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## FESTIVAL PATRONS & FRIENDS INFORMATION

Thank you very much for your interest in Petworth Festival.

It is always difficult to finance a Festival of this nature, due in part to the diversity of the events and the high standard of our artists, combined with the often small, but delightful venues. The Petworth Festival, a Registered Charity, relies on support from businesses and individuals as well as the box office, to finance the programme.

“Festival Friends”, who give £30 or more each year (per household), are entitled to a priority booking period and a 10% discount on tickets bought during that priority period. They receive exclusive preview information early each year and there are also Friends’ parties from time to time. Friends who give £100 p.a. or more are called Patrons and receive a slightly longer priority booking period than Friends.

If you would like to continue your support for the Festival by becoming a Friend or a Patron, you can do this directly online via our website homepage, choosing “How to Support” then “Patrons & Friends”. Alternatively please complete the enclosed gift donation form and return it to me together with your contribution. The summer Festival priority booking has been widely used to good effect over recent years as several of the events in smaller venues have sold out extremely quickly. I do hope that you would like to become a Friend or Patron of the Festival and I look forward to hearing from you.

We also hold a Literary Week in November. There is no priority booking period or discounted tickets for these events, but as a Festival Friend or Patron you will receive a leaflet by post and have priority for returns in the event of sell-out talks.

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If you have any queries please contact me at the above address, or telephone me on 01798 343055.

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**2023 Petworth Festival**  
**Summer: 11-29 July**