

SCHOOL NEWS SECTION

Grove Road Primary School

Earlier this month, children aged between 5 and 11 performed at the Grove Road Music Recital. The choir opened the show with 'Away in a Manger' and a bright and bubbly performance of the 'Swing Low Medley'. The children clearly loved performing to the packed hall of parents. The audience then enjoyed 31 short solo performances, many of them from pianists, and some who had only just started learning. There was also a drum solo, and a trumpet, drum and piano trio. The choir then closed with the 'Christmas Alphabet' song and 'Love Shine a Light'.

Head teacher, Sharon Sanderson, commented: "What a delightful afternoon! The children amazed us all with their musical talent. Many of them had never performed in public before, and did so to a packed hall with ease. I can't think of a better way of inspiring young musicians to take up an instrument for the first time, or to further their study, than by listening to other children perform. It was just lovely to give our children the chance to shine".

