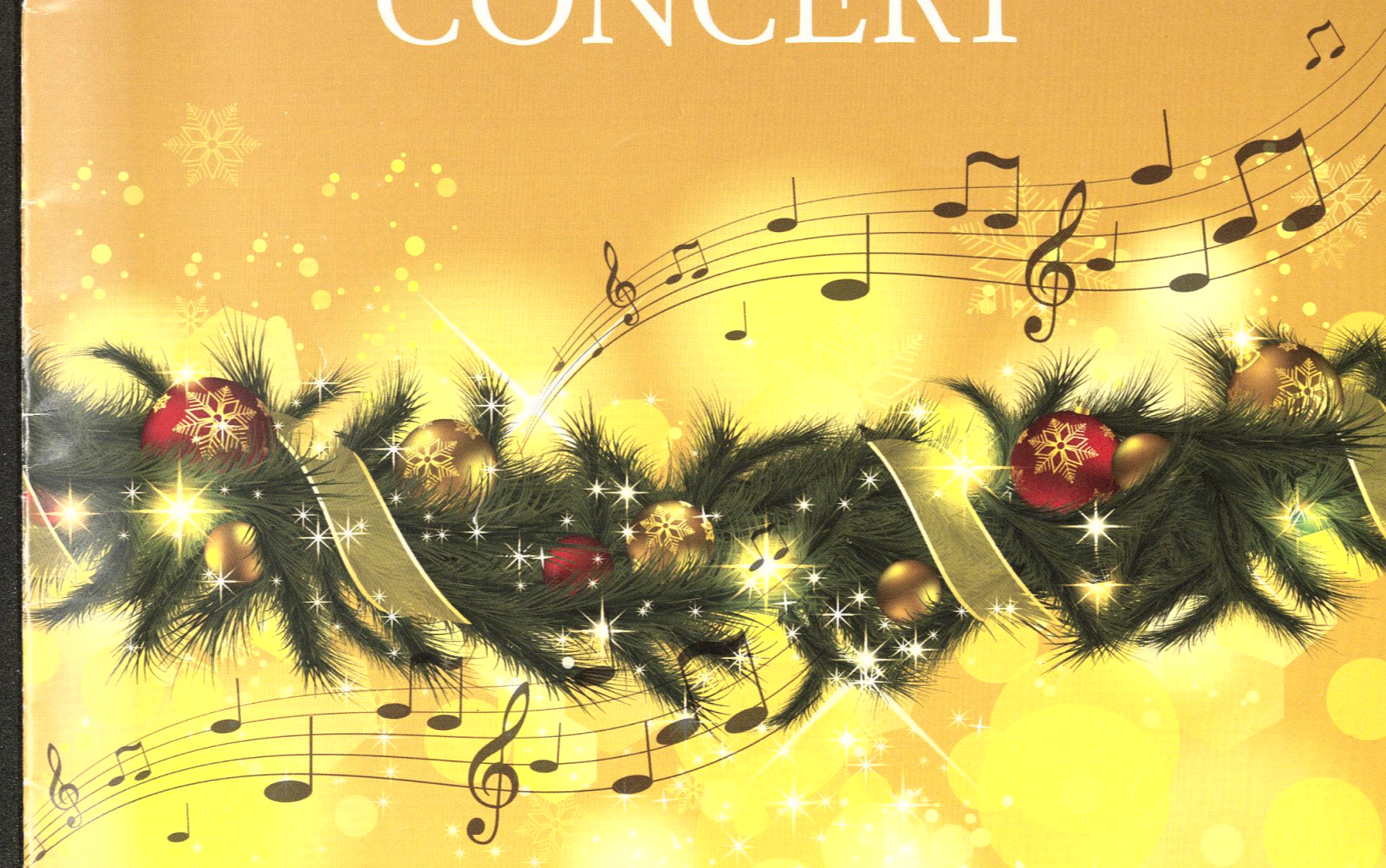




JAMES GILLESPIE'S
HIGH SCHOOL

CHRISTMAS CONCERT



USHER HALL
THURSDAY 18th DECEMBER 2014
7.00pm

PROGRAMME

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An evaluation of your experience of tonight's concert will prove very helpful to us in planning future concerts, and we would appreciate it if you could answer a short survey which should take no more than 5 minutes.

