

## Bathurst Eisteddfod 2023 – SCHOOL SYLLABUS.



**Section  
Number:**

**Music** 

**176**

**K-2 Infants Percussion Ensemble**

04:00 minutes

Pre-recorded CD Music Accompaniment permitted. 5 or more members

Entry Fee : \$15.00 1st Bannerette 2nd Bannerette 3rd Bannerette HC Certificate

**177**

**K-6 Percussion Ensemble (Up to 20 Players)**

04:00 minutes

Pre-recorded CD Music accompaniment is permitted. 5 or more members up to 20.

Entry Fee : \$15.00 1st Bannerette 2nd Bannerette 3rd Bannerette HC Certificate

**178**

**Secondary Years 7-12 Percussion Ensemble (Up to 20 Players)**

06:00 minutes

NO pre-recorded music accompaniment permitted. 5 or more members up to 20.

Entry Fee : \$20.00 1st Bannerette 2nd Bannerette 3rd Bannerette HC Certificate

**179**

**Open Percussion Ensemble (Up to 20 Players)**

08:00 Minutes

No pre-recorded music accompaniment allowed. 5 or more members up to 20.

Entry Fee : \$20.00 1st \$100 2nd \$60 3rd \$40 HC Certificate

**180**

**K-6 Instrumental Ensemble**

04:00 Minutes

No vocalists or rock groups. 4 or more members.

Entry Fee : \$15.00 1st Bannerette 2nd Bannerette 3rd Bannerette HC Certificate

**181**                    **Secondary Years 7-12 Instrumental Ensemble**  
06:00 Minutes. No vocalists or rock groups. 4 or more members.  
Entry Fee : \$20.00   1st Bannerette   2nd Bannerette   3rd Bannerette   HC Certificate

**191**                    **Open Entertainment Ensemble**  
06:00 Minutes  
Competitors perform one own choice song. Not intended for Concert bands or Stage bands. Mixed ensembles and rock bands are encouraged. Vocalists are permitted and a microphone will be supplied. This is designed to be a fun and entertaining section and the  
Entry Fee : \$20.00   1st \$100   2nd \$60   3rd \$40   HC Certificate

**192**                    **Secondary School Age Landers Music Battle of the Bands Band**  
05:00 Minutes  
Secondary school age Rock Bands containing 3-8 members. Bands will perform and be critiqued by a panel of adjudicators on your own composition or cover of a popular/contemporary song. The time limit has been extended to allow for an instrumental solo if desired. One teacher is permitted to perform with the band. Lyrics and outline of your performance must be submitted to the panel for adjudication.  
Any inappropriate lyrics or gestures will lead to disqualification.  
Sound system and technician will be available for use. Sound check will take place in the break prior to commencement of section. Set up time allowed between bands is 2 minutes maximum.  
Entry Fee : \$20.00   1st Trophy + \$400   2nd Trophy + \$200   3rd Trophy + \$100   HC Certificate

## **SCHOOL BANDS**

**193**                    **K-6 Beginner Orchestra or Concert Band**  
08:00 Minutes  
This section is designed for beginner / first year band or orchestra students only. Perform 2 pieces Grade .5  
Timing will be paused in between pieces. Band plan must be emailed to the Music Coordinator one week prior to the performance date.  
Entry Fee : \$15.00   1st Nola and Ian Ramsay Perpetual Trophy and Replica   2nd Bannerette   3rd Bannerette   HC Certificate

- 194**                    **K-6 Orchestra or Concert Band Intermediate/Advanced Grade 1.5 and above**  
10:00 Minutes  
This section is for Grade 1 and 1 1/2 pieces.  
Competitors perform two contrasting works. Timing will be paused in between pieces. Band plan must be emailed to the Music Coordinator one week prior to the performance date.  
Entry Fee : \$15.00    1st Wendy Jenkins Perpetual Trophy + Replica    2nd Bannerette    3rd Bannerette    HC Certificate
- 195**                    **Secondary Years 7-12 Orchestra or Concert Band**  
12:00 Minutes  
Competitors must perform two contrasting works.  
Timing will be paused between pieces. Band plan must be emailed to the Music Coordinator one week prior to the performance date.  
Entry Fee : \$20.00    1st Jennifer Ratsep Perpetual Trophy and Replica    2nd Bannerette    3rd Bannerette    HC Certificate
- 196**                    **Open Band, Concert Band or Wind Band**  
15:00 Minutes  
Not intended for Stage/Jazz or Rock Bands. Competitors must perform two contrasting works. Timing will be paused between pieces. Band plan must be emailed to the Music Coordinator one week prior to the performance date. Please include your group name and conductors name.  
Entry Fee : \$20.00    1st Perpetual Trophy + \$500    2nd \$200    3rd \$100    HC Certificate
- 197**                    **Open Orchestra Group**  
15:00 Minutes  
Competitors must perform two contrasting pieces. Timing will be paused between pieces.  
Orchestra Plan MUST be emailed to the Music Coordinator one week prior to your performance with your group name and conductor`s name.  
Entry Fee : \$20.00    1st \$250    2nd \$100    3rd \$50    HC Certificate

