



February 2026

Music by Candlelight Evening

To all students performing at the Music by Candlelight

We're looking forward to your first performance of the New Year and this letter provides all the information you need ahead of the day.

Time & date: 7.00pm on Friday 27th February 2026

Venue: St Mary's Parish Church, Grendon, NN7 1JE

Ticket information: Tickets are priced at £10 (adults) and £6 (children/students) and can be purchased by emailing the church warden at grendonchurchwardens@gmail.com with payments to be made via <https://pay.sumup.com/b2c/QK2F7BFG>

Parents can purchase a premium ticket at £20, which also includes a cheese & wine supper

If you have any difficulties purchasing tickets please email Tommy, our Events Co-Ordinator at tcundell@nmpat.co.uk

Arrival: Please arrive 10 minutes prior to the start of your rehearsal, detailed below, via main church entrance. Changing facilities are limited so we recommend that you arrive in your concert dress. NMPAT staff will be on hand to show you into the school and where you can leave your things.

Running order – there is a summary for each group on page 2 of this letter

4.00 NMPAT staff arrival at St Mary's to set up
4.30 Tirana rehearsal
4.50 Libertango rehearsal
5.10 Iris rehearsal
5.30 Cosmos rehearsal
5.50 Rochelle rehearsal
6.10 Aurelia rehearsal
6.30 Doors open to audience
7.00 Concert begins
7.50 estimated interval
9.00 estimated end time

During the concert: All students will be able to sit and watch the other groups performing. Students will be supervised by NMPAT staff for the duration of their time on site.

When not rehearsing or performing: we recommend you bring a packed tea / snack due to limited food facilities. Students should stay on site between their rehearsal and the concert. All students will be supervised by staff for the duration of their time at St Mary's.

Group	Arrival	Rehearsal	Concert dress
Tirana Quartet	4.20pm	4.30pm	All black with clean black shoes. Skirts / dresses must be at least knee length
Libertango Quartet	4.40pm	4.50pm	All black with clean black shoes. Skirts / dresses must be at least knee length
Iris Quartet	5.00pm	5.10pm	Black trousers or skirt with black socks or tights, a plain coloured shirt or blouse and clean black shoes
Cosmos Quartet	5.20pm	5.30pm	All black with clean black shoes. Skirts / dresses must be at least knee length
Rochelle Quartet	5.40pm	5.50pm	All black with clean black shoes. Skirts / dresses must be at least knee length
Aurelia Quartet	6.00pm	6.10pm	All black with clean black shoes. Skirts / dresses must be at least knee length

Contact: NMPAT staff can be reached on the day using the event phone number: 01604 816311

Details of all events can be found on our online events calendar: www.nmpat.co.uk/events

We are looking forward to performing with you soon.

NMPAT Directors