

PLAY LEARN
PERFORM GROW



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Hi all,

Again another month has passed us by! It has been a very exciting one for us at Musicians.ky with our students performing well in both the Trinity Guildhall Examinations and the National Children's Festival of the Arts. I hope these experiences will develop not only our students' playing skills but also their confidence. We have another busy month ahead bringing the academic year to a close. However, we will be offering a number of summer camps during the months of July and August so please take a look and sign up your child to continue their musical development over the summer break.

TRINITY GUILDHALL EXAMINATIONS 2011

Musicians.ky had a massive 92 student entry this May. I am pleased to report that results this year were outstanding. I feel I must congratulate the following students for gaining the highest award - distinction:

Paris Broad	Initial Piano
Gabi Nelson	Initial Violin
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Corey Westerborg	Initial Violin
Nuala Peterman	Initial Violin
Caitlyn Taylor	Initial Violin
Lea Rado	Initial Violin
Chloe Fowler	Initial Singing
Gigi Stafford	Viola Grade 1
Eva Muspratt	Initial Piano
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Matthew Rowell	Initial Piano
Kristina Wolf	Piano Grade 1
Eden Bowyer	Cello Grade 1
Maddy Bowyer	Cello Grade 1
Holly Stradling	Singing Grade 1
Nyah Francis	Piano Grade 2
Evronique Parker	Piano Grade 2
Gweneth Stabler	Piano Grade 4
Nayil Arana	Violin Grade 6
Bella Grieff	Initial Piano

Highest award ever (99 out of a possible 100!)

NEW CLASSES FOR 2011 – 2012

We are introducing a number of new classes to Musicians.ky this September. Musical Theatre classes will now be offered during the week to cater for the many parents who wanted to sign their child up this year but couldn't commit to a Saturday. Also we have divided midweek Performing Arts classes into individual dance, drama and vocal sessions. We had a number of requests for this during the year and are now happy to be able to cater to those students who are interested in one element of Performing Arts. There will be a flyer distributed soon, but do take a look below at what we'll be offering:

TUESDAYS	3:00-3:30pm	Musical Theatre/Dance	Younger group
TUESDAYS	3:45-4:30pm	Musical Theatre/Dance	Older group
TUESDAYS	7:00-8:00pm	ADULT Musical Theatre	
WEDNESDAYS	3:30-4:30pm	Broadway Stars	Mixed age
WEDNESDAYS	4:30-5:30pm	Musical Theatre	Mixed age
THURSDAYS	3:30-4:15pm	Performing Arts/Drama	Mixed age
THURSDAYS	4:15-5:00pm	Musical Theatre/Vocal	Mixed age
FRIDAYS	3:00-3:30pm	Musical Theatre/Dance	Younger group
FRIDAYS	3:45-4:30pm	Musical Theatre/Dance	Older group
FRIDAYS	4:15-5:00pm	Performing Arts/Drama	TEENS
SATURDAYS	9:00-10:00am	Broadway Stars	Younger group
SATURDAYS	10:00-11:00am	Broadway Stars	Older group
SATURDAYS	11:30-12:30pm	Musical Theatre	Older group
SATURDAYS	1:00-2:00pm	Musical Theatre	Mixed age
SATURDAYS	12:00-1:00pm	ROCK BAND CLASS Come and learn to play in a rock band!	
SATURDAYS	2:00-2:45pm	POPSTARS Come and learn how to sing all the latest pop songs!	

We are also offering **FREE THEORY LESSONS** for students following the Trinity Guildhall Examination Syllabus. There are two sessions each week :

MONDAYS 4:00-5:00pm

SATURDAYS 1:00-2:00pm

Students will be following the theory course associated with Trinity Guildhall and will have an option to take an exam at each stage. I do hope you will take advantage of this opportunity – numbers are limited so sign up today!!

Plans for 2011-2012 include preparing our older Saturday Musical Theatre class for an audition to perform at Disney World Florida – we are very excited by this great opportunity!!

Also all students who sign up for any of our Performing Arts classes in September will automatically be involved in our term two production of the musical “Bugsy Malone”. This will be so much fun for the students – we are anticipating the show to be prior to the Easter holidays.

PARENT DAY AT THE STUDIO

Parents of students receiving instrumental lessons **after school hours** (not at Prep School during the day on rotation) will be given the opportunity to come to their child’s last lesson and listen to them perform.

Dates are as follows:

MONDAY	JUNE 27 TH
TUESDAY	JUNE 28 TH
WEDNESDAY	JUNE 29 TH
THURSDAY	JUNE 30 TH
FRIDAY	JUNE 24 TH
SATURDAY	JUNE 25 th

SUMMER CAMPS 2011

We will be running a number of camps throughout the summer – posters/ads will be going up in the next few days. FYI:

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| JULY 5 th – 8 th | Intensive Performing Arts Camp (5-18yrs)
Tues to Thurs 8:30 – 2:30pm
Friday 8:30 – Showtime @ 5pm
CI\$280 |
| July 11 th – 15 th | Around the World in Music and Culture (5-11yrs) 8:30-2:30pm
Come and discover a new country every day (all material included)
CI\$250 |
| Aug 22 nd – 26 th | Music/Arts and Crafts Camp (5-12yrs) 8:30-2:30pm
(All material included)
CI\$250 |
| Aug 29 th – 31 st | Musicians Refresher Camp (5 – 18yrs) 8:30 -2:30pm
Practical and Theory lessons/games
CI\$180 |

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Many thanks for all your support

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