Please visit our Performing Arts Blog at www.jghsperformingarts.blogspot.co.uk and click on the 'Christmas Concert Survey' link to complete a short questionnaire about the concert.

Thank you in advance for taking the time to give us this feedback.

All news regarding future events and opportunities within the Performing Arts faculty can always be found on the above website

We would like to thank the following for their huge support in making this concert possible:

- Mrs Deirdre O'Brien, Curricular Leader of Performing Arts and Musical Director of the concert
- All the conductors of the ensembles and choirs
- Instrumental staff that have helped in other ensembles and rehearsals
- Rachel Millar for rehearsing the training strings
- All Primary 7 staff, other primary staff and Primary Head Teachers who assisted with the organisation and rehearsals of the P7 pupils
- Sharon Law, classroom assistant, and the office staff for their tremendous assistance in the administration of the concert
- S6 pupils for working tirelessly in publicising, marketing and issuing programmes: Vayda Okpa, Romy Hudson, Kate Nicholl, Carolyn Irvine, Claire Sneddon, Hugh Steele, Fabiana Do Carmo, Kathryn Crawford and Iain Cross
- Sara Brown and Carol Wilson for their work with publicity and marketing, and for supporting the S6 pupils with this
- All the staff at JGHS for their huge support with the rehearsals
- The Senior Leadership Team at JGHS for their continuous support
- The huge amount of JGHS staff who have helped out backstage at the concert
- Gavin Gray, who gives up his own time on a weekly basis to teach primary chanter players and to build on the growing success of the pipe band
- Rebecca McKenzie in the English Department for rehearsing and organising the S1 readings for the concert
- Dave Keay and Alan Martin, sound engineers for the concert

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We're the S6 Pupil Voice

The Pupil Voice at James Gillespie's High School is a body of students led by 11 sixth year students who come together with one common aim; to make the school a better environment for everybody.

In 2012, Gillespie's changed their previous structure (with Head Boy and Head Girl) to a more open structure with more sixth years involved. This allowed for more to get done and fostered better communication between teachers, students and representatives.

So, here's how it works.

First off, sixth years are interviewed and chosen by the leadership team of the previous year. The new leadership team then has the responsibility to meet both with class representatives and with the deputy headteacher in charge of Pupil Voice, Mrs. Sally Westerman. With her advice and help, the leadership team discuss ideas and plans for future events or proposed changes to the way the school works. The leadership team then comes up with an action plan and takes all this to the class representatives who then work together to make things happen!

This year we have split the leaders into junior and senior representatives due to the fact that pupil voice meetings are split across Gillespie's two campuses.

Aside from meetings, the leadership team also spend a lot their own time preparing for events: advertising, planning and then running events on the day, often with the help from other sixth years and members of the Pupil Voice!

Like us on Facebook for updates!!

www.facebook.com/pupilvoicejghs

Get in touch! Email us at: pupilvoicejghs@gmail.com

So, what've the Pupil Voice and the Sixth Years been up to this year?

- We had successful (and very fun) St. Andrew's Day celebrations!
- Two of the sixth years, Miriam Seddon and Andrew Macdonald received prizes for the John Byrne award with Andrew winning the top prize!
- Many sixth years attended the Penicuik Model United Nations (MUN) conference where three of our own won prizes!
- We had a Festive Fair, raising money and getting everybody into the festive spirit!
- There was a Social for senior pupils organised by sixth years to fundraise for our upcoming South Africa trip!
- Many sixth years are part of the befriending scheme and Cool, Calm and Connected peereducating program to support the new first year students.
- Sixth years along with Ms Pearce organised the fantastic S1 Fancy Dress Disco
- Opportunities for students to voice their opinion for the names of the new school buildings
- Students were given the opportunity to help design the new school website.
- Senior students have also started up a club on Monday's at the school library afterschool to help S1s-S4s with homework!

