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Dear SMC Member/Parent

I hope you have all enjoyed this term at Skipton Music Centre.
Here are the details for the end of term concerts.

Saturday December 4th 2004 at 11am. Main Hall. Aireville School.

Junior Band, Junior Strings, Guitar Ensemble

The above groups will rehearse at their usual time in the morning and then give their concert in the Main Hall at 11am. As well as the group pieces there will also be an opportunity for members to do solo items. Please inform your Ensemble Director if you would like to do this.

There will be refreshments and mince pies served after the concert

Saturday December 4th 2004 at 7pm. Main Hall. Aireville School.

Choir, Junior Big Band, Senior Big Band, Orchestra, Wind Band, String Chamber Ensemble, Wind Chamber Ensemble.

The above groups will **NOT** rehearse in the morning.

Rehearsal Schedule for December 4th:

3.00pm-3.30pm Choir
3.30pm-4.00pm Orchestra
4.00pm-4.30pm String Chamber Ensemble
4.30pm-5.00pm Wind Chamber Ensemble
5.00pm-6pm Wind Band, Senior Big Band
6.00pm-6.30pm Junior Big Band

Please can you arrive 15 mins before your rehearsal time so you are ready to play on time.

The Concert will then start at 7pm.

There will be an interval when refreshments and mince pies will be served.

There will be a raffle at both concerts and prize donations would be gratefully received.

Concert Dress

Girls: Black skirt/trousers, white blouse. Boys: Black trousers, white shirt.

Big Bands: usual concert wear.

Other dates for your diary.

Saturday January 29th 2005. Junior Strings with The Northern Chamber Orchestra. (tbc)

Saturday February 26th 2005. Open Morning. Come and see the Centre at work.

Saturday May 21st 2005. Junior Strings, String Chamber Ensemble, Orchestra, and HASSO (Harrogate and Skipton Schools Symphony Orchestra) which is based at Harrogate Music Centre.

Saturday June 25th 2005. Choir with The Northern Chamber Orchestra perform Vivaldi's Gloria.

Saturday July 2nd 2005. End of term concerts.

Other events will be announced throughout the year.

I look forward to seeing you at the above concerts.

Best Wishes,
Anne Heaton
Skipton Music Centre Manager.