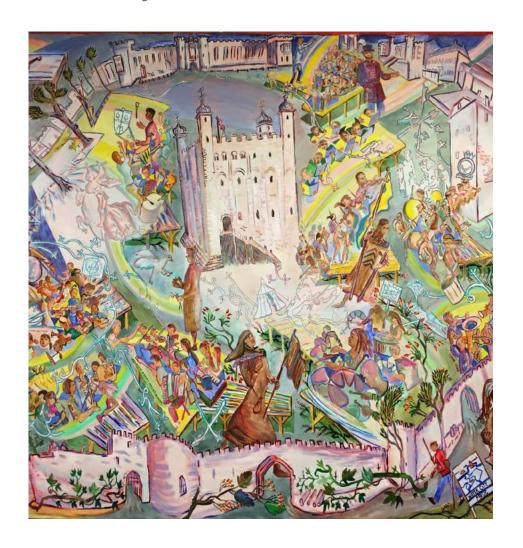
Water City Music at the Tower 2016







Tower of London Water City Music at the Tower 2016 Festival, June 11-18 2016.

Welcome to a glimpse through the lens, celebrating the 1363 children and young people from East London, Birmingham and elsewhere, who took part in the Festival.

We were delighted to have the generous support of HRH the Duke of Cambridge and of our kind sponsors. We look forward to the 2017 Festival, July 1-7.

Michael Bochmann MBE

Artistic Director of Water City Music

Michael Bochmann



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I am delighted to learn that so many talented young performers will once again be singing and playing at the Water City Festival in June.

This is a new and exciting partnership between schools in the Midlands and Tower Hamlets which brings together volunteer teachers, choristers, musicians and students alike for this very memorable occasion.

It was my great pleasure to visit the Saltley Academy in Birmingham in December and meet some of those who will be playing at the Festival and I know the many hours of work that everyone has put in to it.

I wish you all the greatest success and very much hope you will further deepen and develop your shared musical talent over the year ahead.



Water City Music at the Tower 2016, brainchild of Michael Bochmann, brought music-making to over 1300 children. Water City Music works alongside Water City CIC, an organisation initiated by Lord Mawson, OBE of Bromley by Bow for the regeneration of East London.





A culmination of workshops and mentoring, the exuberant performances delighted and inspired children, teachers, parents and visitors.









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Left
Michael Bochmann MBE
Right
Richard Harrold OBE, Governor,
Tower of London

Michael Bochmann

Centre
Baroness Nicholson of Winterbourne

Left

Right John Brown MBE, Deputy Governor, Tower of London

Michael Bochmann MBE is a violinist of international repute. He has worked and played extensively with Yehudi Menuhin and has an abiding commitment to music education. He excels in creating dynamic and inclusive learning environments for young musicians and in bringing music to inner city schools.

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