



NEWSLETTER No. 2 - 4th November 2006

Only seven weeks to the Christmas Concert!

NEW VENUE

I hope you are all starting to settle in to the new school building and finding the facilities' are an improvement on the old building. I'm sorry that the first couple of weeks were rather hectic, with everybody - students and staff - finding their way around and then the two School Open Days which meant we had to rapidly change classrooms for some of the classes!

Hopefully, things should be quieter now as we start the run-up to Christmas.

We have seven meetings, finishing on the 16th December. On the evening of the 16th we will be holding our Christmas Concert in the hall; start time and details to follow.

NEW CLASS

From this week, we are starting a new class at 11.20am in the Music Roundabout room.

This is a Singing Group, run by Claire and Rachel, and is open to everyone from age 5 upwards - including adults. The repertoire will include pop, folk, musicals, shows, etc.

Just come along to the class and try it out - if you're already enrolled in another class you can join FREE until Christmas.

ENROLMENT

There are still a few vacancies in some classes and, of course, the Orchestras and Ensembles have vacancies for most instruments. Why not consider trying a second instrument or bringing a friend along. If you're a parent then have you considered learning or re-learning an instrument whilst you child is at the Centre?

Call in at the Music Centre Office for availability.

SNACK BAR

Our famous Snack Bar is up and running again for tea, coffee, soft drinks, sweets and toast. The Snack Bar staff will be pleased to welcome you during the morning and remember that all profits from the Snack Bar go back into the Music Centre to help with purchasing music, instruments, etc.

CONTACT DETAILS

We have discovered that mobile phones do not work very well in most areas of the new school.

Consequently, the number given at the bottom of this newsletter will probably not be able to receive calls on Saturdays. If you need to contact me please do so before Saturday or leave a message on the number below but I can't guarantee getting the message until Saturday afternoon. Obviously, this problem needs resolving and I will be looking into alternative means of contact.

If you have any other questions about the Music Centre please feel free to contact me or any of the staff and don't forget to visit our website where you can find more information about the Centre and classes.