

I knew my daughter could sing as she is in two choirs, but after seeing her in the school performance of the Pied Piper I realised she could act as well. Sadly her mother died suddenly of cancer in April this year. I wanted her to try something new that she would enjoy, so when the Razzle Dazzle leaflet came through the door I phoned the number and explained the situation.

The following Saturday I took my daughter along for the first time. Every one was very friendly and I could see she would be well looked after. When I returned 3hrs later I knew that she had had a good time. She was so excited to tell me what she had been doing. She had sheet music to learn; a voice exercise sheet, and some dance steps to practice.

When we returned the following week I immediately joined her up. Within 3 weeks she had passed an audition for a part in Annie and was practicing several Joseph songs for a charity concert in Witham.

My daughter can not read music so I have taken advantage of the extra 45min session available for vocal exams so I hope that she will be able to pass grade 3 in the autumn.

In the summer Razzle Dazzle run a weeks workshop from 10am to 3pm, which is really useful to me as a single parent. Unfortunately we are going on holiday on the Friday of the workshop, but have still been allowed to attend for 4 days, which is much appreciated. The staff are all extremely qualified in their fields and very professional. Not only was my daughter provided with a dress to wear for a singing and dance quartet number for the recent charity concert, but I was also asked if I would mind her being 'made up' for the performance (she is only 11, but looks like a teenager!)

At the concert I was very impressed at the standard of some of the performer's. I look forward to seeing my daughter progress to the same standard and know that my wife would have been very proud of her. I would recommend Razzle Dazzle to any parent who would like to not only like to see their child develop singing, dancing and acting skills, but also see them gain in confidence and self esteem.

Razzle Dazzle is a truly outstanding organisation, which is run by people dedicated to bringing the best out of the children.

If you think your child has talent or would benefit from gaining new skills and friends put their names down today. It could be the best thing you ever do for them, and you like me will never know unless you try, so send your child along for a trail.

Mr Simon Morgan