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Hello everyone

It seems incredible that it's the last term of 2009 already. In preparation for the end of this year and start of 2010, here are a few things to start thinking about:

On Saturday 14 November the prospectus for 2010 will be emailed to you, will be on the Gallery website (www.gallerymusic.org) and will be available as a hard copy on request.

Enrolment forms along with invoices for 2010 will be sent to you in the mail after that.

From 8.30am on Saturday 21 November you will be able to come to the Gallery office at Naenae College with the enrolment form and pay the 2010 fees. Payment can be made by cheque or cash.

Fees are structured according to the stage your child is at with their

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music. We are guided by the teachers who make the decision about the stage. There is an increase in fee as your child progresses through the stages.

As a general rule, all our hire instruments need to be returned on or before 12 December for maintenance. If you are keen to keep your instrument over the holidays please talk to your teacher about this before the end of term.

Gallery Music Centre is funded by the Ministry of Education for primary and intermediate aged children. We are unable to accept secondary students for instrument lessons without prior permission from the head of the music department of the college. We will not be able to hold a place for secondary school students in 2010 and they will not be able to commence classes until the permission slip has been completed and returned to the Gallery office.

The Orchestra and String Orchestra are combining on the last day of term for a fun concert. All are welcome to attend during the

morning of 12 December. Enjoy getting into the Christmas spirit!

Just another reminder about being absent. If possible please contact your child's teacher by phone preferably on Friday evening if your child is going to be absent. If you really can't do that then please let the Gallery Office know so they can pass on a message.
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Dates for the rest of Term 4

21 November, enrolment forms for 2010 can be returned to the office and fee payment commences.

12 December, last classes for 2009 and orchestral concert

Dates for 2010

30 January, another enrolment opportunity and hire of instruments day

13 February first day of classes for Term 1 of 2010

Gallery Music is a joint venture between the Ministry of Education, generously supported by Naenae College and Gallery Music Inc Society.