- 198 Primary/Lower Secondary Years 3-9 Stage and Jazz Band**  
10:00 Minutes  
Competitors must perform two contrasting pieces. Timing will be paused between pieces.  
Band Plan must be emailed to the Music Coordinator one week prior to your performance with your group name and conductors name.  
Entry Fee : \$15.00 1st Perpetual Trophy + Replica + \$80 2nd Bannerette + \$50 3rd Bannerette + \$30  
HC Certificate
- 199 Secondary Years 7-12 Stage and Jazz Band**  
12:00 Minutes  
Competitors must perform two contrasting pieces. Timing will be paused between pieces.  
Band Plan must be emailed to the Music Coordinator one week prior to your performance with your group name and conductors name.  
Entry Fee : \$20.00 1st Bannerette + \$100 2nd Bannerette + \$60 3rd Bannerette + \$40 HC Certificate
- 200 Open Stage and Jazz Band**  
15:00 Minutes  
Competitors must perform two contrasting pieces. Timing will be paused between pieces.  
Band Plan must be emailed to the Music Coordinator one week prior to your performance with your group name and conductors name.  
Entry Fee : \$20.00 1st Perpetual Trophy + \$250 2nd \$100 3rd \$50 HC Certificate



## School Choirs

- 160**      **Year 1 and 2 only Infants Choral Championship**  
05:00 Minutes  
Two contrasting songs. One piece must be from an Australian Composer. Accompanied or unaccompanied.  
Entry Fee : \$15.00   1st Renshaw's Perpetual Trophy and Bannerette   2nd Bannerette   3rd Bannerette   HC Certificate
- 161**      **Infants Kindergarten Choir**  
05:00 Minutes  
One Song. Accompanied or unaccompanied. Actions appropriate to lyrics permitted.  
Entry Fee : \$15.00   1st Perpetual Trophy and Bannerette   2nd Bannerette   3rd Bannerette   HC Certificate
- 162**      **Year 3 and 4 only Primary School Choral Championship**  
06:00 Minutes  
Two contrasting songs. Accompanied or unaccompanied.  
One piece must be from an Australian Composer.  
Entry Fee : \$15.00   1st Bert Jarvis Perpetual Trophy and Bannerette   2nd Bannerette   3rd Bannerette   HC Certificate
- 163**      **Years 3 - 6 only Primary School Choral Championship**  
08:00 Minutes  
Two contrasting songs. Accompanied or unaccompanied. One piece must be from an Australian Composer.  
Entry Fee : \$15.00   1st Perpetual Trophy and Bannerette   2nd Bannerette   3rd Bannerette   HC Certificate
- 164**      **K-6 Mixed age Stage 1-3 Choral Championship**  
08:00 Minutes  
Two contrasting songs. Accompanied or unaccompanied.  
One piece must be from an Australian Composer.  
Entry Fee : \$15.00   1st Bannerette + \$80   2nd Bannerette + \$50   3rd Bannerette + \$30   HC Certificate

- 165 Primary School Years 3-6 Choir - Language other than English Choir**  
05:00 Minutes  
Perform one Choral selection in any Language other than English.  
May be accompanied or unaccompanied.  
Entry Fee : \$15.00 1st Bannerette + \$80 2nd Bannerette + \$50 3rd Bannerette + \$30 HC Certificate
- 166 Primary/Lower Secondary Years 3-9 Choral Championship**  
08:00 Minutes  
Two contrasting songs. Accompanied or unaccompanied.  
Entry Fee : \$20.00 1st Trophy 2nd Bannerette 3rd Bannerette HC Certificate
- 167 Secondary Years 7-12 Choral Championship**  
08:00 Minutes  
12 or more voices. Two contrasting styles in 2 or more parts throughout both songs. May be accompanied or unaccompanied.  
One piece must be from an Australian Composer.  
Entry Fee : \$20.00 1st Bathurst Eisteddfod Society Perpetual Trophy & Bannerette + \$100 2nd Bannerette + \$60 3rd Bannerette + \$40 HC Certificate
- 168 Secondary Years 7-12 Choir - Language other than English Choir**  
05:00 Minutes  
Perform one choral piece in a Language other than English.  
May be accompanied or unaccompanied.  
Entry Fee : \$20.00 1st \$80 2nd \$50 3rd \$30 HC Certificate
- 169 Secondary Years 7-12 Vocal Group**  
08:00 Minutes  
Accompanied or Unaccompanied. 12 Members or less  
Entry Fee : \$20.00 1st Trophy 2nd Trophy 3rd Trophy HC Certificate

