



# *Take Note*

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## Welcome from the Chair

It's that festive time again! I am delighted to be sharing our latest Christmas edition of **TakeNote**. It's also the first newsletter under the penmanship of our new editor, Brian Hodgson. Thank you, Brian!



After the confines of Covid, I do hope you will all be able to spend time together with family and friends this Christmas. I am sure that you, like me, are looking forward to 2023 and all the music it has to offer, though it will be hard to top 2022.

Thank you to everyone who came to the recent AGM. There was a lot of discussion, and from my point of view a lot of progress made with some good feedback and ideas... though putting Bernie in charge of the bar might have been an error, as he had fallen off by the end of the evening.

Thanks also to those of you who have now volunteered to take on new roles or to offer a bit of help. I know how busy everyone is, but "*many hands make light work*" as they say. I am delighted to

welcome Wayne Landen onto the committee. We do still need more help though, including the secretary role.

I must mention our last concert - perhaps one of the very best we have produced for some years: a large and enthusiastic audience, fantastic and fun programme, amazing and charismatic violinist, high standard of playing and great venue for the music.... I can't recall a concert with 3 unaccompanied encores from the soloist and it was all so much appreciated.

I am now looking forward now to the family concert in January, and the rest of our music in the year ahead.

I do hope you have a peaceful/relaxing/exciting/quiet/noisy break (delete as appropriate).

See you in 2023!