

NOVAR NEWS

Novar Music Learning Centre

Term 1 2015 Newsletter

Dear Students and Parents,

Happy New Year! This year is set to be an exciting one at Novar and we look forward to starting lessons with you in week 2 of this term.

In 2015 we will continue to build our wonderful music community here at Novar! We aim to build a learning environment that encourages students to share music and learn from each other, and we are pleased to be able to continue with some of the new opportunities created last year. In Terms 1, 2 and 3 we will host a Performance Party (read more about this later in this newsletter) as well as a Recital in Term 3 and the 2 Concerts in Term 4. The concerts were such a huge success in 2014, so we are looking forward to repeating this in 2015! A new opportunity this year in Term 2 we will host our first Evening Soiree for our older (and adult) students to create a more adult focused performance experience.

During this year we would like to communicate regularly with you about performances, recitals and all things Novar. If you haven't already, visit our Facebook page to keep in touch and be the first to hear about our competitions! As we launch into the new school year, we look forward to seeing you all at your lessons, sharing in new opportunities and creating some wonderful music together.

*Yours in Music,
Carly McDonald*

Diary Dates for 2015

Term 1

Lessons Commence: Monday 2nd February

Public Holidays: Monday 9th of March, Friday 3rd April and Monday 6th April - no lessons

Performance Party: Saturday 28th March, 2pm – 3.30pm, Kensington Gardens

Term 2

Performance Party: Saturday 30th May, 2pm – 3.30pm, Kensington Gardens

Public Holiday: Monday 8th June – no lessons

Evening Soiree: Monday 15th of June, Kensington Gardens, 7pm

Term 3

Recital: Monday the 24th August, Immanuel Collage, 7pm TBC

Panel Performance: Saturday 19th September 2pm – 3.30pm, Kensington Gardens

Performance Party: Saturday 19th September, 4pm – 5.30pm, Kensington Gardens

Term 4

Concerts:

Monday the 9th November, Immanuel Concert TBC

Monday the 16th November, St Peters Concert TBC

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Saturday 28th March 2pm – 3:30pm

Our Performance Party is all about having fun and sharing our music! Everyone brings a plate of food to share and their music! As people mingle around, students can perform their music and enjoy something to eat and drink. This is a chance to play in a relaxed atmosphere, play board games, meet other students and listen to some cool music. Students who would like to participate need to email us at enquiries@novarmusic.com

Live Music at the Fringe Festival

Our wonderful piano teacher Ann Vanlint is performing in the Fringe Festival and has generously offered Novar students and their family's *free tickets* to attend her performance. This is a fantastic opportunity to hear some beautiful music and great chance for students to be involved in live music.

Life at the Piano

Date and Location: Wednesday 4th of March from 7pm to 9pm at Flinders St Baptist Church.

Ann Vanlint invites you to experience a taste of life at the piano featuring solo piano Beethoven, plus collaborations with Dancer, Andy Yañez; Cellist, Stephanie Teh; Percussionist, [Tom von Einem](#); and Jazz Vocalist, Catie Haynes. The night will also include poetry readings between musical items and a display of art by Adelaide Hills visual artist, [Thomas Bromley](#), and [Sarah Lim](#)'s hand crafted work during the interval.

To get your free tickets to this wonderful show, contact us at enquiries@novarmusic.com

Noticeboard

Annual Registration Fee- Please note that in 2015 an Annual Registration fee will apply for each student that will cover all performances opportunities and ticket costs, an AMEB music diary and student insurance cover. This will be invoiced in the Term 1 Lesson Fees and will be \$55 for the year. Please contact us at enquiries@novarmusic.com if there are any queries in regards to this.

Lesson Confirmation- We will automatically hold your place for you in the next term. Alternatively, if you have any other questions, contact Carly on 0413853490. Please note, five weeks' notice is required for withdrawal from lessons.

Missed Lessons- Novar Music Learning fees are **Term Fees**. In accepting a place you are reserving a position for lessons at an agreed time and place for the tuition term. If you are unable to attend these lessons, the lessons are forfeited. In exceptional circumstances catch up lessons may be organised at the discretion of individual teachers. This structure is in place to assist us in minimising our fees and giving certainty to both our teachers and students alike.

Please note, fees are required to be paid within two weeks of receiving the account. If you have difficulty paying the account on time, please contact Carly to discuss other arrangements on 0413 853 490.

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