

**Norfolk County Youth Orchestra
Friday 29 October 7.30pm
St Peter's Church
Sheringham
Norfolk**

Norfolk County Youth Orchestra perform a concert for 'the few'

72 young musicians from Norfolk will perform a concert on Friday 29 October at Sheringham Church which will include the William Walton Spitfire, Prelude and Fugue written in 1942 for the film 'The First of the Few' starring Leslie Howard and David Niven. The Director of the Orchestra, Juliet Rickard commented "it seems fitting that these talented young players should dedicate their performance to those who helped secure the freedoms they enjoy today, seventy years after the Battle of Britain. The programme will also include Moussorgsky 'Pictures at an Exhibition' and De Falla 'The Three Cornered Hat'

Norfolk County Youth Orchestra has recently undertaken a trip to Novi Sad in Serbia (twinned with Norwich) and musicians from Norwich and Novi Sad performed three concerts together. The orchestra, which is funded by Norfolk County Council and part of the Norfolk Music Service, is forging links with other European cities and hopes to visit Toulouse next year. Charlotte Evans, Principal Oboe in the Norfolk County Youth Orchestra who also plays with the National Youth Orchestra said: "Although we all speak different languages, when we play music together it is internationally understood and many players have formed close friendships with their fellow musicians"

Tickets (£10 Concessions £5) are available on the door, for more information please contact the Music Service on 01603 433276.