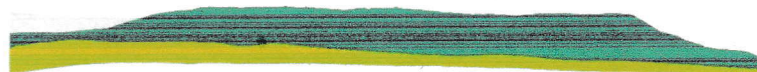


## Concerts *for* Craswall



# The Elysian Singers, international cellist Amy Norrington and conductor Sam Laughton up close!

Join us for an open rehearsal on Saturday July 6<sup>th</sup> in Dore Abbey. This is an exciting opportunity to gain an insight into both the rehearsal process and life as a musician.

### It's more fun if you do your homework!

To prepare for the rehearsal visit, we can send information packs to the teachers around 3-4 weeks in advance. They deal with the respective works, the composers and eras, and explain musical concepts. Perfect for arousing interest in the works to be performed in the rehearsal.

### What happens at the Rehearsal?

Before the rehearsal starts, there is a short musical introduction to the works. Starting at 10.00am, a musician from the Craswall Consort, a small group of players supporting the singers and soloist, will be there to answer questions and to talk about life as a musician. This is followed by the rehearsal in the Abbey at 10.30am.

### Attending Open Rehearsals

We're delighted to be able to give schools the opportunity to attend this rehearsal; however, please remember that, as it is a working rehearsal, it is important that the performers are not distracted. We ask that all audience members ensure that they don't make any noise, including applause, during the rehearsal.

Please be aware that you may not hear every piece planned for the evening concert. You may also not be able to hear everything the conductor says.

Rehearsals are scheduled to last for up to 3.5 hours, including a mid-session break, so it would be a good idea to bring refreshments and a bite to eat. If you arrive late, you may not be able to enter the Abbey until there is a suitable break. Rehearsals may finish early at the discretion of the conductor without notice.

Video/audio recording and photography are strictly forbidden.

**Interested? We ask teachers to register early.** Please contact us via our website

<https://concertsforcraswall.org/contact-us/> or email [info@concertsforcraswall.org](mailto:info@concertsforcraswall.org)

### The cost?

£5 per adult/teacher

£2 per student aged 12-18 years (accompanied by a fee-paying adult)

£0 per student aged under 12 years (accompanied by a fee-paying adult)