

## International Concert Series



### The Barbirolli String Quartet

Dyne House Auditorium  
7.30pm, Tuesday 27 September 2011

Dear parents and carers,

We are delighted to be welcoming back our very own Quartet-In-Residence, the Barbirolli String Quartet. Fresh from their Wigmore Hall debut last season and hot on the heels of their first CD release on Nimbus Records we are lucky to have them returning to Highgate to perform a fantastic evening of string chamber music to open the 2011-12 season.

The Barbirollis will be playing a very exciting programme of music; a delightful quartet by Haydn Op.33, No.1, followed by Szymanowski's fiendish, challenging and playful 2nd quartet. The second half of the concert is taken up entirely with Beethoven's epic late string quartet in C sharp minor, Op.131.

We would be very happy to see you at the event. Tickets for pupils at Highgate are **free**, guests are priced at £10 and are available from the Music Department office.

Kindly reserve your seats by email to Julie Cometa: [musicoffice@highgateschool.org.uk](mailto:musicoffice@highgateschool.org.uk), cash or cheque payment and collection of tickets at the door on the evening of the concert.

This exciting evening of music is one not to miss so please secure your tickets from the Music Department office to avoid disappointment.

Hope to see you there.

Jonathan Murphy  
Assistant Director of Music, Head of Strings