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Welcome!

Welcome to my first newsletter as Partnerships Manager for York Music Hub, I'm very excited to have joined the wonderful team. As a Music teacher for over 20 years and an ex- Deputy Head Teacher, I am now ready for the new challenge in my role. Only living in York for the past few years, I have learnt how wonderful and vibrant Music is in the city, so many opportunities to gain and appreciate Music is amazing. I look forward to working with our young people to further develop these experiences and look forward to meeting as many of you as possible in the coming months.

Joanne Yau Hub Partnerships Manager

News

YMH New Home!

The York Music Hub team has relocated to a new city-



centre office! Our new address will be **York Music Hub, De Grey House, St Leonard's PI, York YO1 7EN**. We also have a new phone number: **07895 769161**. Please update our contact details in any records you may hold for us.

Primary Music Leads join us for our CPD

On 21st September we held our **Primary Music Meet-Up!** What a fantastic time we had. The session was aimed at supporting Primary Music Leads in creating their school Music Develop Plans using a very simple template. The session was full of information and dialogue between Music Leads, the best way to share ideas and thoughts from others. It is so good to be given time to meet other Music Teachers and Leads, plus the cream teas were amazing!



York Guildhall Orchestra | FREE Tickets!

York Music Hub and <u>York Guildhall</u> <u>Orchestra</u> are delighted to be working in partnership to once again provide a limited



number of **FREE** tickets for school-aged children and young people and accompanying adults. The tickets will be for YGO'S upcoming concert at <u>York</u> <u>Barbican</u> on **14th October 2023**.

Tickets can be requested by submitting the form below, they will be allocated on a first come, first served basis.

Ticket Form

Violin Masterclass with David Greed I 15th October

Young Violinists are invited to take part in a **Violin Masterclass** with **David Greed** former leader of the <u>Opera North</u> orchestra. This will be taking place on **Sunday 15th October 2023**, **2:00pm -5:00pm** at **The Mount School's Main Hall** (Dalton Terrace, York YO24 4DD).

The masterclass is part of the Hub's partnership with <u>York Guildhall Orchestra</u>, and will provide the opportunity for young Violinists (school age) of around **Grade 5+** to receive expert advice and feedback on their performance. Please apply using the application form found below by **Sunday 8th October 2023,** and you will be notified that week if you have a place.



Application Form

Save the date! I YMH in partnership with Ian Bousfield

Calling all Brass players! We have a very exciting event coming up on 26th November at YSJ Creative Centre. Keep an eye out on our social media platforms for more information coming very soon..

School Singing Lead I York Minster

York Minster is looking for a dynamic individual with a passion for bringing music into the classroom and providing pupils with a foundation in singing and musicianship. The **School Singing Lead** will join <u>The National School Singing Programme</u>, a network of vibrant music teachers from all over the country delivering a world-class musical education to children attending Anglican state schools.

For more information and to apply, please list York Minster's website. Application deadline

is noon Monday 2nd October 2023, with interviews held Thursday 12th October.

Events & Opportunities

STRING! @ NCEM | Sunday 29th October 11:30am & 14:00pm

MiniMash presents STRING! A celebration of the string quartet featuring the Gildas Quartet.

This informal performance includes a diverse programme from Haydn to Jessie Montgomery; Joseph Bologne, Chevalier de Saint-Georges to Dvorak and everything in between. Creatively staged to bring the audience into the music this fun concert is guaranteed to open eyes and ears to the fabulous, joyful world of the String Quartet. STRING! is the first UK production to be shortlisted for a prestigious YAM Award for Best Schools Concert 2022.

This event is Suitable for ages 7-11 years and their families, with a running time of 40 mins.

Tickets prices are - £9.00 (£7.00 under 16) // £26.00 Family Ticket (2 adults, 2 children or 1 adult, 3 children)

Booking link > <u>https://www.ncem.co.uk/ncem-season/</u>



Single Reed Playing Day I Darlington Clarinet Ensemble

Darlington Clarinet Ensemble are hosting their annual *Single Reed Play Day* on **Sunday 15th October** at **Hurworth Grange Community Centre** (Hurworth, Darlington, DL2 2BN). Join them for a full day of playing single reed ensemble, clarinet ensemble, saxophone ensemble and quartets and quintets. With coffee, tea and cake provided!

Book your spot by signing up via the link and either pay online or on the day: <u>https://forms.gle/5DsERHbiXpEhtoiw</u> <u>8</u>



Administrator and Fundraiser I Diocese of Leeds Music

Diocese of Leeds Music have an exciting opportunity for an experienced administrator who will manage the day-to-day administration of the Music Programme and write grant bids and reports for trusts and foundations.

The role is part-time (30 hours per week, 0.8 FTE), and the hours can be worked flexibly by agreement with a strong candidate. Applications from those with no or limited fundraising experience are welcome as appropriate training will be provided.

To request an application pack or to arrange an informal discussion about the role, please contact <u>recruitment@dioceseofleedsmusic.org.uk</u>. Application deadline noon **Tuesday 3rd October 2023.**

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More opportunities

2024 Auditions open now! I National Youth Choir

Applications are now open to audition for NYCGB's 2024 programme. Visit <u>NYCGB</u> Auditions for everything you need to know, what to expect and how to apply.

Deadline for applications is 9am -Monday 16th October.





- Music Teacher conference on Curriculum Music: Leadership, Collaboration and Inclusivity. - Central London - 09:00 - 16:30 on 10th October 2023. Find out more <u>here</u>.
- Tuesday Teach Meets Online (Zoom) 16:00 17:00 on 7th November 2023. Find out more <u>here</u>.

Music for Youth Proms 2023

On 14th & 15th November, over 3,000 young musicians from across 100 schools over the UK will perform at the Royal Albert Hall in the Music for Youth Proms. The gala concerts include orchestral classics, Irish dancing, concert bands, choirs, jazz, and pop bands.

The theme for the 2023 Proms and now a national campaign is titled 'A Thank You Note'. It celebrates the life-changing impact of music teachers and how music unites us all. Musicians young and old, famous and emerging, will come together to thank the music teachers and mentors who have inspired them.

Find out more information and book your tickets here.





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