danielle Melling (Development Director); Dr Jacqueline Tasioulas (Senior Tutor); and Mr Paul Warren (Bursar).

Miss Hannah Ambrose

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