



# The Captain's Corner

Where Piping Education Never Ends

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A regular newsletter updating the activities at The Captain's Corner

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Well, December is upon us and the year is winding down at The Captain's Corner. The lessons for 2012 will be available on CD on January 1, 2013. Band subscriptions are up this year as groups of 5 or more take advantage of this cost effective tuition. Speaking of tuition, the concentration this past year on band repertoire has received resounding approval. It has enabled many Pipe Majors to fill those gaps in their band's tune list. 2013 promises more of the same, with our annual return to the Boot Camp for an upgrade of our basics.

## The Store

### Lessons on CD

- 2006 - Basic Technique
- 2007 - Pulsing
- 2008 - Control
- 2009 - Rhythmic Tunes
- 2009 - Piobaireachd
- 2010 - Memorization
- 2011 - Pipe set-up
- 2011 - Piobaireachd

### Individual Subscriptions

### Band Subscriptions

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## Announcement

Murray Blair has once again topped the bagpipe tuner market. Following on the footsteps of his successful iPad and iPhone App and the HBT-2 tuner, he has developed the handheld HBT-3 Bagpipe Tuner, with all the features that allow you to pitch every note on the chanter, as well, tune your drones. This is truly a leap forward for all players. In addition, it retails for a much lower price. Contact Murray at his website

<http://www.thebagpipetuner.com>

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The Captain's Corner has been updated regularly with new lessons each week. In the "Going's On" section of the Blog you will find great recordings of the George Sherriff Memorial Contest held in Hamilton, ON in November. The Piobaireachd Room is actively learning Catherine's Lament, which was requested earlier this year.

Subscription renewal notices are now complete for 2013. If you are using the Classroom on a regular basis, why not suggest to your band that others would benefit from a band subscription.

For Sale:

Vintage Peter Henderson Bagpipe – Silver and Imitation Mounts – manufactured in the early 1960's – sticks only or set up ready to play.

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