PULLING OUT THE STOPS

APPLICATION FORM

First Name:Surname:
Age on 27 March 1998:
Home address:
Postcode:
Telephone No:
School:
School Address:
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Please tick the box for the preferred address at which we should write to you.
Now tick all of the following boxes which apply to you:
I am a complete beginner
I have had a few organ lessons already
(if so, for how long?)
I have tried the organ for myself once or twice
I have piano lessons at present
I have passed an Associated Board piano exam
(state highest grade passed so far)
I am a chorister
(give the name of your choir)
Piano teacher's name:
Address:
Organ teacher's name (if applicable):
Address:

Send form by 12 January 1998 to:

Pulling out the Stops
The Old Crown, Glapthorn, Oundle PE8 5BJ
telephone/fax: 01832 272026

Send no money with your application. We will let you know by 2 February if we can offer you a place Perhaps you enjoyed the recent Channel 4 documentary series 'Howard Goodall's Organ Works' on Channel 4, or heard Wayne Marshall airing the full resources of the Royal Albert Hall organ at the Last Night of the Proms. Ever wondered how it would feel to get your hands (and feet) on some awesome console? Well, we can help to get you started.

Last February our first Pulling Out the Stops course was a great success. It was aimed at those who had just begun organ lessons, or perhaps who played the piano but had a yen to try the organ. Nearly 30 young students aged 10 - 14 attended.

Next March there will be places for 35 to try out their skills on the several excellent organs in Oundle. There will also be an 'organ crawl' to Cambridge.

You need only to play the piano to grade 4 standard (or above). The tutors are brilliant and encouraging. Waste no time in completing the form. We look forward to seeing you at Oundle.

Some comments from students on the February 1997 weekend:

".. it was so much fun, I made good friends and got some great advice on playing my pieces." Stephen Wood

"The tutors were brilliant and I loved every moment." Emma Watkins

"I liked the accommodation and thought the food was very good." James Goldsbrough



The Tutors

Catherine Ennis

is Organist and Director of Music at St Lawrence Jewry in the City, and a former Professor at the Royal Academy of Music. She has a flourishing recital and recording career, and regularly broadcasts on BBC Radio 3.



David Saint

is Organist of St Chad's Cathedral in Birmingham, and Head of Organ Studies at Birmingham Conservatoire. He is well known for his lively, encouraging and inspiring style.



Ann Elise Smoot

is Director of Music at St. Luke's Church, Chelsea, and Director of the Junior Organ Conservatoire of London. Last summer she was a prizewinner at the St Albans Competition.



David Goode

who was recently Organ Scholar at King's College, Cambridge, won the top prize at this year's St Albans International Organ Competition. Students will not only benefit from his helpful teaching, but will also hear him play a popular recital programme on the organ at King's.



Simon Williams

is Education and Development Officer at the Royal College of Organists, and through his teaching has helped many young organists on their way to musical success. As Assistant Organist at London's St George's, Hanover Square, he has often played for live BBC Radio 3 broadcasts of choral evensong.



James Parsons

is Director of Oundle International Festival with its world famous summer school for young organists; he is also a well known organ recitalist here and abroad.

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presents

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an exciting programme of popular organ music given by

David Goode

on the organ of King's College, Cambridge Saturday 28 March 1998 at 6pm Tickets £5 to non-course members (at the door or phone 01832 272026)