# THE MARGARET ROSE BURSARY 2017

## To all Music Teachers & Students

To celebrate 19 Years of awarding Young Musicians in the Forest of Dean

The Drybrook & District Ladies Choir are this year giving a Bursary of **£750** to a committed musician who aspires to a career in music.

Applicants must reside within the boundaries covered by the Forest of Dean District Council and should be between 15 & 25 years of age on 31<sup>st</sup> August 2017.

**<u>APPLICATIONS</u>**: should contain the following information:

- Personal details (name, address, date of birth, Tel. No., e-mail address)
- Details of musical studies/career & future plans including voluntary work undertaken
- Details of recent performances (please do not send CD's or videos)
- Reasons for applying for the Bursary
- What makes music important in their lives

#### The Closing Date for Applications is Friday 7<sup>th</sup> APRIL 2017

Please send applications to The Margaret Rose Bursary Committee, c/o Mrs. B.Wright, Hillcrest, Highview Road, Ruardean Hill, Drybrook, Glos. GL17 9AR email: <u>barb.wright@tiscali.co.uk</u> website: <u>www.ddlc.org.uk</u>

The Committee will consider all applications and invite those who are eligible and selected to attend the audition before an independent panel of judges at: **DRYBROOK BANDROOM** on **WEDNESDAY 3<sup>rd</sup> MAY at 7pm** 

### THE AUDITION:

All applicants will be asked to present two <u>contrasting</u> items of their own choice on their instrument, or two compositions and, in the case of music technology (sequencing or recording) two samples of their work. After the performance, the judges will initiate an informal chat, which will enable them to gain an insight into the ambitions and musical development of the candidate.

The Bursary Award Winner would be expected to take part in the Choirs'

#### MARGARET ROSE BURSARY CONCERT to be held at The Forest Church (Holy Trinity) Drybrook on Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> JULY 2017 at 7pm

Please forward these details to anyone who would be a suitable candidate.