So that's us, and we're not done yet! With so many other plans in the works we'll be busy until we must interview, choose, and then hand over to the next S6 Pupil Voice Leaders to continue to make Gillespie's the best place that it can be.



**JAMES GILLESPIE'S
HIGH SCHOOL**

PROGRAMME : *Part One*

Chamber Choir Opening (accompanied by clarsachs) Conductor **R. Millar**
'O Holy Night' - Adolphe Adam *arranged by Michael McGlynn*

Chamber Choir & Clarsachs Conductor **R. Millar**
'Jessye's Carol' by Donald Fraser *arranged by C. Petersen/R. Millar*

Clarsach Ensemble Conductor **M. Collin**
'My Love's Bonnie When She Smiles on Me' - traditional
'Flowers of Edinburgh' - traditional *both pieces arranged by Isobel Mieras*

Readings

'Christmas from around the World'
read by Bill Li, Freya Barbour and Thai Dunlevie S1 pupils

S2/3 Choir Conductor **R. Dearsley**
'Counting Stars' - Ryan Tedder *arranged by Mark Brymer*

Chanter Group/Pipe Band Pipe Major: **A. Gray**
Chanter Group
Castle Dangerous - James Haugh
Argylls Crossing the River Po - R.H.Brown

Pipe Band
Walter Douglas MBE - Donald MacLeod/
Earl of Mansfield - J. McEwan/Mairi Bhan - Traditional
Campbell's Farewell to Redcastle - Traditional
Sine Bhan - Traditional
Archie Beag - P/M D. Morrison

Junior & Senior Wind Bands Conductor **G. Hodge**
'Troika' - Prokofiev *arranged by Paul Lavender*

Community Carol Conductor **G. Hodge**
(accompanied by the junior and senior wind bands)
'The First Nowell' (*words overleaf*)

Wind Band Conductor **G. Hodge**
'Spirituals' *arranged by Hill and Elledge*

Interval 15 minutes

PROGRAMME : *Part Two*

Senior Choir & Percussion Ensemble Conductor **D. O'Brien**
'Adiemus' - Karl Jenkins *arranged by D. O'Brien*

'It's Beginning to Look a Lot Like Christmas' - Meredith Willson
arranged by Mark Hayes

Senior Guitar Ensemble Conductor **M. McGeary**

'Palladio' - Karl Jenkins

Guitar Orchestra Conductor **M. McGeary**

'Spanish Dance' - Traditional

Readings

A collection of festive poems
read by Charlie Sun and Sanah Mohammad, S2 pupils

P7/S1 Choir Conductor **R. Millar**
'Let It Go' - Kristen Anderson-Lopez/Robert Lopez *arranged by MacHuff*
'Sleigh Ride' - Leroy Anderson *arranged by Mark Brymer*

Training and Senior String Orchestra Conductor **R. Fraser**

'Pastorale' from 'Christmas Concerto' - Corelli

Community Carol Conductor **R. Fraser**
(accompanied by the training and senior string orchestras)

'Once in Royal David's City' (*words overleaf*)

Senior String Orchestra Conductor **R. Fraser**

'White Christmas' - Irving Berlin

Finale Conductor **D. O'Brien**

'Do You Hear the People Sing' - Schonberg *arranged by R. Fraser and D. O'Brien*

Compères for the evening
Molly Doran S6 and Kai Stuart S6



THE FIRST NOWELL

The First Nowell, the Angels did say
Was to certain poor shepherds in fields as they lay
In fields where they lay a-keeping their sheep
On a cold winter's night that was so deep.

Nowell, Nowell, Nowell, Nowell,
Born is the King of Israel!

They lookèd up and saw a star
Shining in the East beyond them far
And to the earth it gave great light
And so it continued both day and night.

Nowell, Nowell, Nowell, Nowell,
Born is the King of Israel!

And by the light of that same star
Three Wise men came from country far
To seek for a King was their intent
And to follow the star wherever it went.

