

 CADOGAN HALL

**Carl Davis and Cadogan Hall
present
Charlie Chaplin Complete Mutuals
1916-17**

Wednesday 15-Saturday 18 August,
7.30pm

BAFTA winning composer, Carl Davis, will be returning to Cadogan Hall this August conducting the Royal Philharmonic Orchestra in a series of four concerts. This will be the first opportunity to see all 12 of Charlie Chaplin's newly restored Mutual films with the scores composed and conducted by Carl Davis. Carl and the orchestra will be performing in front of the silent films projected on to the Hall's big screen cinema.

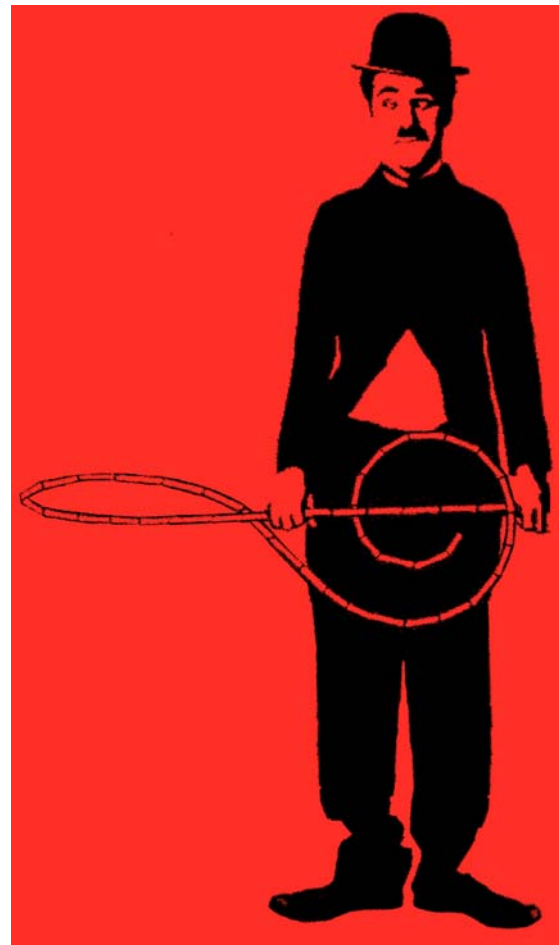
In 1916 Charlie Chaplin became the highest paid entertainer in the world, when he signed a contract with the Mutual Film Corporation for a salary of \$670,000. Mutual built Chaplin his very own studio and allowed him total freedom to make twelve two-reel films during this fruitful twelve-month period. Chaplin subsequently recognised this period of film-making as the most inventive and liberating of his career.

Each night will be introduced by a well-known Charlie Chaplin fan. The first night guest will be **Paul Ross** (journalist, television and LBC Radio presenter). On Thursday 16 August actor **Richard Briers** (TV The Good Life, Ever Decreasing Circles and Monarch of the Glen). The third night will be introduced by **David Robinson**, who wrote the definitive biography of Charlie Chaplin which inspired the film 'Chaplin'. The final night in the series will be introduced by a surprise guest and will feature an audience Q&A with Carl Davis.

'I am looking forward to conducting these concerts at such a stunning venue. Performing them 'live' with the large screen and a real orchestra adds a tremendous new dimension to the experience.' Carl Davis.

A hilarious evening's entertainment for Charlie Chaplin fans young and old!

'The new scores by Carl Davis lift the film' Paul Merton



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Easy Street, One A.M, The Immigrant

Thursday 16 August, 7.30pm

Behind the Screen, The Fireman, The Rink

Friday 17 August, 7.30pm

The Pawn Shop, The Vagabond, The Cure

Saturday 18 August, 7.30pm

The Count, The Floor Walker, The Adventurer

Tickets: £35, £28, £22, £18, £12

A half price child's seat with each full price adult ticket.

Tickets for all 4 nights: £100 best available seat.

Box Office: 020 7730 4500

Book online: www.cadoganhall.com



Notes to Editors

Cadogan Hall opened as a concert hall in 2004 and has a capacity of 900. The Hall's resident orchestra is the Royal Philharmonic and 2007-08 will also see the launch of the hall's first ever International Concert Series. For a copy of the latest season brochure please call 020 7730 4500.

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