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MPC MUSIC PARENT COMMITTEE

MPC Music Parent Committee OPEN meeting

Monday 9th Feb 7pm - 9pm

Choral Studio

Please join the MPC to get started with planning and supporting music events and fundraising activities through 2026!

We're recruiting to fill roles vacated by students' completing the Music Program.

Please do come along and bring a friend.

Welcome drinks and nibbles to get us started 😊

If you're unable to make either and would like to stay in touch with MPC activities and planning, please message me on 0415 301 635 to be added to our WhatsApp group.

Please see invite attached or in the *Music Bulletin Attachments* on CSHS website.

INSTRUMENT COLLECTION

Please remind your child to collect their instrument from the Music storage room before Thursday next week (Week 10), so that they continue to practice over the break but also because private instruments are not insured if they are left overnight.

REHEARSAL SCHEDULE FOR TERM 1-3 2026

Rehearsal start dates for 2026 will be in next week's Bulletin

Music Rehearsal schedule for 2026 can be found [here](#) on the CSHS website.
(Please check carefully as some ensembles have changed).

CHRISTMAS CONCERT & MARKET!

Thank you to the everyone who attended the Christmas Concert last Friday.

The concert, electronic donations straight to the charity on the day plus the Year 8 cake stall organised by Kris, raised a total of \$1428.02 for Every Daughter Matters.

\$187 can rescue a person from human traffickers, provide them with a safe home, vocational training, counselling, and the chance to build a new future.

So thanks once again for generously donating, attending the concert or purchasing from the cake stall.

MUSIC TOUR 2026 UPDATE

Fundraising update: Our fundraising optimum goal is to raise \$150k through a range of events and activities leading up to the tour. We are now almost at 10% of our target. Thank you to Aileen, Audrey, Bec, Chris, Grace, Michelle and the fundraising team of parents and students for all your hard work.

Wine and Movie Ticket collection: Please note that wine and Hoyts movie tickets can be collected from the Music Office at school between 9am - 3pm. Please email cshs2026musictour@gmail.com if you won't be able to collect this week. Thank you for supporting our fundraising efforts.

Sin Gin sales: Back by popular demand, we have [Sin Gin Distillery](http://www.singindistillery.com.au) sales open until Christmas Day. Use code MUSIC26 for a 5% discount, with 15% going to Music Tour fundraising. Order online via www.singindistillery.com.au

Busking: Busking opportunities will be emailed out by Music Admin as they become available. These are our upcoming busking dates for 2025/2026:

Kalamunda Markets	14 Dec
Floreat Forum	14 Dec; 20-24 Dec
Scarborough Sunset Markets	18 Dec
Westfield Innaloo Shopping Centre	24-25 Jan; 21-22 Feb; 21-22 Mar; 11-12 Apr; 16-17 May; 6-7 Jun
Artisans and Collectors Market Claremont	18-19 Apr

Join Us for Our Quiz Night – Saturday 2 May 2026! Get ready for an exciting evening of fun and friendly competition. Early bird tickets are out now until 28 February via [Paperly!](https://paperkit.net/)

We're also looking for generous contributions to make the night even more memorable. Donations for silent auction items and raffle prizes are greatly appreciated. If you or someone you know can help, please reach out via cshs2026musictour@gmail.com — your support makes all the difference, thank you!

Coming soon – Music Tour Raffle tickets: Music Tour families will have the opportunity to sell Raffle Tickets to help with music tour costs. Tickets cost \$10 each. Prizes include a \$10,000 travel voucher (1st prize), a Lenovo Laptop (2nd prize) and a Qatar travel pack (3rd prize). More information to follow.

Save the date: Heads up for those planning summer holidays – Music Tour students will have a compulsory Music Tour camp on the 30th-31st of January 2026.

Visa applications: For tour students with passports from non-Australian and non-EU countries, please check this website to see if a Schengen Visa is required. If a Schengen Visa is required, you will need to lodge a visa application ahead of time and can request for supporting documents from Jess van de Ploeg (jvandeploug@churchlands.wa.edu.au).

