

## PRESS RELEASE – Notte Italiana at Pjazza Teatru Rjal

On Friday 11<sup>th</sup> August the Malta Concert Orchestra under the direction of Joe Brown will be taking its audience on a musical journey to Italy with a performance of some of the most famous hits by Lucio Battisti, Marco Masini, Lucio Dalla, Zucchero, I Pooh, Renato Zero, Renzo Arbore, Mia Martini, Laura Pausini and others sung by Georgina, Olivia Lewis, Roger Tirazona, Alexander Schembri and Neville Refalo.

The Malta Concert Orchestra (formerly known as the PBS Orchestra) is one of Pjazza Teatru Rjal's most recent artistic ventures. It is a versatile ensemble made up of professional and semi-professional musicians who will be performing in formations of various sizes depending on venue and occasion. Other important appointments for this orchestra in 2017 will be the 41<sup>st</sup> edition of *L-Għanja tal-Poplu | Festival tal-Kanzunetta Maltija* as well as a Christmas Concert in Gozo. In line with its mission "to reach out to people across the board through accessible and inspiring musical performances," the orchestra's own Big Band will be performing a number of free concerts in various localities around Malta as part of Pjazza Teatru Rjal's community outreach programme *Pjazza fi Pjazza*.

The concert of August 11 will be held at Pjazza Teatru Rjal and starts at 21:00h. Students, senior citizens and families may benefit from special discounts on concert tickets. For more information and tickets go to [www.pjazzateatru.rjal.com](http://www.pjazzateatru.rjal.com)

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## STQARRIJA STAMPA – Notte Italiana fi Pjazz Teatru Rjal

Nhar il-Ġimgħa 11 t’Awwissu, il-Malta Concert Orchestra taħt id-direzzjoni ta’ Joe Brown ser tkun qed teħodna fuq mawra mużikali sal-Italja permezz tal-aktar suċċessi famużi ta’ Lucio Battisti, Marco Masini, Lucio Dalla, Zuccherò, I Pooh, Renato Zero, Renzo Arbore, Mia Martini u Laura Pausini fost l-oħrajn li ser ikunu qed jiġu eżekwiti minn Georgina, Olivia Lewis, Roger Tirazona, Alexander Schembri u Neville Refalo.

Il-Malta Concert Orchestra (li sa f’it ilu kienet magħrufa bħala l-Orkestra tal-PBS) hija wieħed mill-aktar proġett artistiku riċenti ta’ Pjazz Teatru Rjal. L-orkestra hija magħmula minn mużiċisti professjonali u semi-professjonali li jingħaqdu f’formazzjonijiet differenti skont l-okkażżjoni. Matul l-2017 l-orkestra ser ittella’ kuncerti oħrajn bħal 41-il edizzjoni tal-Għanja tal-Poplu | Festival tal-Kanzunetta Maltija kif ukoll kuncert tal-Milied ġewwa Għawdex. Sabiex timplimenta l-missjoni tagħha (dik li tilhaq l-akbar firxa ta’ nies possibbli b’eżekuzzjonijiet aċċessibbli u ta’ kwalità) il-Big Band tal-istess orkestra ser tkun qed tagħti kuncerti b’xejn f’diversi lokalitajiet bħala parti mill-programm komunitarju tat-teatru Pjazz fi Pjazz.

Il-kuncert tal-11 t’Awwissu ser jittella’ ġewwa Pjazz Teatru Rjal u jibda fid-21:00h. Studenti, anzjani u familja jistgħu jibbenefikaw minn skontijiet speċjali fuq il-biljetti. Għal aktar informazzjoni żur [www.pjazzateatru.com](http://www.pjazzateatru.com)

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