

COMPETITION

WIN A PAIR OF TICKETS TO THE BARBER OF SEVILLE, IN CONJUNCTION WITH SCALLY'S SUPERVALU, CLONAKILTY.

Rossini's 'Barber of Seville' light Opera at Burren House on August 29th 2009 is in aid of two very worthy charities namely Marymount Hospice and the Cheshire Home in Cork. All proceeds will go to these charities.

This is the second year for a fundraising event to take place in the magnificent grounds of Burren House in Kilbrittain, overlooking Courtmacsherry Bay. Last year the RNLI were the lucky beneficiaries.

This legendary opera is the sequel to Mozart's 'Marriage of Figaro' and is performed by the famous London Garden Opera Company and their acclaimed chamber orchestra.

It tells the story of Dr Bartolo's travelling circus and his beautiful ward Rosina, who is the star of the show. A young man, Amlaviva, attempts to woo Rosina but Dr Bartolo wants to marry her himself.

It features many famous musical moments [e.g. the virtuoso aria 'Largo al Factotum' Figaro, Figaro, Figaro] and beautiful love serenades.

According to event organizer, Amy Cahill O' Brien: "Again for yet another year, we are delighted to be able to hold such a wonderful event in a seated Marquee, in the lovely grounds of Burren House. We have reduced the prices of the tickets this year so hopefully more people can come and enjoy this unique event. People will be able to enjoy their picnic in the hour long interval. They can bring their own hamper or buy one on line [on line hampers are made by Crackpots Restaurant in Kinsale]. 'From Vineyards Direct' are providing a great selection of wines and champagnes at greatly reduced prices and the Pink Elephant Bar and Restaurant will provide the teas and coffees. We have been very lucky with such great help

To win a pair of tickets, simply answer the following question and send the answer, along with your name and full contact details on a postcard to: Barber of Seville Competition, Coast & Country Magazine, Shannon House, Connolly Street, Bandon, Co. Cork. Closing date for entries is 28th August 2009. Entrants must be over 18 years of age.

The Barber of Seville features a travelling circus, whose circus is it?



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