# Dunedin has joined the many cities in the world in which a University of the Third Age has been founded

Beginning in France in the mid seventies the U3A movement has now spread to most countries and has many hundreds of thousands of members.

U3A is a response to the idea that human life is divided into three periods: firstly, childhood and schooling; secondly, child rearing and work; and thirdly retirement.

The third age is seen to provide the greatest opportunities for learning and understanding because it is during this period of retirement that the idea of a university as a community of those who seek greater understanding through learning can be put into practice.

# The unique characteristics of U3A

- Learning topics are selected by the members
- Indepth courses are planned by members
- Opportunities for reading, research and discussion are provided
- Presenters/facilitators are usually members of the groups
- The company of others who enjoy learning is ensured
- The atmosphere for learning is informal and friendly
- There are no examinations
- There are no compulsory activities
- Courses take place during daylight hours
- Costs are minimal and within the reach of everybody

## **ADMINISTRATION**

Dates: Tuesdays Time: 10.00-12.00

Fee: \$40.00

Tea and coffee provided

# **Enrolments -Limited to 50**

You are able to enrol in more than one programme (subject to numbers). If you wish to enrol for more than one programme, you *must indicate your choice* on the Enrolment Form.

To be received on or before Friday 24th May 2002 Unless you are contacted beforehand you may assume you are in the class.

### Venue:

All sessions are held in the Frank Nichol Room at Knox College, Arden St.

# **Session Leaders**

Michael Andrewes Katherine Dolby

# Lecturer

Professor John Drummond

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# INTERRUPTED CADENCES Musical "What ifs"

4th June -9th July 2002

Rodgers & Associates
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Course Fee: \$40

Cheques payable to Rodgers and Associates

Please complete and return to:

U3A

Rodgers and Associates
P O Box 6200
Dunedin North

on or before Friday 24th May 2002

# Enquiries to:

U3A Katherine Dolby 467 2638

# The Programme

At an interrupted cadence a piece of music progresses in a direction we do not expect. In the history of Western music there have been many moments at which events might easily have gone in a different direction, moments when the cadences of historical progress might have been interrupted. They are the turning-points, the occasions when, if matters had proceeded only slightly differently, the impact on the future of music would have been profound.

Interrupted Cadences explores six of these moments in the history of Western classical music.

John Drummond.

# INTERRUPTED CADENCES PROGRAMME 2002 (Tuesdays 10.00-12.00) Venue:-Frank Nichol Room

4th June Handel under stress: the fatal stroke of 1737

11th June Mozart the survivor: 1767, 1770, 1791

18th June Beethoven: a last summer in

Heiligenstadt, 1802

25th June Schumann rejected, 1837

2nd July Verdi, Nicolai and Nabucco, 1840

9th July Wagner arrested, 1849

# RETAIN THIS PORTION

Please make a note of your first preference for a course.