



Blow the Dust off your Instrument!

Orchestral Playing Day including Recorder Consort
Saturday 10th July @ 10.00am – 5.30pm

Albert Hall, North Circus St,
Nottingham NG1 5AA

Any Covid security regulations still in place will be implemented in full.



Joy Bower, Gill Henshaw, Angela Kay, Chris McDouall *conductors*

Let's Blow the Dust off our instruments and start PLAYING AGAIN!

Music for Everyone invites you to a friendly, relaxed playing day at Nottingham's spacious Albert Hall.

Did you learn to play an instrument when you were at school but haven't got it out of the case for a long time? Or have you taken up playing an instrument in adult life just for fun? Do you like playing orchestral music? Were you a member of the school recorder group?

If the answer is **YES** to any of these questions then come to Blow the Dust off your Instrument.

The music has been chosen to give scope to players of all abilities and will include the swaggering '**Polka**' from **Schwanda the Bagpiper** by Weinberger, Tchaikovsky's well known '**Waltz**' from **Swan Lake**, Eric Coates **By the Sleepy Lagoon** (better known as the theme tune to Desert Island Discs) and, to bring back memories of childhood, **The Thunderbirds March!**

There will be items for wind band and string orchestra and the recorder ensemble will also have a varied diet of music.

Music Scores

Instrumental parts will be sent out in advance of the workshop to give you time to get to grips with the notes ahead of the day itself.

Optional Zoom Rehearsal Sessions (exact time to be notified)

To get those fingers moving and introduce you to the music there will be optional Zoom sessions before the workshop day. Links to these sessions will be emailed to all workshop participants.

Workshop Day Timetable

9.40 am	Registration opens NB Recorder registration at 1.15pm
10.00 am	Morning rehearsals (to include coffee break)
12.30 pm	Meal break
1.30 pm	Afternoon rehearsals for all players (to include tea break)
4.15 pm	Break
4.30 pm	Informal performance for friends and family

Informal Performance (Covid security regulations still in place will be implemented in full)

This performance is designed to be part of the workshop experience for participants to enjoy. Friends and family will be welcome to attend. There will be no tickets but contributions in support of MfE will be much appreciated via a retiring collection.

Workshop Day Fee

The fee includes all music, optional online rehearsals, the workshop experience and coffee or tea at the morning and afternoon breaks.

MfE Subscribing Playing Members – £30; Non-members – £35.

N.B. Should the workshop need to be postponed due to an extension of Covid measures, full refunds will be given.

How to enrol

Please complete the form below and post it, together with your enrolment cheque (made payable to Music for Everyone) to Music for Everyone, 10 Goose Gate, Hockley, Nottingham NG1 1FF

For any further information, email admin@music-for-everyone.org or telephone 0115 958 9312 (Monday – Wednesday, mornings only)

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Name

Instrument Approx. grade (not needed for recorder players)

Address

..... Post Code.

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