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Dear Parents / SMC Member,

Many thanks to pupils who performed and parents and friends who attended the Chamber Music Concert last Saturday. We had a marvellous concert and raised £160 for the charity Candlelighters.

Here are the details of Skipton Music Centre forthcoming events/concerts:

Saturday March 22nd: Open Morning. Come and see the Music Centre at work. Hear all the ensembles rehearse and join us for refreshments. There will be a cake stall and second hand music stall (contributions for these stalls would be gratefully received on the day). There will also be a card stall (Greetings cards of all kinds etc.) with profits going to the Music Centre. Please support this morning and encourage your musical friends to come along and join in.

Saturday April 5th: Concerts at Victoria Hall, Settle.

Rehearsal schedule at Victoria Hall:

9.30am Junior Band, Junior Strings, Guitars.

10.45am Choir.

12.00pm Concert for the above groups.

3.00pm Orchestra.

4.00pm String Chamber Ensemble.

4.20pm Jazz Groups (Junior Jazz, Senior Jazz).

5.00pm Wind Band.

5.45pm Wind Chamber Ensemble.

7.00pm Concert for the above groups.

Please arrive in good time for your rehearsal. Concert dress for the performances: White shirt/blouse, Black trousers/skirt.

Tickets are now on sale for these concerts on Saturday mornings at the Music Centre or direct from Victoria Hall (01729 825718). Tickets cost £3.50, accompanied children free. Performers do not require a ticket. Please get your tickets early.

Sunday April 6th: Both Jazz Groups to perform at “Step into Spring” Chairman of Craven District Council Charity Dance Event 2003 at Skipton Town Hall. 5-6pm. Please arrive no later than 5.45pm. Concert dress.

Date for your diary:

Sunday June 29th: All groups will perform at LIGHTWATER VALLEY. Details to follow.

Please can I ask you all to park in the school car park when you bring your children to Music Centre and not in the school grounds. It is school policy for the grounds not to be used as a car park as it is very dangerous for pedestrians. It is for the safety of your children that I ask you to comply. Thank You.

I look forward to seeing you all at our events/concerts and Thank You once more for your support.

Yours Sincerely,

Anne Heaton
Skipton Music Centre Manager.

