

'Getting Going' Workshop 23-25 January 2018

When and Where? 9am to 12noon each day at the Band Rooms, Nelson Park

What will you get from the workshop?

- 1. Tutoring from experienced pipers and drummers.
- 2. Opportunities for more intensive teaching and practice.
- 3. An opportunity to mix and mingle with other pipers and drummers at a similar level.
- 4. For the group that is competing at the NZ National Pipe Band Championships in Rotorua in March, an opportunity to practice together.

Tutors:

In addition to our own senior members, we are fortunate to have the services of two excellent tutors, Cameron Budge and Neil Marriott for this workshop.

Programme:

Once again we will be aiming to provide all our learners, whether just starting or more advanced, with individual and group sessions. There will be opportunities to learn new tunes and revise old ones, group and individual sessions, instrument maintenance and of course playing together as a band.

What tunes are we working on?

The basic repertoire including those learnt at previous workshops, plus the Napier Schools Band will work on their contest bracket: *PM J K Cairns, My Land, Colin's Cattle* (3/4's)

New Tunes

The group will again learn new tunes the music for which will be made available before the workshop and loaded on the Band's website.

The Workshop Format

Feedback from our previous workshops shows that people have enjoyed the opportunity to work with our tutors who are able to shared different things from their experience. The three morning format ensures the youngsters don't get overloaded but does let us concentrate on the essentials of pipe banding.

New members?

We are looking for new members especially to learn the bass drum and for the Drum Major's role in the Napier Pipe Band. Please get anyone who is interested to contact us.

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Enrolment Form

So that we can plan the programme to give everyone appropriate tuition

please return this form to

Kerry Marshall pipes@napierpipeband.nz

By Wednesday 17 Jan

The fee is \$20 for Band members and \$30 for non-members. Electronic payment can be made to the Band's ANZ account

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Enter Workshop in the reference field and your name in the details field.

Your Name			
Your contact details - phone number and email			
How old are you?			
Instrument?	Pipes	Snare Drum	Bass/Tenor Drum
What would you most like to get out of the workshop?			
Pipers - please list the three most difficult tunes you play.			