

MUSIC NEWS

What a great week for the Newport PS Music Program.

Last Thursday 20 children from the String Orchestra spent a day at the Opera House rehearsing as part of a massed ensemble before performing that evening in the Banksia Concert. They were fantastic and seemed to be having the time of their lives.

Thank you especially to Dorothea McAlpine, Stephen Howard, Tracey Van Grieken, Karen Berge, and Karen Liembach for providing last minute transport to the venue and for assisting throughout the day.

Last Sunday evening, Performance Band performed brilliantly at the finals of the McDonalds Performing Arts Challenge 2008. Well done to all musicians and to our conductor Andrew Laurich.

Band Shirts

Please note when purchasing your shirts from the Uniform Shop that the shirts for Concert Band are white, and the shirts for Performance Band are black.

AMEB Exams

Congratulations to Natalie Mavridis who recently achieved a B (credit) in her Grade 5 AMEB Tuba Exam at the Sydney Conservatorium of Music.

Dates for your Diary

PB NSW School Band Festival,
Saturday August 9, Time TBA

NEXT BAND COMMITTEE MEETING: Tue 17th June, 7:30pm, Teacher's Staff Room

The next committee meeting will involve discussions on payment, fees, and ongoing costs for the Music Program. Please come along and be involved.

Band Web Site

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Regards

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