



NEWSLETTER - 3rd DECEMBER 2005

Our Autumn Term is nearly coming to a close as we finish classes next week, Saturday 10th December.

We will have our usual classes on the morning of the 10th and then our Christmas Concert will be in the evening, here at Carr Manor, starting at 7.15pm. Tickets are available this week and next week in the office, price £3 for adults, £2 concessions (OAP, etc) and free to Leeds schoolchildren.

Those taking part will include the Orchestras, Wind Band, Jazz Training Orchestra, Clarinets and Flutes. If you or your child are taking part, you will be told by your teacher what time you need to be arriving. It is very disappointing for those taking part in the later groups if a lot of people have gone home early after their child has played so please try and stay until the end of the concert (about 9.15pm) - I'm sure you will enjoy it!

There will be a snack bar selling sweets, tea and coffee and cold drinks and mince pies. The RNLI will be selling gifts, Christmas cards, etc. And there will be a Christmas Raffle with some magnificent prizes!

Looking ahead, we start our Spring term on Saturday 7th January and the term finishes on 1st April. We will be closed for half term on 18th and 25th February.

Our Music Centre Spring Concert will be a Tea-Time Concert on 1st April but before that, the Orchestra and Wind Band will be taking part in a Concert at Roundhay Methodist Church on Saturday 11th February. Details and tickets will be available nearer the time.

Members of the Orchestras are also taking part in a couple of other events, both of which are free to attend.

Sunday 11th December - Carols round Oakwood Clock - 2.30pm to 4pm

Saturday 17th December - Carols in Thorner Village - 3.30pm - 5pm

Details of these and all our events are on our website:

www.northleedsmusic.org

Finally, I hope you all have a good Christmas and New Year holiday and look forward to seeing you back at the Centre on 7th January.

Mervyn Manning
Acting Head of Centre