

# Caernarfon Camac Harp Day with Claire Jones and Dylan Wyn Rowlands

## The Complete Performer:

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This is a collection of workshops and classes which guide the performer through various important topics which are crucial to a musicians' development. The day is suitable for harpists of all ages and abilities

### **Session 1 - 10.00am-1.00pm ( including 15 minute break )**

**Warm-up/introduction** - Getting to know each other through a series of musical games/exercises

#### ***Expressing musicality within your playing.***

A step by step guide on how to make informed, and effective decisions on how to express musicianship during performance. We will also focus on how to achieve a polished and well thought out interpretation.

#### ***Ensemble playing***

Using the piece "Havana", Claire and Dylan will have the harps playing in a Latin style whilst teaching the concepts of chamber music, playing in an ensemble and being able to follow a leader. Pupils will also get the chance to improvise during this session.

#### ***Lunch break - 1hour***

### **Session 2 - 2.00-3.30pm ( including 15 minute break )**

#### ***Making the most of your practice time/preparing for exams and performances/dealing with nerves***

Practice sessions can vary immensely when it comes to productivity. Claire explains her methods and structure when it comes to daily

practice. She also covers the importance of time management, along with setting goals and time limits to each practice session.

***The art of performing... ( one or two pupils to perform as per a masterclass)***

We discuss the importance of how to present yourself on stage, and in various situations in the music industry. We will also cover how to develop a sense of stage presence, commanding an audience, and the technicalities involved in live performance.

**4-4.30 Concert**

We invite parents and friends to join us for a short informal concert featuring Claire and Dylan as well as giving the course participants the opportunity to perform. Free admission

Date: Saturday 5 October 2019

Time: 10.00am - 4.30pm

Venue: Studio 1, Galeri, Victoria Dock, Caernarfon, Gwynedd, LL55 1SQ

Price: £25

You will need to bring your harp, stool and stand as well as a packed lunch. A limited number of harps will be available to loan.

To book your place please call Elen on 029 2062 0900 or e-mail [info@camacharps.co.uk](mailto:info@camacharps.co.uk)



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