

Durham Young Musicians

January – March 2010

ABRSM results:

Thomas Heath	G1 piano merit
Lily Slanickova	G1 piano distinction
Miranda Stephenson	G1 piano distinction
Amie Thirlwell	G1 piano distinction (2009 Period B)
Isobel Warburton	G1 piano merit
Rhea Rabot	G1 voice merit G1 recorder distinction
Emily Heath	G2 piano merit
Bolin Dai	G3 piano distinction
Anna Murray	G3 piano merit
Ben Pulman	G3 piano distinction
Ella Crawford	G5 piano distinction
Mudara Senanayake	G5 piano merit
Katharine Morris	G5 piano, merit
Rhea Rabot	G5 theory merit G5 flute merit G6 piano
Julia Smith	G6 flute distinction
Matthew Calvert	G7 piano distinction

Julia Smith achieved A* in GCSE Music

OTHER NEWS

Jack Smith, much loved piano teacher and long-term supporter of Durham Young Musicians, died recently.

Professor Christopher Walton, who left Zurich in 2000 to take up the post of Professor of Music at Pretoria University in South Africa, returned to Switzerland in September 2008 as an orchestra administrator. In November 2009 he was awarded the Max Geilinger prize for his contribution to the promotion of cultural relations between Switzerland and the English speaking world. At the award ceremony he was praised for his literary achievements in the field of music.

Matinee Organisers

Please could teachers contact the matinee organiser/s to arrange performances for their pupils.

In the event of over subscription teacher/pupil members of DYM will have priority for performances.

Nominations for Special Concert, Junior Recital and Masterclass performers are welcome from music teachers. Accompanists may be available if required.

For the matinees and EPTA competition please contact:

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About DYM

Membership of DYM is open to anyone who has an interest in music. Our members include teachers, pupils, parents and anyone else who enjoys music. All are welcome!

Membership for 2009-10 will be £7.50 per adult, £5.00 for children/senior citizen/s, or £10.00 for family membership. Members receive three newsletters annually and reduced entry fees to certain DYM events.

Please contact:

Mrs. H. Panesar (Membership Secretary) at 4 St. Monica Grove, Durham, DH1 4AT, tel. 0191 384 2691, if you require a membership form, or if you have any news for a future newsletter.

For other queries about DYM or forthcoming events, please contact the Secretary of DYM at the following address:

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