



David Childs was born in the mining village of Grimethorpe in 1981, to a family whose name had been synonymous with brass for the last two generations. His grandfather John inspired his sons, Robert & Nicholas to take up euphonium. Robert began teaching his son David from an early age and in recent years David has emerged as one of the finest brass soloists of his generation.

In the year 2000 he broke new ground for the euphonium becoming the first euphonium soloist to win the brass final of the televised 'BBC Young Musician of the Year'. In the same year David was awarded the coveted 'Euphonium Player of the Year' title, a title he won again in 2004 and still holds today.

Still in the early stages of his career, David has already toured extensively performing as a soloist in Australia, the Middle East, Japan, Hong Kong, Europe and the U.S.A. He is a keen advocate of new music and has premiered seven concerti for euphonium including a Royal Albert Hall radiobroadcast of Alun Hoddinott's, 'Sunne Rising - The King Will Ride'. David has performed solos on BBC Radio 2, BBC Radio 3, Classic fm, channel 4 television, BBC 2 television, BBC 1 television and S4C. He has also been featured in the Classic fm, Gramophone, Classical Music, and MUSO magazines.

David has had the pleasure of performing as a soloist with some of the UK's finest orchestras including the BBC Philharmonic, Royal Philharmonic, BBC Concert Orchestra, BBC National Orchestra of Wales and Sinfonia Cymru. He has given solo performances at a number of high profile music festivals including the BBC Proms, Melbourne International Festival, Cheltenham International Festival and the New York Festival. He also became the first euphonium soloist to give recitals in London's most prestigious recital venues; the Wigmore Hall and the South Bank's Purcell Room.

Having already achieved a great deal as a euphonium soloist, David has received many awards in recognition: a Silver Medal from the Worshipful Company of Musicians; a Star Award from the Countess of Munster; the Musicians Benevolent' Sir Charles Leggett Award; the Welsh Music Guild's Leo Abse & Cohen Award; the BBC Radio Wales Soloist Award and the Harry Mortimer Award for Outstanding Achievement. David is an endorsee for Buffet Crampon Paris. He also has a 'signature' mouthpiece produced by Alliance, and a solo series with Prima Vista Musikk publishing house. He has recorded seven solo albums on the Doyen label, and has appeared as a featured soloist on several other commercial discs including EMI's *This Land of Ours*.

Having made debuts in Los Angeles, Hawaii and Rome last year, 2010 sees David make his debut in Carnegie Hall New York giving the US premiere of Karl Jenkins' Concerto for Euphonium. With four additional appearances in the US, several recording projects, and a number of performances throughout Europe planned for the season ahead, David is leading the way for a new generation of euphonium players worldwide.

David Childs is a Besson Artist. For further information visit: www.davechilds.com

"a great ambassador for the euphonium, possessing an astonishing technique and an engaging stage presence."

The Observer

"a charismatic advocate of the euphonium, a demonstration of versatility and extrovert musicality."

The Guardian

"a serious musician dedicated to raising his instrument's profile. Childs demonstrated a superbly focused, glowing tone."

The Times

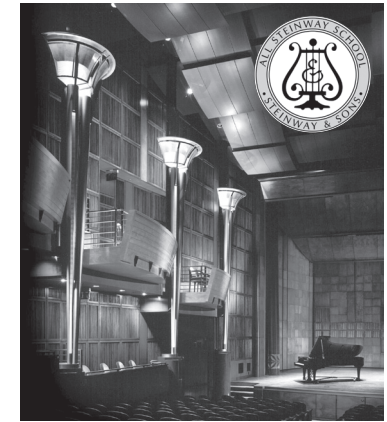
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DAVID CHILDS
euphonium*

Monday, November 22, 2010
Corbett Auditorium
8:00 p.m.

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PROGRAM

Gathering of the Armies FROM *Lohengrin* Richard Wagner
(1813-1883)

CCM Brass Choir
Timothy Northcut, conductor

Consequences Michael Forbes
(b. 1973)

CCM Tuba Euphonium Quartet
Brian McDonough, euphonium
Layne Todd, euphonium
Genevieve Clarkson, tuba
James Land, tuba

Pastiche Steven L. Winteregg
(b. 1952)

I. Slow, Suddenly Faster
II. Slow with Rubato
III. Fast
IV. Lively

CCM Esprit de Cor Horn Choir
Randy Gardner, conductor

Brillante Peter Graham
(b. 1958)

CCM Brass Choir
David Childs, euphonium
Timothy Northcut, conductor

Three Dances FROM *the Danserye* Tielman Susato
I. La Morisque (1500-1561)
II. Les Quatra Branles arr. David Marlatt
III. La Bataille

Concertpiece for Eight Trumpets (1999) Bruce Broughton
(b. 1945)

CCM Trumpet Ensemble
Alan Siebert and David Wuchter, directors

Committee of Eight (2010) (World Premiere) Peter Rauch
(b. 1954)

Seven Bagatelles for 12 Trombones (1980) Frigyes Hidas
(1926-2007)

Moderato festivo
Scherzando
Sostenuto cantabile
Allegro giocoso
Lento lugubre
Valse moderato
Moderato festivo

CCM Trombone Choir
Nathan Siler, conductor

Lament FROM *Stabat Mater* Karl Jenkins
(b. 1944)
arr. Robert Childs/Andrew Wainwright

The Hot Canary (2007) Paul Nero
(b. 1936)
arr. David Childs

CCM Brass Choir
David Childs, euphonium
Timothy Northcut, conductor

Brass Symphony (1979) Jan Koetsier
(1911-2006)
I. Allegro
II. Larghetto
III. Rondo

CCM Brass Choir
Nathan Siler, conductor

CCM Brass Choir
Timothy Northcut, conductor
Nathan Siler, assistant conductor

Trumpet
Marty Arlinghaus
Daniel Arute
Chuck Bindis
Carl Burdick
Melissa Camp
Matthew France
Ryan Hallum
Connor Inglis
Kenneth Piatt
Andrew Sharf

Trombone
Maxwell Acree
Michael Charbel
Jacob Elkin
Alex Manley

Bass Trombone
Benjamin Clymer

Tuba
Brandon Compton
Seth Jervis
Yukitada Onitsuka
Peter Woodruff

Horn
Aaron Bartos
Tyler Bjerke
Stephanie Freeman
Stephanie Hollander
Austin Larson
Melanie Schmid

Percussion
Scott Gettlin
Brian Jones
Zach Larabee
Rachael McCourt

Euphonium
Spencer Bartley
Maxwell Payne

CCM Esprit de Cor Horn Choir
Randy Gardner, conductor

Robert Fant
Cecilia Kozlowski
Austin Larson
Jeremy Moon
Michael Nelson
Keyondra Price
Melanie Schmid
Emily Toth
Carrie Vertin

CCM Trumpet Ensemble
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Joel Baroody
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Carl Burdick
Melissa Camp
Adrienne Doctor
Matt France
Ryan Hallum
Briston Hatchell
Connor Inglis
Andrew Jackson
Barret Newman
Kenny Piatt
Kate Reed
Kyle Ruth
Andrew Sharf
Greg Taylor
Austin Tindall
Josh Waynick
David Wuchter

CCM Trombone Choir
Nathan Siler, conductor

Tenor Trombones Bass Trombones
Maxwell Acree Benjamin Clymer
Aaron Buede Adam Stokes
Tyler Castrucci
Michael Charbel
Jacob Elkin
Kelly Jones
Benjamin Lightner
Alex Manley
Katie Thigpen
Giff Waltz
Brandon Whaley