

Happy New Year! Best wishes to you all from the board members and staff of NZMEB for the coming year. Again, thank you all for your cooperation and support during last year's examination sessions.

## **Exam Details**

Please note that when entrants enter the examination room they must hand copies of all list pieces being performed (study list pieces optional) to the examiner, together with their examination slip.



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### Resources

We are really appreciative of one of our parents, who has discovered a great app, and has put all our theory terms online in a game format! If you wish to give it a go, try:

#### http://quizlet.com/join/hZJ9SCpw2

You will also find a link on the resources page of the NZMEB website. We are looking forward to 100% correct terms in our theory exams from now on! If any of you or your parents have any similar ideas, that help your students learn, please let us know as we love to share!

# Musicianship

The keys of the brass and woodwind musicianship tests are being realigned to fit in with the scale keys at each grade. These changes will shortly be available on the website.

#### NZMEB Timetable 2015

#### Saturday 28th March:

Closing date for First Session Theory exams

#### Saturday 9th May:

First Session Theory exams

#### Saturday 25th April:

Closing date for First Session Practical exams

#### 1st - 31st August:

First Session Practical exams

#### Saturday 15th August:

Closing date for Theory exams

#### Saturday 12th September:

Closing date for Second Session Practical exams

#### Saturday 31st October:

Second Session Theory exams

#### 1st - 18th December:

Second Session Practical exams

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#### **School Terms 2015**

Term 1 Monday 2nd Feb - Thursday 2nd April

Term 2 Monday 20th April - Friday 3rd July

Term 3 Monday 20th July - Friday 25th Sept

Term 4 Monday 12th Oct - Friday 18th Dec

NZMEB is recognised as a course owner by the NZQA

# **Beverley Holder**

Beverley has been a supportive part of the NZMEB team since 2008 and has worked hard to ensure that our growing organisation continues to function efficiently, and has recently been retitled 'Financial Controller'. She is a chartered accountant who has worked in a variety of roles, particularly with not-for-profit organisations, of which NZMEB is one. She has done a wonderful job with our reporting obligations to the charities commission in light of recent changes. She has been very involved with music both personally and with her children. Outside of that she is heavily involved with the Guiding and Rangers movements. Thank you Beverley.

# **NZMEB Practical Examinations Fees for 2015**

Pre-Preliminary Test	\$89.00
Preliminary Test	\$99.00
Grade One	\$115.00
Grade Two	\$130.00
Grade Three	\$140.00
Grade Four	\$160.00
Assmt Levels 1 and 2	\$175.00
Grade Five	\$175.00
Grade Six	\$205.00
Assmt Levels 3 to 6	\$255.00
Grade Seven	\$235.00
Grade Eight	\$255.00
Performance Certificate	\$295.00
Diploma AMusNZ	\$625.00
Diploma LMusNZ	\$725.00

## **Theory Examinations**

Grade One	\$85.00
Grade Two	\$95.00
Grade Three	\$105.00
Grade Four	\$125.00
Grade Five	\$135.00
Grade Six	\$145.00

Yours sincerely, Lynne Sperring

# **Chamber Music Examinations** (fees per entrant)

Level One	\$50.00
Level Two	\$60.00
Level Three	\$70.00
Level Four	\$80.00

#### Non-graded assessment

The Board offers two assessment levels to allow students who do not wish to take an examination to have their work evaluated.

Levels One and Two - 40 mins	\$175.00
Levels Three and above - 60 mins	\$255.00

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