

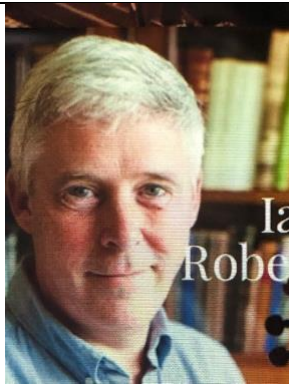
A musical heritage from Ireland and Scotland - A tribute to traditional music

Concert on 1 February 2024

The Artists :



Muriel Johnstone is one of the leading pianists and composers on the Scottish dance music scene. She started learning the piano at the age of seven and the violin at the age of eight. Qualified in the study of classical music (BMus and LRAM from Edinburgh University), and adept in various Scottish idioms, Muriel has performed and taught all over the world. She has become sought after as a performer, bringing into prominence the piano in traditional music. She has composed over 1,000 tunes and for many years was the Musical Director for the Royal Scottish Country Dance Society. Muriel has an impressive discography. She lives in Perthshire, Scotland, with her husband Bill Zobel, a dancer and dance teacher.



Ian Robertson is a highly experienced, multi-instrumentalist on the Scottish dance music scene. He plays the accordion, the fiddle and the piano. In Brussels Ian will accompany Muriel Johnstone on the fiddle. Ian comes from a family steeped into Scottish music. His great-grandmother was a fine pianist who is known to have accompanied fiddler and composer James Scott Skinner in the late 1800s. A full-time musician, Ian is in great demand for functions and events all over the world. He is also an accomplished composer.