

North Queensland Recorder Society Newsletter April 2010

Next Playday

The April play day is on April 18th at the Heritage Tearooms on Hervey Range. The leader is Pam Cocks and the theme is Australian bush songs. If you have not been to the tearooms before and would like to know more about them, go to <http://www.heritagetearooms.com.au/>.

Please bring recorders and music stands.

The Tearooms will provide us with an afternoon tea including scones, cream and jam for \$10 a head. You can still attend the session if you are not having the tea but I hope a reasonable number of people will take up this option, because the Tearooms are not charging us for the use of the venue. If you will be attending and want to have afternoon tea, could you let me know, please, so that we can provide approximate numbers. It will be quite possible to add yourself to this list on the day.

2010 Program of Student Workshops

Atherton Tablelands

- Kuranda and Atherton Schools Workshops with Malcolm Tattersall, 19th and 20th April.
- Atherton Schools Workshop with Rodney Waterman, Thursday, 20th May.

Ingham

- Beginners Workshop (all ages) with Valerie Huston, Saturday, 22 May, Hotel Noorla

Townsville

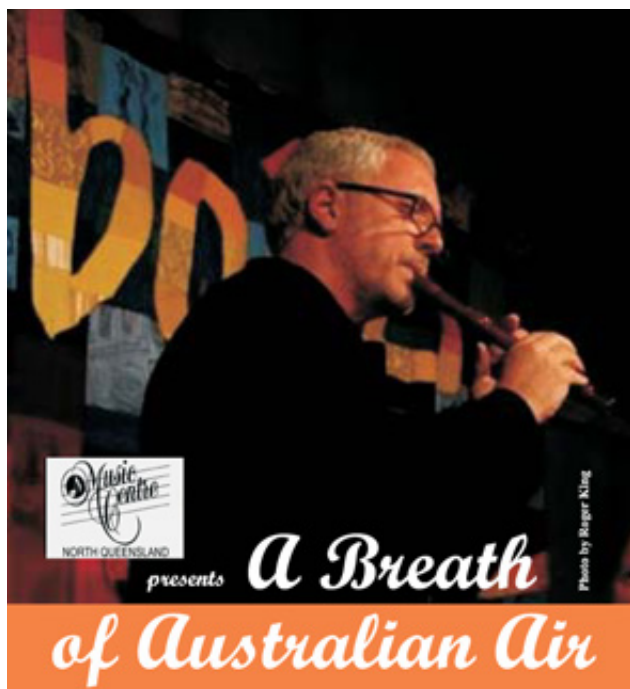
- Schools Workshop with Rodney Waterman, Monday, 24th May

2010 Weekend Residential Workshop in Ingham

- Dates: Friday evening, 21st May to Sunday lunch, 23rd May, Hotel Noorla, **Ingham**
- Guest Tutor: **Rodney Waterman**, performer, composer and educator
- Theme: Contemporary Australian Composers and Arrangers
- Activities: Large Group Sessions, Small Group Sessions, Masterclass, Small Ensemble Work, Blackboard Concert

Concert in Townsville

- Tuesday, 25th May featuring Rodney Waterman and local professional musicians.
- Theme: **Contemporary Australian Composers and Arrangers**
- Come and hear for yourself what's happening to Recorder music!



Australian Music for Recorders
original compositions and arrangements

Featuring Rodney Waterman (Melbourne)
Malcolm Tattersall, Wade Tattersall, Daniel Cocks
and others

Tuesday, 25th May, 7 pm
St Joseph's Church, Fryer St, North Ward

The recorder arrived in Australia just when
Australian music was coming of age, and it
made its way into every kind of music from
folk to classical to jazz.

Tickets \$15 adult,
\$10 concession,
\$7.50 child, \$40 family
Bookings/enq 4721 1771
www.musiccentrenq.net



Genevieve Lacey

Did everyone catch the *Weekend Australian* article about Genevieve? Jean has a copy if anyone wants one.

Recorder classes for adults

Recorder ensemble and lessons Wednesday evenings:

- Lessons for beginners are at 6.30pm. No previous experience is necessary. The goal is to enjoy the experience of learning an instrument while sharing music with friends in a supportive environment.
- A guided ensemble meets at 7.30pm. This is a great opportunity to explore different musical styles and improve our playing while having fun.

The venue is Unit 2, 55 Fulham Road (next to Pimlico High School). If you are interested, please contact Heather 4778 8275 or at hc4816@bigpond.net.au for further details. If you know someone else who

Rodney Waterman will be Guest Tutor at:

Schools Workshop, Atherton, 20th May
Schools Workshop, Townsville 24th May
and
The North Queensland Recorder Society
Annual Residential Workshop, 2010



Friday, 21 May—Sunday 23rd May
Hotel Noorla, Ingham

Featuring Recorder Music of Australian
Composers and Arrangers

for details contact the Workshop Coordinator
email: lynn.saunders@hotmail.com phone: 4771 6533
facebook: NQRS Annual Residential Weekend

Rodney Waterman is a performer, teacher and
composer who specialises in the recorder. He studied
with Kees Boeke in Italy and Holland in the mid-1980s.
His repertoire is eclectic, including early, folk and
contemporary and Brazilian music, with a particular
interest in improvised music. He has performed and
tutored widely in Australia and New Zealand including
numerous major Festivals.

Visit Rodney Waterman on the web:
members.ozemail.com.au/~rodneywaterman

The concert has received financial assistance from Townsville City Council, The Regional Arts Development Fund is a Queensland Government and Townsville City Council partnership to support local arts and culture.

might be interested, please pass on this information.

NQRS committee

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Contact Jean on jeandartnall@gmail.com or Heather on hc4816@bigpond.net.au.

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The latest issue of 'Gecko' (March 2010) from Orpheus Music includes:

Reviews of the January courses and photos.

Moeck recorders

Bass recorder Straps

New Dolmetsch Nick Tenors

and other news.

Download it from

http://www.orpheusmusic.com.au/PDFDownloads/gecko_0310e.pdf

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