

SUZUKI PIANO PLAY-A-THON

SUNDAY 6 AUGUST 2017



Dear Piano Teachers,

This year's play-a-thon will be held on Sunday 6 August. Suzuki Music will make a donation of 50% of the registration fee per student to the charity **CanTeen** on behalf of our piano students. Please give this event your full support and encourage all students to be involved in this very worthwhile project. All students who are participating in this event (at a public venue or in a home studio) must register for a fee of \$25 per student, to a maximum of \$50 per family.

If you are entering your students for a public venue you must be available to assist or provide a proxy who is able to assist in your place. Teachers entering more students will be expected to assist at more than one session. At most venues the play-a-thon will be run as a concert and students will watch the concert when they are not performing. It is expected that students stay for the entire hour that they are allocated to.

What is CanTeen?

CanTeen helps young people cope with cancer in their family. Through CanTeen, they learn to explore and deal with their feelings about cancer, connect with other young people in the same boat and if they've been diagnosed themselves, we also provide specialist, youth-specific treatment teams.

By feeling understood and supported, young people develop resilience and can rebuild the foundations that crumbled beneath them when cancer turned their life upside down. That's how CanTeen is the difference.

CanTeen works by having young people at the centre of everything they do. They were set up by a group of young cancer patients in 1985 and still have young people affected by cancer guiding the organisation at every level. Combined with leading edge research into the emotional and social impacts of cancer, it ensures that they truly understand how cancer is different in a young person's world.

Piano students are invited to register to play pieces at CONCERT STANDARD at one of three public venues including:

Westfield Doncaster (12 – 1, 1 – 2, 2 – 3, 3 – 4)

Malvern Central (10.30 – 11.30, 11.30 – 12.30, 12.30 – 1.30, 1.30 – 2.30, 2.30 – 3.30)

Penleigh & Essendon Grammar School – Woollacott Hall, Essendon (1.30 – 2.30, 2.30 – 3.30)

Time limits per student at Westfield Doncaster, Malvern Central and Monash Gallery

Playing repertoire in Books 1 to 2: Less than 3 minutes per student

Books 2 to 4: Less than 5 minutes per student

Book 4+: Less than 8 minutes per student

Time limits per student at Penleigh & Essendon GS

Books 1 – 3: Less than 3 minutes per student

Books 4+: 2 pieces total (regardless of duration) per student

At some venues, students will be allocated to a concert program order and at other they will be allocated a number on arrival. Students need to bring with them a written list of the pieces they wish to play on the day. It is important that everyone has a chance to participate and that **the performances are all at concert standard.**

Funds will be raised through registration fees (\$25 per student) as well as any students choosing to obtain additional sponsorships. Funds raised by sponsorship must be sent to the Suzuki Music office via Suzuki Piano teachers by 15 August as we are required by law to present the donation to CanTeen by 18 August.

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50% of Proceeds of this Event will be donated to CanTeen by Suzuki Music following the receipt of income from this event.

APPLICATIONS CLOSE

Friday 23 June 2017

PLEASE NOTE:

1. Please refer to the time limits on the teacher information page and ensure your students are aware that, depending on enrolments, they may not be able to perform all their pieces.
2. All performances must be at concert standard and from memory at the time of registration.
3. Suzuki Concert Dress code applies.
4. All public venue performers must be 2017 financial members of Suzuki Music
5. For each student please indicate a first and second preference time (excluding PEGS)

VENUES:

1. WESTFIELD DONCASTER
619 Doncaster Road, Doncaster
Sessions: 12:00, 1:00, 2:00 or 3:00

2. MALVERN CENTRAL
110 – 122 Wattle Tree Road, Malvern
Exact location within centre to be advised to teachers.
Sessions: 10:30, 11:30, 12:30, 1:30 or 2:30

3. PENLEIGH & ESSENDON GRAMMAR SCHOOL
Woollacott Hall, 59 Raleigh Street, Essendon
Sessions: 1:30 or 2:30

4. Your home studio

Please note that only 2017 financial members of Suzuki Music are eligible to participate at the Shopping Centres or at Penleigh and Essendon GS due to Public Liability Insurance requirements.

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Suzuki Piano Play-a-thon Student Registration Form

Sunday 6 August 2017



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Teacher _____ Email _____

TEACHER ASSISTANCE SIGN UP

Please tick one or two time periods in which you have students participating and are available to assist. Assistance may include foot stooling, chair adjustments, organising students and talking to interested members of the public. Convenors will discuss with you what tasks you would be happy to assist with. **All piano teachers entering students at public venues are expected to assist at this event and the assistance times are below. If you are not available to assist please indicate the name of a parent proxy who can assist on your behalf.** Please note that the assistance times are longer than the performer blocks so there is some overlap of teachers during change overs of session times.

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| Westfield Doncaster | <input type="checkbox"/> 11:45 – 1:00 | <input type="checkbox"/> 12:45 – 2:00 | <input type="checkbox"/> 1:45 – 3:00 | <input type="checkbox"/> 2:45 – 4:00 | |
| Malvern Central | <input type="checkbox"/> 10:15 – 11:30 | <input type="checkbox"/> 11:15 – 12:30 | <input type="checkbox"/> 12:15 – 1:30 | <input type="checkbox"/> 1:15 – 2:30 | <input type="checkbox"/> 2:15 – 3:30 |
| Penleigh & Essendon GS | <input type="checkbox"/> 1:15 – 2:30 | <input type="checkbox"/> 2:30 – 3:45 | | | |

PAYMENT DETAILS

Number of one child families registered on form _____ @ \$25 per family = _____

Number of two+ child families registered on form _____ @ \$50 per family = _____

Late enrolments incur an additional \$5 fee per student to a total of \$25 per studio = _____

CHEQUE or MONEY ORDER

[Payable to Suzuki Music]

MASTERCARD*

VISA*

AMEX**

[* Mastercard or Visa - **No surcharge if paid by teacher**, 2% surcharge if paid by family; **3% surcharge applies to all AMEX payments including teacher]

Card Number _____ / _____ / _____ / _____

Expiry Date ____ / ____

Cardholder's Name _____

Cardholder's Signature _____

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Sponsorship Form

PERFORMERS MAY WISH TO OBTAIN SPONSORSHIP FOR THEIR PLAYING IN ADDITION TO THEIR REGISTRATION FEE.

Student's name: _____ Memb No _____

Parent Name: _____

Teacher's name: _____

SPONSORSHIP DETAILS

| Sponsor's Name | Address | \$ Pledged | \$ rec'd |
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All children must be accompanied by an adult if seeking donations in the neighbourhood.
Sponsors could sponsor either per piece, by time spent performing or a flat amount.

50% of the registration and sponsorship from this event will be donated by Suzuki Music to CanTeen.

PLEASE MAKE ALL CHEQUES PAYABLE TO SUZUKI MUSIC – SUZUKI MUSIC WILL MAKE ONE PAYMENT TO CanTeen ON BEHALF OF PARTICIPATING PIANO STUDENTS AND TEACHERS.

FAMILIES: Please return this form with money collected to your teacher by 11 August 2017.

Teachers must submit any additional monies raised (ie above the initial registration fee) to the Suzuki Music office by 15 August 2017 with these forms to enable Suzuki Music to make a donation to CanTeen within 14 days of the event (ie by Friday 18 August) as required by law.