### **Print Music Books**

For the benefit of our students, we keep a huge range of around 1,500 books in stock.

We have classical, AMEB and popular music books on hand. We also carry all the popular courses (*MicroJazz*, *Alfreds*, *Blitz*, *Premier*, *All-In-One*, *Music For Little Mozarts*, *Complete Piano Player etc*). We also have a range of pieces suitable for beginners, as well as for those following the exam syllabus.

We also have around 400 pieces of sheet music.

#### Other Resources

We have a music library with around 200 books and 2000 CD's. Binding & laminating are also available on-site.

We have A4/A3 photocopying, and an official Government Copyright License (SE-3887), allowing us to make legal copies for students. *Very few teachers qualify for this license*.

We have 1,800 MIDI files, a range of legal music software that we have arranged to distribute *FREE* to our students, and an assortment of *FREE* classical music books.

# **Child Sponsorship**

SMC and the students support **Kalkidan Semegn**, a young girl from Woreda, Ethopia. Students can write to Kalkidan if they wish: her letters to us are published in our newsletter.

## Waiting Facilities For Parents

We have comfortable seating both indoors and outdoors. Tea and coffee facilities are available.

The attendance (and indeed the participation) of parents at music lessons is welcome! Younger students often benefit from the encouragement of a parent; and teachers benefit by having someone at home that knows what should be practised.

# Timetable & Vacancies

We teach morning, after-school and evening classes.

Please call on 4751-6196 to make an appointment.

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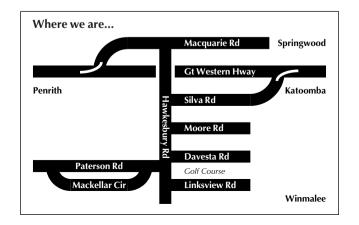
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