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TO ALL PUPILS AND PARENTS

Information Regarding the Combined SMMC Centres Rehearsal Day 16th September 2017 (in preparation for the annual Town Hall concert one week later.)

All pupils in our Dunedin Centres will meet at **Bathgate Park School (213 Macandrew Road)** on Saturday **16th September** to rehearse for the Annual Demonstration Concert to be held in the Dunedin Town Hall on the afternoon of Sunday 24th September. The Combined rehearsal is a week later than in previous years, and is being held at Bathgate Park School because George St School have a fair on that day.

Please read details of time and room for each group on the reverse of this notice.

Mosgiel Centre: A bus will leave from Elmgrove School at 8:30am on Saturday, 16th September to transport pupils to Bathgate Park School. It will depart at 11:15am to return to Mosgiel.

What is happening in September?

9th: Classes as usual.

16th: Combined rehearsal at Bathgate Park School.

23rd: A combined stage rehearsal at the Dunedin Town Hall in preparation for the concert the following day.

24th: The annual concert takes place in the Town Hall beginning at 3pm. (A further notice will give details of this nearer the time.)

The concert concludes Term Three. **Term Four begins on Saturday, October 28th.** (October 21 is Labour Weekend and there are no classes.)

ADMISSION TO CONCERT:

We invite all parents and families of performing children to attend the concert. Because the Town Hall has kindly offered to us free of charge, there is no admission fee. However, donations will be most gratefully accepted on entry to defray expenses associated with the concert. Programmes will be available to purchase.

Request:

We ask that pupils please respect the property of Bathgate Park School during the rehearsal morning. It is a privilege to be able to use their classrooms and spaces. We are grateful for the co-operation and assistance of parents in the supervision of this.

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SMMC Combined Centre rehearsals at Bathgate Park School (213 Macandrew Rd) September 16th:

9:00am (5 spaces required)

Community Orchestra - *Hall*

Junior Symphonia - *Hall*

Symphonic Band – *Room 10 (Philip Wheeler's Room)*

Training Orchestra (piano) - *Room 3 (via left of Staff Room)*

Bathgate Park/Mosgiel Orchestra - *Room 1 (Joy Chilcott's room)*

9:45am – in the Hall

All pupils combine with all instrumental groups in the Hall for the Demonstration Concert Final item.

10:30 – 11:00 (10 spaces required)

Recorders followed by Recorder Consort at 11:00 (piano) – *Room 5 (Clair Osborne's Room)*

Flutes – *Room 9 (Bev Dwan's Room)*

Oboes – *Room 2 (beside room 1)*

Clarinets – *Room 6 (Chris Pringle's room)*

Brass – *Room 8 (Lydia Anderson's room)*

Percussion - *Room 10 (Philip Wheeler's Room)*

Guitar followed by Guitar Ensemble at 11:00 - *Hall*

Ukulele – *Room 7 (Dylan Pringle's Room)*

Listen and Learn Violin (piano) - *Room 1 (Joy Chilcott's room)*

Violin – Cello - Double Bass – *Room 3 & 4 (via left of Staff Room)*

11:00am

Recorder Consort – *Room 5 (Clair Osborne's Room)*

Guitar Ensemble - *Hall*

Singers (piano) - *Room 3 (via left of Staff Room)*

Let's Make Music - *Room 1 (Joy Chilcott's room)*

Bathgate Park School Rehearsal Plan

Room 1

9:00 Bathgate/Mosgiel
Orchestra
10:30 Listen & Learn
Violin
11:00 Let's Make Music

Room 2

10:30 Oboes

Room 4

10:30 Cello &
Bass

Room 3

9:00 Training
Orch
10:30 Violin
11:00 Singers

Staff Room

Room 8

10:30 Brass

Room 7

10:30 Ukulele

Room 6

10:30 Clarinets

Room 5

10:30 Recorders
11:00 Recorder
Consort

Room 10

9:00 Symphonic
Band
10:30 Percussion

Hall

9:00 Community Orchestra &
Junior Symphonia
9:45 Massed item
10:30 Guitars
11:00 Guitar Ensemble

Room 9

10:30
Flutes