



NEWSLETTER No. 5 - 10th June 2006

NEXT CONCERT

Our next concert (the final one of this year and the last ever in the lower school building) will be on **Saturday 17th June** and will be at **Carr Manor School** starting at **7.30pm**.

There will be tea, coffee, sweets and soft drinks available from Jenny as usual.

If your group is taking part you will be notified by the teacher.

Tickets are available this and next Saturday from the Music Centre Office.

FUTURE DATES

Next year's calendar is now available and you can either collect a calendar card from the Music Centre office or download it from our website. The calendar includes dates for the three main Music Centre concerts.

The Jazz orchestra are playing at an event in **Roundhay Park** on **Saturday 17th June** (next week, 11am) and during the summer, the Wind Band and Jazz Orchestra will be playing in **Canal Gardens, Roundhay** on **Sunday 6th August** and **Sunday 20th August**. **Both at 2.30pm**. During the summer there will also be other gigs with the Jazz Orchestra and these will be advertised on the Music Centre website, www.northleedsmusic.org. Please come along and support these events as they are part of the Music Centre year, even though the main calendar has finished. You are also welcome to come along and support some of the music centre staff who play in the **Palm Court Dance Orchestra: Roundhay Park Sunday 17th June 2pm** and **Canal Gardens Sunday 13th August 2.30pm**. All the above events are FREE admission.

Full details will be on our website or contact me on the phone number below.

PRE-ENROLMENT

This year, we are trying a new system which should help to cut down the queues on Enrolment Day.

If you or your child are currently a Music Centre member and next year will be returning to attend a Continuation Class and/or Ensemble or Orchestra then you can complete the enrolment form this week or next week and pay with a post-dated cheque.

This is how the procedure works:

- 1 Collect a blank enrolment form from the Music Centre office.
- 2 Complete section 1 of the form.
- 3 If you or your child are staying in the same class, e.g., the senior orchestra, just bring the form back to the office with your cheque made payable to "Education Leeds" and dated 23rd September 2006.
- 4 If you or your child are moving to a different class you will need to take the form to the teacher first and get them to initial section 2 of the form to confirm that they are happy for you to join that class. Then bring the form back to the office.
- 5 Please note that if you or your child are joining ANY first year tuition class, even if you are already in another class, then you will have to attend on Enrolment Day. This is because we offer membership to first year tuition students on a first-come-first-served basis only.

If you don't want to pay by cheque then you can pay by cash but please note that there is a mis-print in the "Making Music" booklet - we can no longer accept credit cards as we do not have chip and pin facilities

Don't forget next week, 17th June is the last meeting of this Music Centre year.

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