

INSTRUMENTAL – CHAMBER MUSIC & ENSEMBLES
THURSDAY 7 MARCH 2019
THE BATH CITADEL (SALVATION ARMY) GREEN PARK ROAD

1. Chamber Music ie classes X1, X3, X5 and X6 implies one to a part, not conducted. Ensemble ie classes X2, X4, X7, X8 and X9 implies more than one to a part in the main and these classes may be conducted
2. Adult CD or piano accompaniment is allowed for instrumental ensembles at the discretion of the entry secretary
3. Primary Music Makers contains non-competitive Ensemble Classes

THE JENNIFER PATERSON CHAMBER MUSIC AWARD

Jenny Paterson, who died in 2011, was a string teacher and music educator in Bath. She left a generous bequest to the Mid-Somerset Festival.

The Festival makes an annual award of £100 to the Chamber Music group who gives the most promising performance of the session.

This award will be given to the Music Department from which the group comes.

Please note that the winning group should be prepared to inform the Festival how the award money will be usefully used to further benefit the musical development of the group.

Class	Fee		Time Limit
X1	£10.00	CHAMBER MUSIC: DUO – NONET (YEAR 8 AND UNDER)	6 mins
X2	£10.00	INSTRUMENTAL ENSEMBLE (YEAR 8 AND UNDER) Up to 12 players	6 mins
X3	£10.00	CHAMBER MUSIC: DUO – NONET (YEAR 11 AND UNDER)	6 mins
X4	£10.00	INSTRUMENTAL ENSEMBLE (YEAR 11 AND UNDER) Up to 12 players	6 mins
X5	£11.00	CHAMBER MUSIC: DUO – NONET OTHER THAN STRING QUARTET (UP TO YEAR 13)	8 mins
X6	£11.00	CHAMBER MUSIC: STRING QUARTET (UP TO YEAR 13)	8 mins
X7	£11.00	INSTRUMENTAL ENSEMBLE (UP TO YEAR 13) Up to 12 players	8 mins
X8	£11.00	INSTRUMENTAL CHAMBER MUSIC/ENSEMBLE (OPEN) Open to amateur players of all ages, eg family groups. Up to 12 players	8 mins
X9	£14.00	CHAMBER ORCHESTRA (UP TO YEAR 13) Any combination of instruments but fewer than 18 players	10 mins

THE MID-SOMERSET BANDS & ORCHESTRAS FESTIVAL
FRIDAY 15 MARCH 2019
ROPER THEATRE, HAYESFIELD SCHOOL, BATH

1. Classes X10, X12, X13, X15, X17 and X19 are for school-aged performers only. Where parts are unavoidably missing, they may be realised on a keyboard or other instrument but the only adult permitted is the conductor. Classes X11, X14, X16 and X18 are open to amateur players of all ages
2. Trophies or framed certificates will be awarded for all classes but the emphasis will be on a festival performance rather than competition. All performances will receive a written adjudication
3. Set up time for each group will be a maximum of 10 minutes. Additional information will be sent to participating groups once entries have been processed
4. Light refreshments will be available on sale and a supporting audience is very welcome

Class	Fee		Time Limit
X10	£14.50	SHOWCASE 'THIS IS WHAT WE DO' A non-competitive class for any combination of more than 12 players. We offer an opportunity for performance to showcase what your school/group does well. The majority of players must be aged 14 and under but some reinforcements are allowed. These performances will receive a written appraisal and a framed certificate as a memento of the occasion.	8 mins
X11	£17.50	SENIOR SHOWCASE 'THIS IS WHAT WE DO' (OPEN) A non-competitive class for any combination of players, any size of group. We offer an opportunity to demonstrate what your school/group does well. Each performance will receive a written appraisal and a framed certificate as a memento of the occasion.	10 mins
X12	£17.50	CONVENTIONAL ORCHESTRA (UP TO YEAR 8) For orchestras involving musicians attending a single school	10 mins
X13	£17.50	CONVENTIONAL ORCHESTRA (UP TO YEAR 13) For orchestras involving musicians attending a single school	10 mins
X14	£17.50	ORCHESTRA/BAND (OPEN) For orchestras/bands involving amateur players of all ages from any source eg county, district, school and independent groups of standard or near-standard instrumentation	10 mins
X15	£17.50	WIND BAND (UP TO YEAR 13) For wind bands involving musicians attending a single school	10 mins
X16	£17.50	WIND BAND (OPEN) For wind bands involving musicians from any source eg music centre, local independent youth band	10 mins
X17	£17.50	BRASS BAND (UP TO YEAR 13) For brass bands involving musicians attending a single school	10 mins
X18	£17.50	BRASS BAND (OPEN) For brass bands involving musicians from any source eg music centre, local independent youth band	10 mins
X19	£17.50	SWING BAND (UP TO YEAR 13)	10 mins