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## Voices Raised for the Community

Nailsea School regards itself as a community school, and Christmas is the perfect time to share the talents of our students. This December the music department will be taking to the streets to bring the Christmas spirit to the Nailsea Community.

The Nailsea School Music Department will be hosting a Carol Service at Holy Trinity Church on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> December at 6.30pm. There will be performances by the school's Orchestra who will be playing John Rutter's "Shepherd's Pipe Carol" amongst other pieces in their repertoire. The music department has built a fantastic reputation for itself having recently taken a musical tour of Paris, where they performed at Disneyland.

*"It will be a great celebration of Christmas and community, full of festive cheer and Nailsea School is delighted to be back at the church again this year. The school's choir will perform a number of traditional songs and well-known carols sung by the group and soloists will also take the stage. The church will be serving coffee and mince pies and musically there will be something for everyone to enjoy".*

Said Lynda Perkins, Head of the Music Department.

The ever popular Nailsea School Barbershop Choir will also be performing, this group of students regularly give up their lunchtimes to rehearse their up-beat versions of classic originals. Everyone is welcome to attend the service which is a lovely way to get into the Christmas spirit. Entry is free, and there will be a collection for charity.

The Music Department will also be performing at this year's Christmas Fair on Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December. They will be playing alongside other musicians from the Nailsea community outside of Waitrose, ably supported by students Jonathan Dunn and Matthew Jones who have volunteered to manage the PA system.

Listen out too for Nailsea Sixth Form students who are getting in on the act of spreading Christmas joy as they sing to crowds in Nailsea Town centre on the 16<sup>th</sup> December. It's a long standing tradition that Nailsea Sixth Form students take to the streets on the last day of term to entertain Christmas shoppers with their enthusiasm.

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