



NYCoS National Boys Choir

Congratulations to S2 pupil Cameron Black who is in the National Boys Choir Changed Voices Section this year. Cameron received his full colour tie for this achievement.



WSSO

Congratulations to the following pupils who have all gained a place at either the West of Scotland Schools Symphony Orchestra, Concert Band or String Orchestra. The pupils involved are:

WSSSO

S2 pupil: Jamie King on bassoon

S4 pupil: Ciara O'Shea on cello

S5 pupils: Sophie Boyd, Pagan Ferry McKenzie and Lukas Nielsen on violin, Becky Paton on viola, Chris Vettraino on oboe

S6 pupil: Andrew McCroskie on clarinet

WSSCB

S2 pupil: Anna Ghireo on bassoon

S3 pupil: Ben Drake on bassoon

S5 pupil: Eilidh Galloway on clarinet

S6 pupil: Eve Burgoyne on clarinet

West String orchestra

S3 pupils: Aalia Shah and Tom Simmonds on violin

S4 pupil: Daisy Major on cello



NYOS

Congratulations to the following pupils who have all got places this year in the National Youth Orchestras of Scotland:

NYOS Seniors

S2 pupils: Anna Ghiro and Jamie King on bassoon

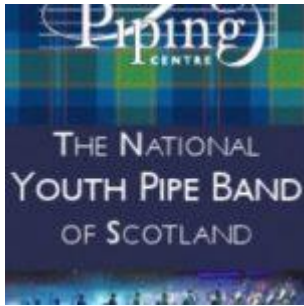
S3 pupil: Ben Drake on bassoon

S4 pupil: Chloe Ghiro on violin

NYOS Juniors

S3 pupils: Josef Heidinger on bassoon, Liana Storey on oboe, James A Ross on bassoon

S4 pupil: Marianne Walker on violin



National Youth Pipe Band of Scotland

Congratulations to S4 pupil Lexy Letham who has gained a place in the National Youth Pipe Band of Scotland on tenor drum.

ABRSM and Trinity examination results

Congratulations to the following pupils on their success in their recent Associated Board and Trinity examinations.

ABRSM

S1 pupils: Robin Bull and Charis Mowat passed Grade 3 cello, Libby Carmon Grade 3 cello with merit, Katie Jeffrey and Scott Selbie passed Grade 3 violin, Kirsty Shu passed Grade 6 piano

S2 pupils: Timo Asmone passed Grade 2 piano, Kathryn Birnie, Kate Cherry, Piet Lages and Maisie McGregor passed Grade 3 cello, Jamie King Grade 7 bassoon with distinction

S3 pupil: Ewan Millar Grade 5 percussion with distinction

S5 pupil: Eilidh Galloway Grade 8 piano with merit

Trinity/Guildhall

S2 pupil: Orla Lang Grade 7 oboe with distinction

S4 pupil: Alasdair Notley Grade 7 oboe with distinction

S6 pupil: Eve Burgoyne Grade 8 clarinet with distinction

We are always delighted to celebrate the talent of the pupils at Williamwood so please let Mrs Selbie know if we have missed anyone out.

Young Singer of the Year

On Wednesday 25th January, the Music department's annual Young Singer of the Year event took place. A fantastic number of parents, friends, pupils and staff turned out to hear our fifteen vocalists belting out songs ranging from Broadway musicals to pop hits, and classical art songs to well-known folk tunes. Our compere for the evening, S5 pupil Rhuaridh Fortheringham, guided us through our two categories, Junior and Senior, with more than a few rubbish jokes! It was a tough decision for our two judges, Marilyn J Smith MBE and Claire Ramsay, but ultimately our highly-deserving winners were crowned. It was a fantastic evening of exceptionally high talent and entertainment. Many thanks to everybody who supported the event and congratulations to our fabulous champions.

Junior (S1-S3)

1st: Elena Guevara Rose S2

2nd: Niamh Harley S2

Senior (S4-S6)

1st: Erin Cox S5

2nd: Brittany Davies S5

Rising Star

Molly Carnie S1