

NEWSLETTER

Term 2, 2012

FLUTE HOLIDAY CAMP

Windworks will be running a flute day camp here from 10am till 3pm on July 12-13. If you feel like you need a motivational boost, or just want to have some fun with our tutors and your fellow students, come along! A flyer with more details will be out soon, so keep an eye on your inbox and let your teacher know if you're interested!

SENIOR FLUTE CHOIR

Advanced group (approx AMEB gr 5+) generally meets every alternate Sunday from 2 till 3 pm. Cost is \$20 payable on the day. BYO flute and music stand. This group is ideal for current students, adult enthusiasts, and those who have finished school but are wanting to keep their playing skills up. We will be having an end-of-term social event this Friday (June 29) at 5:30...a playing session followed by dinner at La Candela Pizzeria. All welcome!!

JUNIOR FLUTE CHOIR - FREE INTRO SESSION

The Junior Flute Ensemble will be having a free introductory session on Friday June 28 from 3:15 till 3:45. If you're a beginner up to about AMEB Grade 4 standard, this group will be ideal for you. Directed by Kellie Grennan, the group is designed to help you develop important rhythmic, sight-reading, and expressive skills...plus we have a lot of fun along the way!! The group will be meeting fortnightly next term, so come along to the trial session and see if you'd like to be part of it.

ALL OUR ENSEMBLES AND WORKSHOPS ARE OPEN TO WINDWORKS AND EXTERNAL STUDENTS, SO IF YOU HAVE ANY FRIENDS WHO PLAY FLUTE, YOU ARE MORE THAN WELCOME TO INVITE THEM ALONG TOO!

CONGRATULATIONS

To all students who sat AMEB or Trinity College exams this term. Everyone passed with flying colours, and a big well done to Tom Macqueen (Distinction in Trinity College Grade 2), Alpha Ma (Distinction in Trinity College Grade 6) and Tom Puttick for passing his AMEB Associate of Music Diploma. What an awesome achievement!

MUSIC CRAFT CLASSES

All students are encouraged to attend these classes. We use the AMEB musicianship and/or music craft syllabus, and also include aural training, rhythm work, and HSC composition tutoring where needed. There is a prerequisite written theory requirement for higher grade practical and diploma exams, so it's important to work through the levels steadily from beginner levels onwards so you don't have to catch up later. (Understanding theory makes practical instrumental learning make more sense too!) These classes are open to students of any instruments so if you have friends who'd like to join in, please let me know or direct them to

<http://www.kelliengrennan.com>





INVOICES

You will receive invoices for Term 3 by email in the next couple of days. Just a reminder that lesson fees for the term are payable in advance (in week 1 of each term) unless other arrangements have been made.

CANCELLATIONS

Could you please take this opportunity to re-familiarise yourself with the studio cancellation policy. (see yellow box to the right) We have a very busy schedule here, and in most instances in order for us to be able to reschedule a lesson, we need to arrange a swap with another student. The more notice you can give us the better!

ASSISTANT TEACHERS' NEWS

Our wonderful assistant teacher Austin Lee is now available to teach here on Saturdays and is able to offer lessons in English or Korean.

<http://www.kelliengrennan.com/austin-lee.html>

If you know of anyone who may be interested, please let me know, or feel free to pass on my details.

CONTACTING US

Just a reminder that our phones are usually switched off during teaching hours, so email is the easiest way to contact us admin@kelliengrennan.com Alternatively, you can send an SMS to 0419624462 or leave a message and I will get back to you ASAP.

For more information about flute and music theory tuition please visit <http://www.kelliengrennan.com>

STUDIO POLICY

CANCELLATIONS

If more than 24 hours notice of cancellation of a private lesson is given, an alternative time may be arranged (within the same week) **If less than 24 notice is given, or if an alternative time cannot be arranged in advance, the fee for that missed lesson is forfeited.**

(Please note that if you have made an arrangement to pay for lessons weekly, this cancellation policy applies, and you will be charged for lessons missed without 24 hours notice.)

In the event of a teacher needing to cancel, an alternative time, substitute teacher or refund will be offered.

DISCONTINUING

Four weeks notice in writing before the end of term is required to withdraw from tuition for the following term, otherwise the fees for that term will be payable.

FLUTE SOCIETY EISTEDDFOD

ENTRIES CLOSE ON AUGUST 13

This is a fabulous event and a highlight of the NSW flute society calendar. There are many sections to choose from and all adjudicators are professional flute players and teachers, who provide invaluable feedback for students. If you'd like more info, check out the link below and ask your teacher to help you find appropriate repertoire.

flute.societynsw.org.au/eisteddfod-2012.php

AMEB PRACTICAL EXAMS

ENTRIES CLOSE ON FRIDAY JULY 27

Please speak with your teacher asap if you'd like to be entered for the next exam period (October 6-20). A link to the Enrollment Handbook is below.

<http://www.ameb.nsw.edu.au/exams/handbook.html>

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