

A musical treat

An end of term treat for parents was provided by the children of Grove Road Primary School last week in the form of a **music recital**. A chance to showcase the children's talents, this has become an annual event, and one which never fails to delight.



This year the choir opened the show with some festive numbers: 'Santa

Claus is coming to Town', 'It isn't very Comfy on a Camel', and a wonderful rendition of 'The 12 Days of Christmas'. This was followed by 'Chasing Cars' by a trio of guitars, and then 'Away in a Manger' from a flute choir. The audience was then treated to short solos from 50 children, performing on a range of instruments: piano, guitar, violin, clarinet, flute and drums. All of the performers showed great confidence in performing in front of a packed hall, and many of them for the first time. The children supported each other, listened and no doubt were inspired by each other too.

The choir's final songs, 'Christmas is a time to Love' and 'When Children rule the World' were a beautiful end to a thoroughly enjoyable recital.

Sharon Sanderson, Head at Grove Road Primary School, commented: "Live musical performances are such an important part of learning to play an instrument, and I'm delighted that we can provide our young musicians with the opportunity to perform here at Grove Road. Their confidence and talent made us all very proud".