

NYSO Photograph Policy

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Occasionally during courses, rehearsals and performances we will take photographs of NYSO members, or commission the taking of such photographs. These will be used specifically and only for the purpose of publicising NYSO and the opportunities it provides, including on the website, social media sites and in printed material (programmes, posters, fliers etc.). In the creation, storage and publishing of such images, NYSO and anyone commissioned to act on its behalf or anyone (such as festival organisers or concert promoters) allowed by NYSO to use such images will be required to comply with the following:

- Images must be appropriate and must be considered not to be open to misuse.
- If an image of a student is used, the student's name will not be published. If a name is published, no image will be used without specific consent.
- Students will be made aware of why their picture is being taken and how it will be used
- Students will be given the option to not have their image used if they are the sole focus of the picture.
- Students and parents/guardians should be encouraged to recognise the value of group photographs or recordings of NYSO events.
- Images will be kept securely.
- Images will not be used to illustrate controversial subjects.