

NDS Committee Meeting

3rd November 2009

- **DISTRIBUTION OF FLYERS:** New flyers have arrived – look great, need to get them out now. Discuss with orchestra at first rehearsal.
 - Libraries, Soundpad & Fair fayre, Christ Church, Braunton (**Neil**),
 - Tiverton TI (**KPM**),
 - Barny TI, George, Griffins Yard, Library (**Matt**),
 - St. Mary's & TI (**Taylor's**),
 - Check Landmark are displaying them and do TI + any Ilfracombe church pip/jims etc. (**Emma Nottage**),
 - Plough (**elma?**),
 - Broomhill, Bratton (**EMK**).
 - West Buckland & East Buckland church and notice boards (**CHB**)
- **MAGAZINE ADVERT:** Hugh and Alex have got a ½ page spread in the Ilfracombe 'FOCUS' for November. EMK has got an article in the Bratton Fleming news. No other responses from the orchestra - disappointing
- **BOOKING:** Brass fixed apart from tuba, 4 cellos only 1 db ask later, 1st violin a problem CHB to contact play day person, violas 4, ww fixed trouble booking 1st ob will need to ship in
- **AGM:** 5-8 Sunday 22nd November rehearsal followed by AGM in downward room (8-9) KPM has organised nibbles, donations will be needed to cover costs. EMK to draw up agenda and distribute to orchestra via email.
 - Elections
 - Rehearsal schedules – helpful?, brass not required for every rehearsal – good?
 - New players
 - Extra sectional for strings?
 - NDS social, sense of community in the orchestra, yearly letter (EMK)
 - Play Day feedback (CHB & KPM)
 - 2MF Mahler 8 – CANCELLED
 - Librarian – need a new one
 - New venue for rehearsals (CHB)
- **SOCIAL EVENT:** KPM has phoned Fortescue – a drink in the bar after the concert is fine. No separate room available as it is Xmas season.
- **WEBSITE:** Needs completing – CHB to sort
- **PUBLICITY:** Banners have arrived – looks good nice and big, Neil to contact church about putting it up over the gates
- **NEXT MEETING:** **Tuesday 12 January 2009**
 - Matters arising from the AGM
 - Concert appraisal
 - Christmas concert 2010/11 – Landmark (EMK to email Colin May?)
 - Photos, selling to orchestra
 - Bideford concert