Any questions? Please contact cshs2026musictour@gmail.com



On behalf of the Music Tour Committee, we wish all our parents and students a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. We look forward to seeing you in 2026 for even more FUNdraising as we count down to the big event!

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Join Us for Our Quiz Night – Saturday 2 May 2026! Our biggest music tour fundraiser has now been launched! Save by booking early bird tickets until the end of February 2026. Book a table of 8 or buy individual tickets now for only \$20 per person. Students are also welcome! We are ‘aiming high’ and have capacity for up to 800 so join us for what will be an exciting evening of fun and friendly competition!

Booking link: <https://churchlands.paperlyapp.com/public/f/quiz-night-2026-music-tour-fundraising-event-2-may-20262026>

EXTERNAL INFORMATION

WAWS SUMMER WIND ENSEMBLE ACADEMY – EARLY BIRD REGISTRATIONS OPEN!

Looking for an inspiring and fun school holiday activity for the January holidays? The WAWS Summer Wind Ensemble Academy is the perfect day program for young woodwind, brass, and percussion players entering Years 6–8 in 2026.

Students will learn from members of the Western Australian Wind Symphony through full ensemble rehearsals, sectionals, musical games, and plenty of creative connection. It’s a supportive, confidence-building day designed for players who can read basic notation and play a few short pieces — no advanced experience needed!

Places are limited and early registration is highly recommended.

Register or view more details here: <https://events.humanitix.com/waws-summer-ensemble-academy>

JOIN THE CITY OF PERTH CONCERT BAND!

Calling all wind, brass, and percussion players in Years 10–12!

Got musical talent and want somewhere awesome to use it?

Looking to level up your skills, make new friends, and play seriously cool music?

Come be part of a fun, vibrant community band that performs at exciting events — including the **Perth Christmas Pageant!**



When: Tuesday nights, 7:30–9:30pm (Starting 3rd Feb 2026)



Where: Our band room at Queens Gardens (right next to the WACA)

Conducted by Mr Stanley (conductor of CSHS Wind 1 and percussion teacher)

If you love music and want more chances to play, **we want you!**

Please contact Mr Stanley Lee.stanley@education.wa.edu.au if you are interested in joining the band or coming along to try it out.

JAZZ CLUB OF WA

The Jazz Club of WA are running a traditional jazz workshop for high schoolers at Como Secondary College from 12th to 16th January, 10am to 1pm each day. Cost is only \$50. If you are interested check out the flyer attached.

Please see Flyer in the *Music Bulletin Attachments* on CSHS website.

TALENT SHOW

Bethanie Geneff Innaloo is hosting a **Talent Show** on **Tuesday, January 14th at 2:15pm**, and we're inviting young performers to showcase their talents! We already have a trumpet player and violinist from St. Mary's lined up, but we'd love to welcome more performers who'd enjoy performing a song or two for our residents.

Your parents/friends are welcome to come and watch too.

It's a relaxed, friendly event during the school holidays, and a wonderful opportunity to share music with your local aged care community. If any students are interested, please contact **Kim Tracey** at Kim.Tracey@bethanie.com.au.

PERTH SUMMER ORCHESTRA CAMP - ENROLMENTS ARE NOW OPEN

Please click on link below for more information

[Perth Summer Orchestra Camp 2026](#)

A CAPPELLA EXPOSURE (ACE DAY) 2026 - SAVE THE DATE!

Please see PDF in the *Music Bulletin Attachments* on CSHS website.

INVITATION TO NOMINATE ADVANCED STRING STUDENTS - CHINESE NEW YEAR CONCERT (PLC, 28 FEB 2026)

Please see PDF attached and in the *Music Bulletin Attachments* on CSHS website for more information.

EDSTART ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS

Please see PDF in the *Music Bulletin Attachments* on CSHS website

WAAPA UPCOMING AUDITIONS AND 2026 OUTREACH PLANNING

Please see PDF in the *Music Bulletin Attachments* on CSHS website.

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