

PRESS RELEASE

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Press Release – for immediate release

Worthing Theatres and Museum is thrilled to welcome The Rheingans Sisters. Multi-instrumentalists at the height of their powers, with music that Mark Radcliffe (BBC Radio 2 Folk Show) called 'gorgeously seasonal'; this is simply unmissable!

The award-winning Rheingans Sisters perform unique folk music that's both playful and powerful. The duo are renowned for their captivating live shows, incorporating improvisation and the use of fiddles, voices, banjo, bansitar, tambourin à cordes, spoken word, dancing feet and percussion. Audiences that want to see something wholly new would do well to book tickets now for the Pavilion Theatre Atrium, Wednesday 6 October, 7:30pm.

These two are true indie darlings. Their debut album *Glad Gold Hearts* received widespread acclaim. Their second, *Already Home*, was recorded over just five days in a remote forest studio in Wales and was deemed 'superb' by The Independent, as well as winning the pair 'Best Original Track' for the song *Mackerel* at the 2016 BBC Radio 2 Folk Awards. Their latest album, *Receiver* came out in 2020 as one of Songlines' top ten essential albums that year. Each album reflects their approach to songwriting - deconstructing and reimagining classics.

Sisters Rowan and Anna's stories are fascinating in themselves; they grew up in the Peak District with a musician for a mother and a violin-maker father. Here they were steeped in local tradition and Rowan has become a firm folk fixture as part of popular trio, Lady Maisery, as well as through work with Eliza Carthy, Karine Polwart and others. Anna moved to France to achieve a 1st class diploma from the Conservatoire de Toulouse, and now lives there as a fiddle player and expert in southern French folk music. The two have toured throughout Sweden, Norway and even Australia, honing a style which draws on varied tradition but is all their own.

The Rheingans Sisters will be at the Pavilion Theatre Atrium on Wednesday 6 October, 7:30pm. Tickets are available from £15. For more information on this or any of the events, visit $\underline{www.wtam.uk}$ or call the WTM Box Office on 01903 206 206.

'The Rheingans Sisters have created a masterpiece of modern folk music' - Thomas Blake, UK Folk Radio

'A duo of considerable abilities and imaginations to match' - Songlines



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'The Rheingans Sisters are unique; their songs and tunes are special, completely absorbing' - Mick Tems, Folk Wales Online

'Receiver is a work of craftsmanship and beauty that deserves all the acclaim it will doubtlessly receive' - Mike Davies, Folking.com

'Receiver is evocative, mesmerizing, experimental, bittersweet and hauntingly beautiful' - Angel Romero, World Music Central

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Mackerel music video: youtu.be/ZQrfxK3x2nQ

EVENT LISTING

The Rheingans Sisters

Date: Wednesday 6 October 2021

Time: 7:30pm

Venue: Pavilion Theatre Atrium, Marine Parade, Worthing BN11 3PX

Tickets: £15

Link: wtam.uk/events/the-rheingans-sisters

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