



Let's Play The Recorder!!

We are starting up a Recorder Consort for Year 2 students at Cammeray!

The Recorder is a passion of mine. I completed my Bachelor of Music at Sydney University, and actually majored in Recorder. It is a beautiful and versatile instrument with its own repertoire and not (contrary to popular opinion!) a tuneless whistle!

The Recorder is valuable instrument on which to introduce children to the world of music. As a viable musical educational tool, we are able to teach the fundamentals of music like breathing, articulation and fingering with more ease than other instruments. It is also proven that children that begin their musical life on the Recorder are more prepared to move on to other instruments later down the track. Finally, it is accessible, inexpensive, and a real instrument in it's own right.

We are planning on teaching a group at the school on **Thursday morning from 830am**. The group will run for 30-40 minutes.

The cost for each lesson will be \$10, with all music and folders being provided.

Each student will need to purchase their own Recorder. I can provide a list of stores at which to buy your instrument.

If you would like join the Recorder Group, please email me anytime on joandulf@optusnet.com.au, or call me on 0410 466 173. I would love to get an expression of interest this week (week 3) and then commence lessons in Week 4 (Thursday 18 February).

Thanks - I am looking forward to it!!
Jo Howlett (Ohman)