- 170**            **Open Choral Championship**  
12:00 Minutes  
Two contrasting choral works with three or more parts. Accompanied or unaccompanied.  
Entry Fee : \$20.00   1st \$250   2nd \$100   3rd \$50   HC Certificate
- 171**            **Open Vocal Group**  
08:00 Minutes  
12 performers or less. May be accompanied or unaccompanied.  
Perform two pieces.  
Entry Fee : \$20.00   1st \$100   2nd \$60   3rd \$40   HC Certificate
- 172**            **Open Choir - Language other than English Choir**  
06:00 Minutes  
Perform one Choral selection in any Language other than English.  
May be accompanied or unaccompanied.  
Entry Fee : \$20.00   1st \$100   2nd \$60   3rd \$40   HC Certificate
- 173**            **Open A Capella Vocal Group**  
06:00 Minutes  
12 performers or less. Competitors are to perform any number of pieces within the time limit.  
Entry Fee : \$20.00   1st \$100   2nd \$60   3rd \$40   HC Certificate
- 174**            **Open Entertainment Choir "Song from a Musical"**  
06:00 Minutes  
Unlimited performers. Perform one song from a Musical with use of costumes, movement and simple props encouraged.  
Two minute stage set up permitted.  
Live accompaniment encouraged. Backing track permitted however must contain NO vocals.  
Entry Fee : \$20.00   1st \$100   2nd \$60   3rd \$40   HC Certificate

- 175**      **Open Age Community Choir/Entertainment - Non Competitive**  
06:00 Minutes  
Perform a programme of your choice. May be accompanied or unaccompanied.  
Open to community, disability or combined school choirs.  
This section is NON COMPETITIVE.  
This is a fun, relaxed section. The adjudicator WILL critique your performance.  
Entry Fee : \$15.00    1st Each competitor will receive a medal

## Composition

- 158**      **Open Age Original Contemporary Music Composition**  
04:00 Minutes  
Competitors are to compose a contemporary styled composition. You must submit a written copy of your lyrics.  
Competitors will then be required to perform/conduct a performance of their composition at the Eisteddfod.  
Lyrics are to be family friendly and encouraged to be uplifting.  
Final Compositions are to be emailed to: [bathursteisteddfod.music@gmail.com](mailto:bathursteisteddfod.music@gmail.com)  
Entry Fee : \$15.00    1st \$60    2nd \$40    3rd \$30    HC Certificate
- 159**      **Open Age Mitchell Conservatorium Original Composition**  
04:00 Minutes  
Competitors are to compose a piece and submit a written copy of their composition (either hand written or by computer programme) one week before the commencement of the Eisteddfod. Compositions may be written for any instrumentation.  
Competitors will then be required to perform or submit a recording of your performance to be played at the Eisteddfod. Final Compositions are to be emailed to: [bathursteisteddfod.music@gmail.com](mailto:bathursteisteddfod.music@gmail.com)  
Entry Fee : \$15.00    1st \$60    2nd \$40    3rd \$30    HC Certificate



## School Verse Speaking 🏰

**385**

### **Kindergarten Verse Speaking Choir**

03:00 minutes

Two contrasting poems to be performed. One poem may be characterised.

Both poems own choice.

Time limit is for total speaking time.

Entry Fee : \$15.00 1st Bannerette 2nd Bannerette 3rd Bannerette HC Certificate

**386**

### **Year 2 and under Verse Speaking Choir**

04:00 minutes

Two contrasting poems to be performed. One poem may be characterised.

Both poems own choice. Time limit is for total speaking time.

Entry Fee : \$15.00 1st Bannerette 2nd Bannerette 3rd Bannerette HC Certificate

**387**

### **Year 4 and under Verse Speaking Choir**

04:00 Minutes

Two contrasting poems to be performed. One poem may be characterised.

Both poems own choice. Time limit is for total speaking time.

Entry Fee : \$15.00 1st Bannerette 2nd Bannerette 3rd Bannerette HC Certificate

**388**

### **Year 6 and under Verse Speaking Choir**

05:00 minutes

Two contrasting poems to be performed. One poem may be characterised.

Both poems own choice. Time limit is for total speaking time.

