

WORKS by the world's most performed living composer, Karl Jenkins, will feature in Grayshott Concerts next big evening.

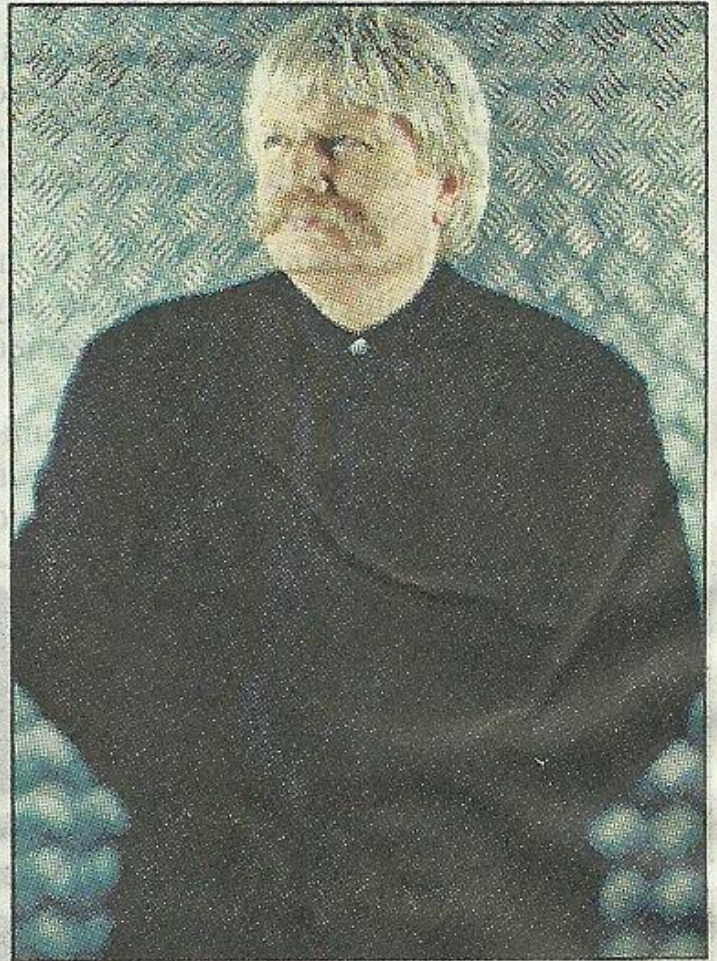
Karl is the community group's patron and the programme includes his dynamic violin concerto, *Sarikiz*, with Kazakhstan's violin virtuoso soloist Marat Bisengaliev, for whom the work was written, and will be conducted by the composer himself.

The performance at St Luke's Church Grayshott, at 7.30pm on Saturday March 24, will include his *Requiem*, second only in popularity to his *Armed Man*, with top choir Excelsis, accompanied by the Marylebone Camerata and conducted by Grayshott's director of music, Robert Lewis.

Young girl choristers from St Thomas-on-the-Bourne, Farnham, together with treble soloist Sam Dashwood from St Edmund's School, Hindhead, have been specially selected and trained to perform sections of the work.

The concert – in association with Buy In Grayshott (BIG) – opens with *Hymn to the Word*, for chorus and orchestra by Haslemere-based composer Clive Osgood, which was first performed at last year's Haslemere Festival. Mr Osgood is also organist at St Bartholomew's Church.

Grayshott Concerts artistic director, Vivien Harrison, said: "This is another



ambitious Grayshott event, packed with wonderful music and performed by a host of talented musicians."

Sponsors are Applegarth Farm, Huntington House nursing home and XLerate. The concert is already selling well. Call 01428 606666 for tickets or book online at www.grayshottconcerts.co.uk