

**48<sup>th</sup> GENERAL MEETING SHERBORNE 11– 14 April 2024**

**NEWSLETTER 4**

**SHERBORNE 7<sup>th</sup> APRIL 2024**

**“Well-being through Nature and Music”**

We are ready for you! All arrangements for your visit are almost complete. We look forward to welcoming you in a few days time and hope the sun shines!

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A list of all the participants, details of the transport arrangements from Bristol Airport to Sherborne, the accommodation arrangements and the overall programme are attached

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**Just a few reminders**

**Passports are essential** to gain entry to the U.K.

**PRESENTATIONS**

We hope you have sent your presentation to the President, Annigje. If you have not done so please bring it to Sherborne on a memory stick.

**MUSICIANS**

Will those youth delegate musicians who are not bringing their own instruments and would like the use of one here please advise us quickly so that it can be arranged.

Rachel will include any other musicians, who would like to bring their instruments or borrow one here, in the community orchestra

**TRANSPORT**

Transport will be provided for those delegates arriving at Bristol Airport or Sherborne Railway station.

**All participants are requested to register their attendance at the Digby Hall, Hound Street, on Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> April from 3 pm onwards.**

**ACCOMMODATION**

Will those staying in boarding houses please note that **you are required to bring your own towels.**

Youth delegates and Education delegates will stay at Aldhelmsted East, a Sherborne Girls School boarding house, for bed and breakfast, where the Youth meeting will also be held.

Rooms are either single or twin.

Education delegates will be on a separate floor in single rooms.

General Meeting delegates and non-delegates will stay either:

- at Harper House, a newly modernised Sherborne School boarding house close to the Digby Hall where the General Meeting and Education Meeting will be held.
- with residents in the town and friends of Douzelage who have offered homestay accommodation in their family home,
- at a limited number of hotels in the town centre.

### **CATERING**

All lunches and dinners, and breakfast for those staying in Sherborne School, will be provided by the Sherborne School Catering department in their Dining Hall.

### **EXCURSIONS**

All excursions will depart from the Dining Hall immediately after lunch at 2 pm. Sturdy footwear, rainproof clothing, drinks and snacks for the afternoon are advisable.

A short concert will be held in the Cheap Street Church at 6pm on Friday 12<sup>th</sup> April. Music scholars and our prestigious Chamber Choir have an exciting programme for you.

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**See you soon!**

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GM Programme

Accommodation List

Delegates List

Transport List