

What are the BBC Proms?

A series of more than 70 concerts, mostly orchestral, given nightly every summer between mid-July and mid-September. The BBC Proms are also widely known as the Henry Wood Promenade Concerts.

Where?

The Proms are held at the Royal Albert Hall in London. Until 1941, the Proms took place at the Queen's Hall, which was destroyed during a wartime bombing raid.

Why 'Promenade' Concerts?

Traditionally Proms are concerts at which the atmosphere is informal and where Promenades⁶ⁱ the