

# MUSIC PARTNERSHIP NORTH NEWSLETTERS

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## Summer Break

We hope you all have a lovely summer break and that the weather is kind to us.

Don't forget that music lessons in school will start again the week of the **16th September**. Once your child starts back in September please remind them to check the school music noticeboard for the day and time of their lesson.

## Your Child's Lessons

We will assume your child's music lessons will continue in September unless you inform us otherwise. As per our terms and conditions, we do require half a term's notice if you wish to cancel future lessons.

[FAQ Click Here](#)



Keep up to date with all our activities via our website <http://music.northumberland.gov.uk>



## Is Your Child Changing School?

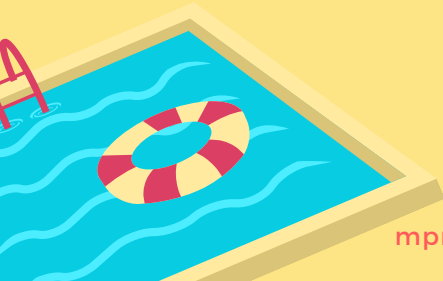
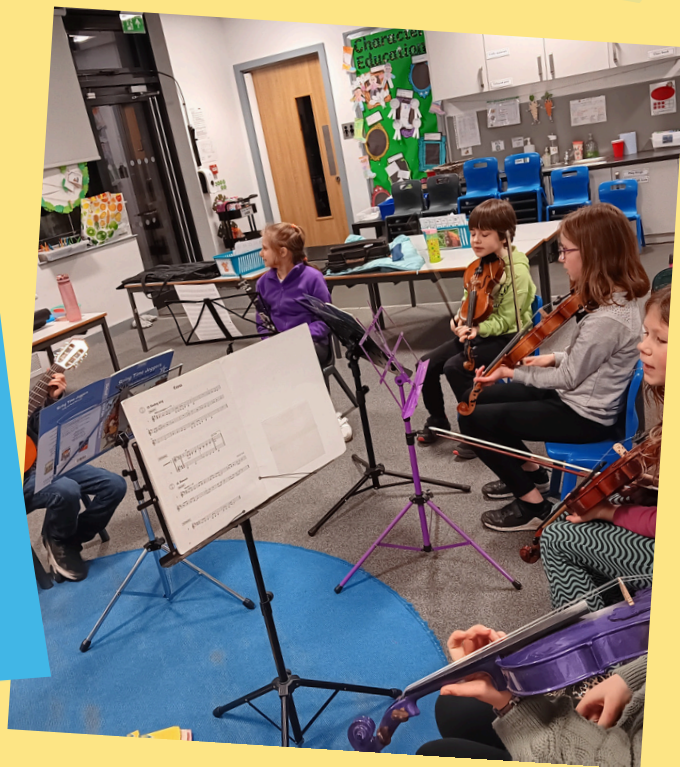
If your child is currently in Year 4, Year 6 or Year 8 and will be moving to a new school in September within Northumberland, their lessons will automatically continue with us. If we do not provide a tutor in your child's new school, we will email you to let you know.

[FAQ Click Here](#)

## MPN Ensembles and Groups

Don't forget you can now sign your child up to join one of our amazing groups and ensembles. New this year is Musical Theatre and the amazing Frets guitar club. Learning an instrument is best shared and helps your child's musical progression. There is something for everyone!

[CLICK HERE FOR FULL DETAILS.](#)



# What Going On!



## Woodhorn Miners Picnic

Students from the Northumbrian Ranters, one of MPN's senior ensembles were invited to open the stage for the 2024 Woodhorn Miners Picnic. It was a fantastic opportunity for the students to show their talent and enthusiasm for traditional music.

Also at the event were students from Cambois Primary School and Morpeth Stobhillgate First School. These students have been involved in our clogging workshops across the county. They all did a fantastic job and there were a lot of very proud parents watching.

## Summer Schools

Our Musical Theatre summer school workshops have a new venue this year at Morpeth First School. There is still time to sign up so please go to our website or email [mpn@northumberland.gov.uk](mailto:mpn@northumberland.gov.uk) for more information.

The first workshop is aimed for students in school years 1 - 3. The second workshop is for school years 4 - 8.



# Out and About!



## Partnership Ensembles

The AlnwiCeilidhans, Alnwick's newest ceilidh band is up and running. With 19 members, the band brings together children from the Alnwick Partnership to play ceilidh music. The students are looking forward to their first performance at the "What A Wonderful World Festival" in Alnwick Gardens this summer.

The band is open to any students in the Alnwick Partnership in school years 4-8.

For more information email:  
[mpn@northumberland.gov.uk](mailto:mpn@northumberland.gov.uk)

## MPN Summer Concert

Students from all our county ensembles have been hard at work preparing for our summer Gala Concert on 4th July at the Royal Grammar School Newcastle. Doors open at 6.30pm for a 7pm start. Entry is free with donations on the door. Why not come along and see if your child would like to join a group in September?

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## Empowering Youth Workshop

This FREE workshop is aimed at students aged 12 - 18. They will learn practical skills to help them communicate and speak with confidence and influence. These skills will help students now and in the future for any situation where they want to express themselves authentically.

[CLICK HERE FOR FULL DETAILS.](#)

## Music Competitions

There are a range of music competitions that students can enter at the Rothbury Traditional Music Festival on Saturday 13th July at the United Reformed Church in Rothbury .

Full details can be found on the events website. Students are required to apply online before the day.

[CLICK HERE FOR FULL DETAILS.](#)

## ROTHBURY TRADITIONAL MUSIC FESTIVAL

### CHILDREN'S COMPETITIONS

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