

PIANO AT TIGH NA BREAC

make music with friends, in inspiring surroundings

10th – 13th October 2019

Following an enjoyable and successful inaugural course in 2018, Annie Hind and Diane Baxter are offering eight participants a unique piano weekend experience. Designed with creativity, beauty and camaraderie as the backdrop, this intensive workshop will promote the development of piano performance. Incorporating teaching and performing with tools for reducing anxiety, we will provide a personalized experience for each player.

The Piano Weekend will again be held at Andrew and Annie Hind's inspiring and spacious home 'Tigh na Breac' near Oban in Argyll.

You can find out more about the house at www.tighnabreac.com

Enjoy wonderful supportive and inspiring teaching from Dr Diane Baxter, Professor of Music at Western Oregon University. You will learn in both Masterclass and individual lesson environments, enjoy a lecture on 'Performance Anxiety and how to manage it', and play in our Concert at the end of the course.

There will be practice time, time for group discussion and camaraderie at mealtimes. We will have a grand piano, a nice Chappell upright piano, and digital keyboards with headphones for practicing undisturbed.

The house party format of the weekend means you don't have to worry about meals or refreshments.

For those who like the outdoors you could not wish for a more inspiring place to walk or run. For those who would rather stay in the warm and dry, the house has been described as "the most expensive and luxurious, wildlife and bird-watching hide - ever!"

The amazing teaching, stunning scenery, spacious and light surroundings, home cooked meals and company of fellow pianophiles, will leave you inspired and refreshed.

We have a grand piano, a good Chappell upright and there are digital keyboards with headphones for undisturbed personal practice time, all scheduled in for you!

Over the weekend each pianist will:

- have an individual private lesson with Diane
- participate in four group classes
- have ample practice time
- discuss a lecture on Performance Anxiety
- enjoy a concert on Thursday evening
- perform in the Sunday afternoon concert

Included:

- a four night stay at Tigh na Breac
- transfer between house and Oban Station if required
- all meals and refreshments, including a glass or two of wine at dinner
- Non-playing partners are welcome to join us at a discounted rate, when sharing a room.

Cost per person - £625

Non-playing partners - £300

For more information please see our website or contact us:

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