Nowell, Nowell, Nowell, Nowell,
Born is the King of Israel!

Then let us all with one accord
Sing praises to our heavenly Lord
That hath made Heaven and earth nought
And with his blood mankind has bought.

Nowell, Nowell, Nowell, Nowell
Born is the King of Israel!

ONCE IN ROYAL DAVID'S CITY

Once in royal David's city
Stood a lowly cattle shed,
Where a mother laid her Baby
In a manger for His bed:
Mary was that mother mild,
Jesus Christ her little Child.

He came down to earth from heaven,
Who is God and Lord of all,
And His shelter was a stable,
And His cradle was a stall;
With the poor, and mean, and lowly,
Lived on earth our Saviour holy.

And our eyes at last shall see Him,
Through His own redeeming love;
For that Child so dear and gentle
Is our Lord in heaven above,
And He leads His children on
To the place where He is gone.

Not in that poor lowly stable,
With the oxen standing by,
We shall see Him; but in heaven,
Set at God's right hand on high;
Where like stars His children crowned?
All in white shall wait around.



CAST & CREW

MUSICIANS

S1	Abi Hossell Aliza Hamid Amelia Monk Ana Roden Anna Lauckner Aurora Branigan Bill Li Chloe Smith Ciara O'Neill Danny Corson-Sangster David Sydserff Ellis Giles-Book Ella Ferguson Ella Mealyou Eloisa Frame	Eva Spence Freya Malcolm Gabriel Toro Ginnie Ryrko Grace Halliday Holly Bruce Iona Mackinlay-Vich Iris Macleod Isabel Scott Ivy Schiefler Fancey Jade Heatley James Beeston James McMath Jamie Sloan Jenny Carruthers	Joanna Kolesnik Kate Lamb Katie Orr Kelvin Wong Kirsty Noble Laura Penman Leah Shepherd Liam McLaughlin Lily Li Lolly Deazley Lorna Brockbank Lucia Montgomery Lucy Warlow Lucy Jamieson Maisie Graham	Marika Ivic Maya Hall Elfick Michelle Tam Mila Radosavljevic Natalie Cameron Nathan Ezra-Jackson Noah Nicholson Razwan Khan Robert Wright Robert Lightfoot Rosie Seath Rosie Halligan Ruby Morgan Ruby Shanks Ryan Sime	Simran Ausla Sophie O'Riordan-Holzmann Sophia Kustatscher Tawana Maramba Tea Dhillon Thai Dunlevie William Petrie Lucy Potter Yixian Li Zaynab McGroarty
S2	Adam Paton Alex Hamilton Amaya Santoyo-Brown Amelea Kennedy-Darke Angus Pinsky Bea Lauckner Bea Makan Cameron Hook Catriona Chowings Ceitidh McLuskey Charlotte Rafferty Claire Percival Clare Shields Claireann Mochan Connor McCann	Corin Beveridge Daisy Phillip Eden Clarke Eilidh Cline Eilidh Clarkson Eimear Macleod Elena Santoyo-Brown Emilia Chambers Esther Leung Eva Sigurdardottir Finlay Lawson Florence Jackson Frederick Gentz Freya Barber Georgia Olson	Gigi Slater Hamish Cruickshank Hannah Lamond Hannah Marchbank Ian Macdonald Imaan Zuber Isla Barrault Katie Haley Katy Skirving Laura White Linus West Lori Stott Luke Simpson Macha Nic An Bheatha Maddie Rothero	Maeve K MacLulich Martha Cunniffe Mia Boffey Mieke Jeffery Mixie Billina Nina Ramsay Nualla Macgregor Octavie Touffut Olive Walker Olivia O'Neil Ollie Short Rachel Voong Rebecca Main Robert Davis Rosie MacDonald	Rowan Stewart Ruka Komura Sabah Carrell Sarah Price Sheena Macgregor Shiisa Booth Sophie Wood Stuart Mackay Thessaly Silkenat Tiam Ghamgosar Torin Storkey Yuan Fang
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Molly Doran S6
Kai Stuart S6

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