Dear Parents

We are now inviting applications for Junior Band 2015.

Your child does not need any musical experience to join Junior Band in 2015, however to apply they must:

- be in Year 3 or 4 at PPS in 2015;
- return the attached form by Monday 10th November; and
- attend an audition on Thursday 20 November from 7.45am.

You and your child are invited to an open rehearsal of our Performance Ensemble on Thursday, 6 November at 8.00 am. At this rehearsal our conductor Beck Morris will introduce herself and the instruments.

Please read the attached information package. If you have any further questions about the band program, please contact me (email pymbleband@gmail.com).

The audition on 20 Nov is intended to match children to instruments, not to turn children away. We ask that children only attend (no parents or siblings). Please drop them at the hall between 7.40 and 8.00am on the day (we will then supervise them through until the 8.30 bell). If there is good reason why your child cannot attend, note this on the application form. As far as possible we aim to include every child in the band who demonstrates commitment by turning up, and whose parents are willing to commit to the band program.

Please return the application form to the band box in the office by 10 November. We look forward to seeing your child in band.

Sally Seymour
Band Convener
Band Application Form 2015

Please read the accompanying PPS Band Information before completing.

Child’s name .............................................................................., class ........................................

Parent Name................................................................................

Parent Signature ........................................................................

Telephone home: ........................................ Mobile:.................................

Email address ........................................................................

The band program offers the following instruments:
Flute ............................................................... Trumpet .............................................................. Keyboard
Clarinet .......................................................... French Horn .................................................. Bass Guitar
Bass Clarinet .................................................. Baritone Horn ............................................... Glockenspiel
Alto Saxophone ............................................... Trombone .................................................. Percussion incl drums
Tenor Saxophone ................................................ Tuba/euphonium

☐ Please tick if you have no strong preference and would play any instrument.

OR

If you would like to play a particular instrument (or avoid a particular instrument!) please tell us what and why. If you own the instrument that you would like to play, or have experience on an instrument which you would like us to take into account, please tell us. You can list up to 3 preferences:

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☐ Please tick if you are willing to be considered for tuba/euphonium. This is a large instrument which requires parent help to transport. In return, we charge no hire fees (save $250/year).

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