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Irene Veneziano - Newsletter n°2 - 2021

Castelletto Ticino (No), June 2021

Dear friends,

I am writing after a few months of silence, due to an almost total block of musical activities because of the pandemic. Fortunately, the data seem to improve, also thanks to vaccinations: we hope to be able to get out of it definitively soon!

Due to a personal health problem in recent days, I have to announce that the concert scheduled in Milan on June 12 will be postponed. Instead, I will regularly carry out the other events scheduled for this month. I remind you that due to Covid limitations, reservations are often required and I recommend that you should always check in advance.

In the last months the **International Piano Competition "Città di Arona"**, of which I am artistic director, was held online. I am very happy to tell you that the competition has been a great success, with almost 230 participants from 27 countries around the world!

On this page <https://www.improntasonora.org/concorso> you can still find the list of participants with their videos, and in the results section you can find a "Video of the winners" which collects some excerpts of the performances of the winners.

Regarding my **latest activities**, I had the great pleasure of being called to the **jury for several piano competitions**, which were necessarily carried out online: the Music Competition "Città di Piove di Sacco", the Competition "E. Arisi" of Vescovado and the European Competition - Don Enrico Smaldone Special Prize. We hope that even the musical competitions will return to be held in the presence of the competitors and audiences soon!

In April I also did a **live streaming interview for Casio Music**, during which I also performed a few short pieces on the Grand Hybrid digital piano. For those who have lost it, here is the link to review it and listen to it again: <https://www.ireneveneziano.com/video-intervista-in-diretta-streaming-per-casio-26-04-2021/>.

I remind you that my latest **CD "Pictures at an exhibition"**, which includes a program entirely inspired by paintings, is present on the largest online distribution websites: [Itunes](#) and [Amazon](#) to download it, [Spotify](#) and [Deezer](#) to listen to it for free online.

For the physical copy, you can find information at this link on my website:

<http://www.ireneveneziano.com/en/cd-pictures-at-an-exhibition-and-other-pictorial-works-irene-veneziano-2019/>

You can find the complete list of **upcoming events** using the following link:

<http://www.ireneveneziano.com/en/category/live-prossimi-concerti/>

Here are the events scheduled for the month of June.

Saturday 12th June 2021, 9 pm: Milano, Italy - POSTPONED FOR HEALTH REASONS

Piano solo recital.

Palazzina Liberty Dario Fo e Franca Rame, Largo Marinai d'Italia 1, Milano, 9 pm.

Musical Season "Milano Classica".

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Saturday 19th June 2021, 9.30 pm: Omegna (VB), Italy

Piano solo recital.

Forum di Omegna, Parco Maulini 1, 9.30 pm, Omegna.

FREE ENTRANCE, COMPULSORY BOOKING: cultura@comune.omegna.vb.it

Music by Schumann, Debussy, Tchaikowsky.

Sunday 20th June 2021, 8.30 pm: Gallarate (VA), Italy

Piano solo recital.

Museo Maga, Sala degli Arazzi, Via Egidio de Magri 1, 8.30 pm.

"Gallarate Young Music City", Summer concerts Season of the Conservatorio "G.Puccini" of Gallarate.

FREE ENTRANCE, the hall opens at 7.30 pm.

Introduction by the pianist Beatrice Distefano.

Music by Chopin, Schumann, Debussy, Tchaikowsky.

Saturday 26th June 2021, 8.30 pm: Varese, Italy

Piano solo recital.

Basilica di San Vittore, 8.30 pm.

Benefit concert for CUAMM Medici con l'Africa.

FREE ENTRANCE, MAIL FOR BOOKING: mediciconlafricavarese@gmail.com

Music by Schumann, Debussy, Tchaikowsky.

Sunday 27th June 2021, 8.30 pm: Sesto Calende (VA), Italy - PRIVATE CONCERT

Piano solo recital.

Auditorium del Centro Studi "Angelo dell'Acqua", via Indipendenza 15, Sesto Calende (VA), 8.30 pm.

PRIVATE CONCERT.

Music by Schumann, Debussy, Tchaikowsky.

Monday 28th June 2021, 6 pm: Milano, Italy - CONCERT IN STREAMING on digital piano CASIO GRAND HYBRID GP 510

Piano solo recital IN STREAMING on digital piano CASIO GRAND HYBRID GP 510.

The link for listening to it will be published soon.

Music by Schumann, Debussy, Tchaikowsky.

If you wish to attend any of my concerts, please always check the dates and times on my website as these may change: www.ireneveneziano.com/en

Best regards,

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