

Canterbury Musical Parenting Association Inc.

Newsletter November 2010



NEXT MONTHLY MEETING

Wednesday 17^h November in the Trinity Room at the Christchurch School of Music. Barbadoes St. Next to the Catholic Cathedral.

7.30 - 9.00pm Julie Wylie – Musical Mapping – Musical Play for Children with Dyspraxia

This is our last workshop for 2010 and a great opportunity to hear Julie speak. Please tell any parents, friends, colleagues and anyone else you think would benefit. It should be full of “aha!” moments for us all.

Free for members, \$5 non-members.

Julie Wylie

For the past twenty years Julie Wylie has conducted her own school of music. During the past eighteen years Julie has been a part of a highly experienced team at the Champion Centre. This wonderful team have worked collaboratively helping Julie to develop a music programme that specialises in working with children who have dyspraxia, sensory processing difficulties and a range of other special needs. Children with special needs often have ideation, planning and execution difficulties. Music-making provides an alternative means of communication for the child with speech difficulties. Parents learn valuable strategies for helping their child with daily routines. As a team we work together to provide an intervention programme that deals with many aspects of the individual child and family, including their special needs and their special strengths.

This workshop is designed to help parents, teachers and music specialists develop a greater understanding about the implications of dyspraxia and to help them develop nurturing music programmes that cater for the individual needs of all children.

Coming up:

15th December

Christmas Coffee and cake – venue to be announced
All welcome to celebrate another year of music making

Dates to note:

“Tiny Tapping Toes” Under 5's Series at the Christchurch Music Centre

Mondays once a month at 10.00am: \$4 per child – carers/parents free
To book call Trish Rainey 377 5000 or e-mail concerts@musiccentre.org.nz

6th December: Julie Wylie – with a delicious Christmas theme!

Christchurch Youth Orchestra – Toddlers Proms, 28th November

The Christchurch Youth Orchestra presents TODDLERS PROMS conducted by Brian Buggy “the ultimate grandfather”

Sunday 28th November 3 sessions 1pm, 2pm, 3pm

\$20 per family on the door (Mum, Dad, children & Grandma)

Villa Maria Auditorium- Peer St entrance

<http://www.eventfinder.co.nz/2010/nov/christchurch/cyo-toddlers-proms>

Hagley Singers present - Amahl and the Night Visitors

Thursday 18th–Saturday 20th November 2010 7.30pm(& 2pm on Saturday)

Elmwood Theatre, Aikmans Road, Merivale, Christchurch

Adult \$20, School Students \$10, Family (2 adults 2 children) \$50

<http://bethere.co.nz/music/2010/4950-hagley-singers-present-amahl-and-the-night-visitors>

*If you have any information you'd like to go in the next newsletter, please email me at grsclarinet@hotmail.com or ring 03 337 5404/0212 565046.
Thanks, Georgina*