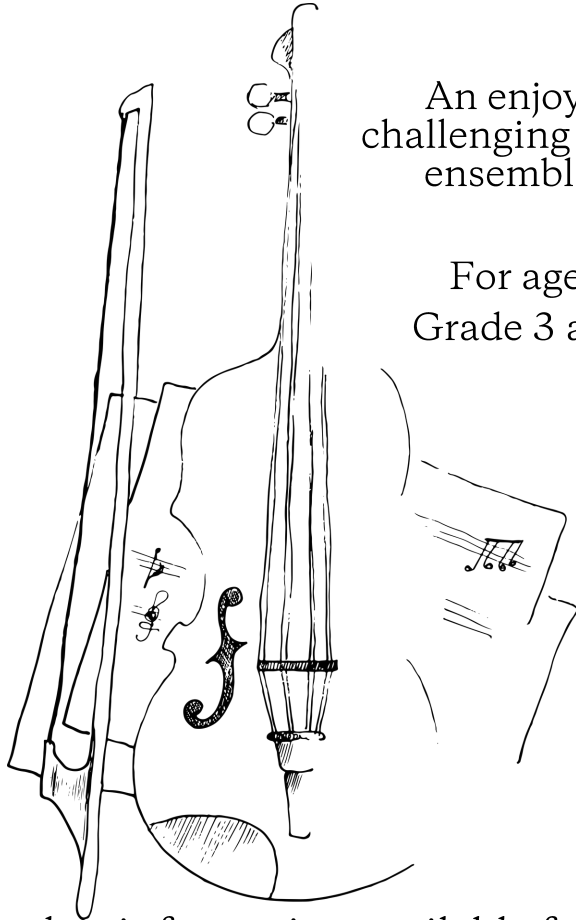


# St Paul's School String Afternoon

Saturday 26 October 2024

1:30pm - 5:30pm



An enjoyable and  
challenging afternoon of  
ensemble playing

For ages 8 - 15  
Grade 3 and above

Further information available from  
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St Paul's School, Lonsdale Road, Barnes, London, SW13

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St Paul's School is running a String Afternoon on Saturday 26 October 2024 for violinists, violists, cellists and double bass players aged 8 to 15 whose standard is Grade 3 or above. During the afternoon participants will be split into two medium-sized ensembles according to ability, before later coming together to rehearse a large ensemble piece. The afternoon will end with a short concert, which all are welcome to attend.

## Schedule

<b>1.30pm</b>	<b>Registration</b>
<b>1.45pm</b>	<b>Rehearsal - medium-sized ensembles</b>
<b>2.30pm</b>	<b>Break</b>
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<b>3.30pm</b>	<b>Break</b>
<b>3.45pm</b>	<b>Rehearsal - large ensemble</b>
<b>4.30pm</b>	<b>Refreshments in Wathen Hall Foyer</b>
<b>5.00pm</b>	<b>Informal Concert in Wathen Hall</b>
<b>5.30pm</b>	<b>Finish</b>

The afternoon aims to be hard-working but fun for all those involved. Music will be sent out in advance to give players an opportunity to look at and practise parts.

The cost will be £40 per participant.

If any player needs financial assistance with the cost of the afternoon, please get in touch and we will do our best to help.

Parents, teachers and friends are welcome to join us for refreshments from 4.30pm, followed by a short performance in the Wathen Hall.

To apply, please return the booking form by email and confirm that an online banking payment for £40 has been made.

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**Tom Evans** has been Assistant Director of Music at St Paul's School in London since September 2009. A violinist, taught by Carol Slater and Christopher Hiron, he has performed concertos with a number of amateur orchestras and he leads Fulham Symphony Orchestra. He is also a composer, having graduated with a music degree from St John's College, Cambridge, and having gained a PhD in composition from King's College London where he was supervised by Silvana Milstein. Before teaching at St Paul's, Tom taught undergraduate courses in music analysis and twentieth-century music at Royal Holloway and King's College London.

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Violinist **Marsha Ford** made her first solo recital debut in 2011 in Krakow, Poland. She has since performed in Germany, France, Italy, Spain and London and has open invitations to perform in Boston, USA and Norway. Marsha has just completed her Artist Diploma Course at the Royal College of Music with Professor Radu Blidar. At the age of just 12 Marsha was awarded The Castiel Winner Trophy and bursary presented to the most

promising stringed instrumentalist under 18 at the Gibraltar Festival for Young Musicians. As well as her significant performance experience, Marsha also has a love for teaching and she spent her gap year shadowing her former teacher Natalia Boyarsky at the Yehudi Menuhin School. Marsha is a Visiting Music Teacher at St Paul's Juniors and she also teaches a number of private students across London.

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# STRING AFTERNOON APPLICATION FORM

## SATURDAY 26 OCTOBER 2024

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

SCHOOL \_\_\_\_\_

AGE \_\_\_\_\_ INSTRUMENT \_\_\_\_\_

INSTRUMENT TEACHER \_\_\_\_\_

STANDARD (*approximate grade*) \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS (*home*) \_\_\_\_\_

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PHONE (*incl. STD code*) \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

**Please pay £40 online:**

Bank name: NatWest

Sort code: 60-01-39

Account: 35636440

Name: St Paul's School

Ref: 2311 + NAME

**Completed applications should be returned by email to  
te@stpaulsschool.org.uk by  
Monday 7 October 2024**

**Would you like to hear about future  
events through our mailing list?**

Yes

No