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JOY Summer Course & Concert

This year's Summer Course is at **Ellesmere College, Shropshire**. We've booked the College from **Sunday 26th to Thursday 30th July**. We've managed to hold the price at only £199. This includes, accommodation, all food, music tuition, insurance and lots of sporting activities.

The Course will be followed by our Summer Concert **on Friday 31st July** at **7.30pm** at St.Warburge's Church in Preston. This is a new venue for us, but is well known to our Musical Director. It is considerably larger than the Southport Arts Theatre, so we plan to extend invitations to other groups in the area. Tickets will be £6 each and will be on sale after Half Term.

Please see Helen's letter over.

2009 Term Dates

Summer Term:	22.04	-	20.05
	3.06	-	15.07
Autumn Term:	16.09	-	21.10
	4.11	-	16.12
Spring Term:	6.01	-	10.02
	24.02	-	31.03

Congratulations!

Some of our members have been hard at work scoring significant achievements:

Robert McGowan	Grade 2 Trombone
Michelle Bowes	Grade 7 Piano
Henry Gibson	Grade 7 Violin with Merit

JOY Committee

Administration of JOY is managed by an Executive Committee elected each year at the Annual General Meeting. If you have any concerns about the way JOY is run, please come along and talk to us at the next Committee Meeting on **Wednesday 29th April** at Ormskirk School:

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