

Merchant Taylors' Girls' School

Christmas Concert

Friday 11th December 2009

7.00 pm

Centenary Hall



30p

Programme

Senior Orchestra

Conductor - Mr B Johnson

Leader - Elizabeth Bramhall

Accompanist—Mrs J Thompson

Farandole from *L'Arlésienne Suite No. 2*

Bizet

Allegretto from *Symphony No. 7*

Beethoven, arr. Weaver

Second Orchestra

Conductor - Mrs J Thompson

Leader – Lucy Armstrong

Accompanist - Miss D O'Hara

I Dreamed a Dream from *Les Misérables*

Schönberg

Cello Quartet

Director - Ms J Richards

Georgina Barry, Francesca Giblin, Lydia Seed

Jingle Bells

anon

The Carr Singers

Director - Ms J A Carr

When a Child is Born

arr. Carr

I Wish it Could be Christmas

arr. Carr



Clarinet Ensemble

Director - Mr S Lock

'Winter' from 'The Four Seasons'

Vivaldi

Senior String Ensemble

Accompanist - Miss D O'Hara

Elizabeth Bramhall, Elizabeth O'Hare, Emma Sergeant,
Pramudi Wijayasiri, Hannah Wright

'A Babe is Born'

Mathais

Middle School Chamber Choir

Conductor – Mrs M L Bush

Accompanist - Miss D O'Hara

Violin Solo - Elizabeth Bramhall

The First Noel/Pachelbel's Canon

arr. Clawson

Elizabeth O'Hare - Violin, Hannah Wright - Viola

Accompanist - Miss D O'Hara

'The Arrival of the Queen of Sheba'

Handel

Natasha Agarwal - Voice

Accompanist - Miss D O'Hara

The Monkey's Carol

Stanford

Clarinet Trio

Director - Mr S Lock

Katy Preston, Rahel Morten, Rhian Evans

Bar Mitzvah Tune

Anon



Middle School Choir

Conductor – Mrs J Thompson

Accompanist - Miss D O'Hara

Clarinet - Mr S Lock, Cor Anglais - Mr B Johnson

I Say a Little Prayer

Let it Snow! Let it Snow! Let it Snow!

Bacharach

Styne

Interval

Jazz Band - 'Lock n' Roll'

Conductor – Mr S Lock

Eye of the Tiger

Survivor

String Ensemble

Director – Mrs L Mycock

Leader - Elizabeth Bramhall

Elizabeth O'Hare, Sarah Harding, Emma Sergeant,

Pramudi Wijayasiri, Sophie Roberts, Himashi Nawimana, Tilly Perry,

Rachael Kay, Aimee Ellis, Joseph Taylor, Hannah Wright (viola),

Georgina Barry (Cello)

In Dulce Jubilo

Trad, arr. Jenkins/Hare

Pramudi Wijayasiri – Piano, Natasha Agarwal - Ballerina

Dance of the Knights from Romeo and Juliet

Prokofiev

Senior Chamber Choir

Conductor – Mrs M L Bush

Accompanist - Miss D O'Hara

How far is it to Bethlehem?

Tomorrow shall be my dancing day

arr. Willcocks

arr. Rutter



Jazz Ensemble

Director - Mr S Lock

Alexandra Minnis, Rahel Morten, Rhian Evans, Madeleine Makepeace,
Katy Preston, Jonathon Reid, Pramudi Wijayasiri

Pick Up The Pieces

Average White Band

Elizabeth Bramhall – Violin

Accompanist - Miss D O'Hara

Méditation

Massenet
arr. Nichols

MTS Saxophone Quartet

Director - Mr S Lock

Madeleine Makepeace, Jack Roberts, Mark Quigg

Benny Hill - Theme Song

Sir Duke

arr. Lock
Stevie Wonder

Senior Choir

Conductor – Mrs J Thompson

Accompanist - Ms J A Carr

Soloists - Katharine Foster, Alexandra Schofield,

Medley from 'Sister Act'

arr. MacHuff

MTGS Choir

Conductor - Mrs J Thompson

Accompanist - Ms J A Carr

Clarinet - Mr S Lock, Cor Anglais - Mr B Johnson

'Sway'

Pablo Beltram Ruiz



Natasha Agarwal I have been singing since the age of 5 and am currently working towards my grade 7. I won the Liverpool 08 Voice of the Year title. I have sung in the Empire and in the Peacock Theatre in the West End. I won the IDTA International Junior Ballet Championship this year and am working towards grade 8 ballet.

Lucy Armstrong I have played the violin with the Liverpool Suzuki Group since I was six. I am the leader of the Second Orchestra and a member of Middle School Choir.

Elizabeth Bramhall I have been playing the violin for 10 years and the piano for 13 years; I have passed grade 8 in both instruments. I am the leader of the Senior Orchestra and String Ensemble; I am also a member of the Senior Choir and Senior Chamber Choir. I have been a member of the Liverpool Philharmonic Youth Orchestra for 2 years and now hold the position of Deputy Leader. I am Head Chorister of the Orphic Singers.

Elizabeth O'Hare I have been playing the violin for 6 years and have recently taken my grade 7. This year I started playing the viola and have taken grade 1. I am a member of the Senior Orchestra, Senior Choir and Senior Chamber Choir. I hope to study science at University.

Pramudi Wijayasiri I have been playing the piano for 7 years and am working towards grade 8. I have been playing the violin for 6 years and am working towards grade 6. I am member of the Senior Orchestra, String Ensemble, Jazz Ensemble and 'Lock n' Roll'. I won the Middle School Music Competition last May.

Hannah Wright I have recently moved up from London. I started playing the violin 9 years ago and switched to the viola a year later; I am studying for my grade 7 viola and grade 6 piano. I played with the Watford Senior String and Youth Orchestra. I also started playing the Double Bass in September.



Department of Music

Mrs J A Thompson
(Director of Music)

Senior Choir
Middle School Choir
Second Orchestra

Mrs M L Bush

Senior Chamber Choir
Middle School Chamber Choir

Mr B Johnson

Senior Orchestra

Mr S Lock

Jazz Ensemble - 'Lock n' Roll'

Clarinet Ensemble

Clarinet Trio

Jazz Sextet

MTS Saxophone Quartet

Ms J A Carr

The Carr Singers

Mrs L Mycock

String Ensemble

Accompanists

Ms J A Carr

Miss D O'Hara

Voice

Ms J A Carr

Flute / Oboe

Mr B Johnson

Clarinet / Saxophone

Mr S Lock

Piano

Miss D O'Hara

Violin / Viola

Mrs L Mycock

Cello / Double Bass

Ms J Richards

Percussion

Mr D Byles

Percussion

Miss L Gregg

Clarinet / Saxophone

Mr C Jones

Brass

Mrs M Fair

With thanks to

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Jayne Thompson
Director of Music



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