EXE MUSICAL NOTATION

• EVENTS • • LIVE MUSIC • • PERFORMANCE ART • • FILM •



• ALL • PERFORMANCES • ARE FREE •

26th July – 31st August AN ARTS COUNCIL TOURING EXHIBITION SERPENTINE GALLERY Kensington Gardens · London W2 daily 10 to 7 · admission free Recorded information 01-723 9072

The Graphic Art of New Musical Notation





Paul Burwell Dr - um

Eye Music is one of the largest exhibitions of recent musical notation ever mounted. It brings together the scores of more than a hundred composers from this country, Europe, America and Japan, as well as scores by visual artists.

After the Second World War, changes in music-making, including the development of electronic music and the incorporation of sounds from the 'real' world, called for new kinds of notation. Composers devised graphic forms of instruction, often looking to painting for their example. Partly inspired by Jackson Pollock and other Abstract Expressionists, some composers adopted chance as an almost equal partner in the act of creation. Musicians were allowed the freedom to make a variety of decisions at each performance, rather than to repeat a pre-ordained sequence of notes.

The breaking down of the barriers between the arts, the ideas which led to 'happenings' and to the Fluxus movement, reflected in the work of John Cage, Cornelius Cardew and other composers in the exhibition, continue to influence musicians and artists. Events at the Serpentine include new works for Eye Music by performance artists and musicians, and performances of scores in the exhibition and related pieces.

EVENTS

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Saturday 26 July 12.30pm

2pm and 4pm •WEST GALLERY



Friday 1 August 3pm ·Lawn Saturday 2 August 3pm ·Lawn 4.30pm ·Lawn

Saturday 9 August 2pm and 4pm ·WEST GALLERY

Sunday 10 August, 6pn Saturday 16 August, 3pm ·west gallery Sunday 17 August, 6pm Saturday 23 August 3pm ·Lawn 6pm

Sunday 24 August, 3pm ·LAWN

Friday 29 August, 6pm ·LAWN Saturday 30 August 12.30pm

2pm and 4pm •WEST GALLERY



Sunday 31 August 6pm All day from midday CORNELIUS CARDEW An Arts Council film, directed by Philippe Regniez (1986) 52 mins

Ian Mitchell, Edwin Prévost, Keith Rowe, John Tilbury – play works by John Cage, Cornelius Cardew, Tom Phillips, Howard Skempton, Karlheinz Stockhausen

Richard Layzell: A New Performance Work

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Mike Adcock: Air on a Shoe String – a performance for up to 99 bamboo flutes. Participants welcome

Edges (Robert Coleridge, Martin Harrison, Agatha Kaehr, Paul Kirby, Ross Lorraine, David Ryan) plays works by Earle Brown, John Cage, Toshi Ichiyanagi, Christian Wolff and Fluxus pieces

Sunday 10 August, 6pm CHARTING TIME: Gidal

Max Eastley: A New Performance Work CHARTING TIME:

Cawkwell/Leggett

Alastair Snow: A New Performance Work CHARTING TIME: Keen

Dr — um: (Percussion Ensemble led by Paul Burwell of the Bow Gamelan Ensemble) Drumworks

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CORNELIUS CARDEW An Arts Council film, directed by Philippe Regniez (1986 52 mins)

AMM: (The Improvisational Group – Edwin Prévost, Keith Rowe, Rohan de Saram, John Tilbury) plays extracts from Cornelius Cardew's *Treatise*

This performance is given with assistance from the Cornelius Cardew Foundation

CHARTING TIME: Keiller/Parker/ Rhodes

CHARTING TIME: Keane/Welsby

CHARTING TIME Artists' drawings for film and video 9th to 31st August

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CHARTING TIME

Artists' drawings for film and video



Jayne Parker

Derek Jarman

How do artists plan their films and tapes? Charting Time answers the question by showing the drawings, notes, diagrams and collections of found-images produced by 12 artists in the course of making their time-based work.

Some artists make elaborate score-like structure-charts, others produce drawings and sketches which could stand as art-works in their own right. An important feature of the exhibition is that the completed films and tapes are being shown continuously next to these traces of their origins, allowing a rare opportunity to explore the evolution of artistic ideas.

The works have been chosen to illustrate the great variety of working methods and techniques.

FILM AND VIDEO PERFORMANCES

Continuous daily: FILMS/TAPES by Mineo Aayamaguchi, Tim Cawkwell, Peter Gidal, Judith Goddard, Derek Jarman, Jeff Keen, Patrick Keiller, Mike Leggett, Jayne Parker, Lis Rhodes, Marty St. James & Anne Wilson and Anna Thew. Plus

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Friday 29 August, 6pm Saturday 30 August

2pm & 4pm 6pm

'EAST GALLERY

Sunday 31 August

All day from midday

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Monitors generously loaned by DER

FILM PROGRAMME I Peter Gidal CLOSE UP (1983 72 mins)

EYE MUSIC: Eastley

FILM PROGRAMME 2 Tim Cawkwell SFORZINDA (1977 13 mins) Mike Leggett VISTASOUND (1977-81 45 mins)

EYE MUSIC: Snow

Jeff Keen BLAT ZOM (Film/Video/Slide Performance)

EYE MUSIC: Dr-um

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EYE MUSIC: AMM

FILM PROGRAMME 3 Patrick Keiller THE END (1986 19 mins) Jayne Parker I CAT (1980 10 mins) Lis Rhodes LIGHTMUSIC (1974-77 c25 mins)

Tina Keane THE FADED WALLPAPER (video/neon installation/ performance) **Chris Welsby** SKYLIGHT (multi-projector installation)



Derek Jarman