

ABSTRACTS

SLAVÍKOVÁ, M. Pedagogy supporting health of the child and the role of music education

Pedagogy and education reflect changes in society and changes in the lives of children. It is increasingly emphasized the educational aspect of education, training and developing personality protect children from negative influences. The article points out the possibilities of music education in terms of meeting the objectives of the Child friendly school. It presents the results of research to the active singing on the development of personality of younger pupils.

Keywords: *crisis of Man, health promotion, the child's personality, Child friendly schools, effect of singing.*

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MIHULE, J. As an introduction to the history of music, namely the twentieth century

Jaroslav Mihule, who had been in the academic year 2012–2013 invited to teach history of 20th century music at the Faculty of Education of Charles University, wrote this essay as a programmatic introduction to his lectures on that subject. He views music as a vital need and an island of freedom, and believes that this idea makes a special demand on the teacher of the history of music: namely, to conceive the history of music as the history of musical thinking, paying special attention to the relationship of the immanent and referential aspects of every single composition and the attitudes of every composer. The essay also suggests a categorization principle by means of which it is possible to meaningfully organize the vast volume of the history of music.

Keywords: *history of music in the 20th century, listening to music, choosing compositions, historical continuum, developmental dynamics.*

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PECHÁČEK, S. Children's choral works of Jan Hanuš

Jan Hanuš, an important Czech author of the 2nd half of 20th century, composed for children choirs mainly in the 1970th and 1980th. Most of those cca 20 pieces are written on the verses of Václav Fischer and on folk poetry. More than half of them were published and are well accessible. The paper contains their chronological survey.

Keywords: *Jan Hanuš, choir, children's choirs, music education.*

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