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The Merry Widow

English National Opera's (ENO) new production

On Friday 22nd March 2019

The Master is pleased to announce the first outing of his tenure is to see ENO's new production of The Merry Widow on Friday 22nd March 2019 at The London Coliseum, St. Martin's Lane, London, WC2N 4ES.

The Merry Widow is Franz Lehár's comic masterpiece, played out in a stream of memorable melodies including the familiar 'Vilja Song' and 'Merry Widow Waltz'. With a truly glamorous setting, Lehár's operetta centres on the relationship between the dazzling and wealthy young widow Hanna and Danilo, who has an appetite for wine and women. As this delightful tale of a woman's quest for love unfolds, their burgeoning romance is hampered by mishap, intrigue and comedic misadventure.



Making their ENO debuts with Lehár's classic are director Max Webster (The Lorax) and sought-after Estonian conductor Kritiina Poska. As the vivacious Hanna, ENO favourite Sarah Tynan returns for her second major appearance of the season. She is joined by Nathan Gunn as Danilo, while ENO legend Andrew Shore plays the pompous Zeta.

Further details about the production can be found via this link:

<https://www.eno.org/whats-on/the-merry-widow/#prod-cast>

The livery has secured 70 tickets together with exclusive use of two function rooms. There are two ticket prices available, including hospitality: **Centre Stalls seats, £123.00 per person or Centre Upper Circle seats, £84.00 per person.**

The evening will commence at 17:45 where you will be directed to either the Ellis Room or Sky Bar Boardroom. You will be able to leave your coats and bags in these rooms for the evening. We will assemble in the stall promenade at 18:00 where there will be a short introduction by The Master's Steward and ENO Volunteer Andy Rogers, followed by a backstage tour hosted by Laurie Steiner, Flys Supervisor and Luke Philips, Technical Scheduler. Following the backstage tour, we will retire to the function rooms where canapés and drink will be served. We will return to the function rooms during the interval for tea and coffee and further canapés. The performance will finish at approx. 22:00.

If you would like to join us for this magical evening, please complete and return the form attached with a cheque, or by sending an email with the requested details to: assistant@worshipfulglaziers.com and making a transfer by internet banking to sort code 40-06-21 account number 11296663 quoting ref MERRY/[SURNAME]/[INITIALS] Or indicating GoCardless (taken on 8 March), after which time cancellations cannot be refunded.

Tickets will be allocated on a first come, first served basis and places will be confirmed by email.

THE MERRY WIDOW - BOOKING FORM

NAME:

E-MAIL:

Centre Stalls Seats:

I require at **£123.00** per person inclusive of VAT and Hospitality TOTAL: £

Centre Upper Circle Seats:

I require at **£84.00** per person inclusive of VAT and Hospitality TOTAL: £

• I enclose a cheque for £ made payable to **The Worshipful Company of Glaziers or**

• I have made an online payment of £ to

Sort code: 40-06-21 HSBC plc
Account no: 11296663 The Worshipful Company of Glaziers
Reference: MERRY

Or pay via GoCardless YES/NO on 8th March.

PLEASE COMPLETE THIS FORM - please print clearly

<u>Title</u>	<u>Last Name</u>	<u>First Name</u>	<u>Special Dietary Requirements</u>

PLEASE ENSURE APPLICATIONS ARE RECEIVED NO LATER THAN THURSDAY 7TH MARCH

AFTER WHICH DATE THERE CAN BE NO REFUNDS

Important Note: It is essential that any dietary limitations, allergies etc., are included in advance on this form or, if complex, by separate email. Last minute demands at the table on the night cannot be accommodated.