Entry Fee : \$15.00 1st Bannerette 2nd Bannerette 3rd Bannerette HC Certificate



## SCHOOL DANCE

- 693**      **Stage 1 Public or Private School Dance Group**  
4.00 Minutes  
Must be entered by a public/private school, and NOT a dance school.  
Any style of dance may be used.  
All members must be bona fide members of the school.  
Entry Fee : \$15.00   1st Bannerette   2nd Bannerette   3rd Bannerette   HC Certificate
- 694**      **Stage 2 Public or Private School Dance Group**  
04:00 Minutes  
Must be entered by a public/private school, and NOT a dance school.  
Any style of dance may be used.  
All members must be bona fide members of the school.  
Entry Fee : \$15.00   1st Bannerette   2nd Bannerette   3rd Bannerette   HC Certificate
- 695**      **Stage 3 Public or Private School Dance Group**  
04:00 minutes  
Must be entered by a public/private school, and NOT a dance school.  
Any style of dance may be used.  
All members must be bona fide members of the school.  
Entry Fee : \$15.00   1st Bannerette   2nd Bannerette   3rd Bannerette   HC Certificate
- 696**      **Secondary School Years 7, 8 & 9 Public or Private School Dance Group**  
05:00 Minutes  
Must be entered by a public/private school, and NOT a dance school.  
Any style of dance may be used.  
All members must be bona fide members of the school.  
All years may be combined into the one group but they must be in years 7,8 & 9.  
Entry Fee : \$20.00   1st \$70   2nd \$50   3rd \$30   HC Certificate

- 697 Secondary School Years 10, 11 & 12 Public or Private School Dance Group**  
05:00 Minutes  
Must be entered by a public/private school, and NOT a dance school.  
Any style of dance may be used.  
All members must be bona fide members of the school.  
All years may be combined into the one group and students in year 7,8 & 9 may dance in this section as long as they are a bona fide member of the school group.  
Entry Fee : \$20.00 1st \$100 2nd \$60 3rd \$40 HC Certificate

### **Small Schools. 🏆**

- 201 K-6 Small Schools Entertainment group/ensemble**  
03:00 Minutes  
Only for public/catholic/independent or private schools. No "Dance" schools permitted.  
All performers must be enrolled students in the school of no more than 54 students.  
Competitors are encouraged to perform as an ensemble in any style or grouping they desire.  
Entry Fee : \$15.00 1st Bannerette 2nd Bannerette 3rd Bannerette HC Certificate
- 202 K-6 Small Schools Singing or Speech Choir**  
03:00 Minutes  
Only for public/catholic/independent or private schools.  
All performers must be enrolled students in the school of no more than 54 students.  
Choirs are permitted to either perform a song as a group or perform a poetry work.  
Entry Fee : \$15.00 1st Bannerette 2nd Bannerette 3rd Bannerette HC Certificate
- 203 Primary School K-6 Small Schools Dance Group**  
03:00 Minutes  
Only for public/catholic/independent or private schools - NOT dance schools/studios.  
Any style of dance is permitted.  
All performers must be enrolled students in the school of no more than 54 students.  
Entry Fee : \$15.00 1st Bannerette 2nd Bannerette 3rd Bannerette HC Certificate

## Special Needs Superstars. ✨

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### Open Age Special Needs Superstars Dance

03:00 Minutes

This section is for competitors attending Special Schools, Special needs units within schools or those with a physical/intellectual disability.

Performance is own choice.

Competitors are permitted to enter this section twice as long as two differing styles of dance are performed. eg. Jazz and Ballet. .This is a NON competitive section. A merit medal or trophy will be awarded to each competitor.

Every competitor will receive an adjudicators critique.

Entry Fee : \$10.00

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### Open Age Special Needs Superstars Music

03:00 Minutes

This section is for competitors attending Special Schools, Special needs units within schools or those with a physical/intellectual disability.

Performance is own choice. Competitors are encouraged to sing or play an instrument.

Backing track without vocals is permitted and an live accompanist is encouraged. A microphone will be available if required. Competitors are permitted to enter this section twice on different instruments eg. Sing a song and play the piano. This is a NON competitive section. A merit medal or trophy will be awarded to each competitor.

Every competitor will receive an adjudicators critique.

Entry Fee : \$10.00



**390 Open Age Special Needs Superstars Speech and Drama**

03:00 Minutes

This section is for competitors attending Special Schools, Special needs units within schools or those with a physical/ intellectual disability.

Own Choice. Any of the following may be performed:

Recitation, Scene, puppets, Mime or Character Sketch. Costumes are permitted.

This is a NON competitive section - A merit medal or trophy will be awarded to each competitor. All competitors will receive an adjudicators critique. Entry Fee: \$10.00

**389 Any age Special Needs Performers 5 or more performers**

04:00 Minutes

For students attending Special Schools or Special Units within schools.

Topic own choice. Music may be used.

Any of the following may be used: Recitation, Scenes, Puppets, Mime with or without masks, Dance, Unison Reading. A merit medal will be awarded to each competitor.

Entry Fee : \$15.00 EA Each competitor will receive a medal

Bathurst Eisteddfod full Syllabus can be view: [www.bathursteisteddfod.org](http://www.bathursteisteddfod.org)

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