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# **BRASS BAND COMPETITION**

**29 May 2010 to 30 May 2010**

(To be confirmed after receipt of Entries and Programming has been finalised)

## **Brass Bands Contest 2010**

**Saturday 29th May & Sunday 30th May 2010**

**STRATHDALE COMMUNITY CENTRE, CROOK STREET, BENDIGO.**

Conducted by Bendigo Competitions Society Inc. in conjunction with the Victorian Bands League and the Bendigo and District Bands Group

**JUNIOR, SCHOOL & CONCERT BANDS - Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> May**

**OPEN, A, B, C, & D BRASS BANDS - Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> May**

**BRASS ENTRIES MUST BE RECEIVED BY 30TH APRIL 2010**

### **BRASS BANDS CONTEST CONDITIONS**

- a. **RULES:** All rules of the Victorian Bands League (V.B.L.) will be strictly enforced.
- b. **REGISTRATION OF PLAYERS:** Players must register directly with the V.B.L. 2/157 Hyde St., Yarraville, 3013 **before 4.00 p.m. on Friday 16<sup>th</sup> April 2010.**
- c. **PERMIT PLAYERS:** Bands will be allowed permits as per V.B.L. Rules. **All applications and fees for permit players will close at 4.00 p.m. 14<sup>th</sup> May 2010. These to be sent directly to the Victorian Bands League.**
- d. **SIGN ON FORMS:** It is the **responsibility of all entrants to ensure** that sign on forms are submitted to the V.B.L. by **Friday 30<sup>th</sup> April 2010.**
- e. **ADJUDICATOR'S SCORES:** One copy of each item to be played must be forwarded directly to the V.B.L. 2/157 Hyde St., Yarraville. 3013 **by Friday 7<sup>th</sup> May 2010.**
  1. All bars to be numbered.
  2. No Band identification and no distinguishing marks are permitted.
  3. Bands will be permitted to submit photocopies. Photocopies will not be returned to the Band to comply with copyright rules.
- f. **TIME LIMITS:** All Bands and Grades - Maximum **overall playing time must not exceed twenty-five minutes.**
- g. **PENALTIES:** If the overall playing time **exceeds twenty-five minutes, five**

- points will be deducted from the final Concert item performed.
- h. **Bands may enter a higher grade than their actual grading**, but must also play in their own grade. **If playing in two grades, Bands must perform different music in each grade**, with the exception of Junior Bands eligible to play in D Grade.
  - i. Please note that these conditions are subject to confirmation from the V.B.L. Musical Advisory Board. Please refer to the V.B.L. news for any changes.
  - j. **ENTRY FEES:** Entries may be made online at <http://geni.gaia.com.au> or by mailing an entry form available on the Bendigo Competitions website: <http://www.bendigocomps.org.au> . Correct entry fees must accompany each entry, which must include title/s for all Music being performed. Cheques, or money orders for all entries are to be made payable to the Bendigo Competitions Society Inc. Please forward entries to Music Coordinator, P.O. Box 177 Bendigo 3552.

### **V.B.L. AFFILIATED JUNIOR BANDS & SCHOOL BANDS**

Total playing time not to exceed 25 minutes  
Music: A selection of three own choice items.

JUNIOR BANDS  
SCHOOL BANDS

Each Entry: \$60 per section  
Prizes: 1st Trophy, 2nd Trophy

### **NON V.B.L. AFFILIATED JUNIOR BANDS & SCHOOL BANDS**

Total playing time not to exceed 25 minutes  
Music: A selection of three own choice items.

JUNIOR BANDS  
SCHOOL BANDS

Each Entry: \$75 per section. (\$15 will be forwarded to the V.B.L.)  
Prizes: 1st Trophy, 2nd Trophy

### **V.B.L. AFFILIATED CONCERT BANDS**

Total playing time not to exceed 25 minutes  
Music: A selection of three own choice items.

CONCERT BANDS

Each Entry: \$85 per section  
Prizes: 1st Trophy, 2nd Trophy

## NON V.B.L. AFFILIATED CONCERT BANDS

Total playing time not to exceed 25 minutes  
Music: A selection of three own choice items.  
CONCERT BANDS

Each Entry: \$100 per section. (\$15 will be forwarded to the V.B.L.)  
Prizes: 1st Trophy, 2nd Trophy

## GRADED BANDS CONTEST

Total playing time not to exceed 25 minutes  
Music: Own Choice.

a) Selection – Major Work      b) Two contrasting concert items

OPEN BRASS BANDS  
A GRADE BRASS BANDS  
B GRADE BRASS BANDS  
C GRADE BRASS BANDS  
D GRADE BRASS BANDS

Each Entry: \$85 per section  
Prizes: 1st Trophy, 2nd Trophy

**ALL ENTRIES MUST BE RECEIVED BY 30 Apr 2010**

NA

### **A GRADE BAND**

A GRADE BANDS GROUP NA

Bands must adhere to stipulated time limits. The total playing time is not to exceed 25 minutes. Bands must provide the Adjudicator with one score with all bars numbered for each piece that is performed.

### **B GRADE BANDS**

B GRADE BANDS GROUP NA

Bands must adhere to stipulated time limits. The total playing time is not to exceed 25 minutes. Bands must provide the Adjudicator with one score with all bars numbered for each piece that is performed.

### **C GRADE BAND**

C GRADE BANDS GROUP NA

Bands must adhere to stipulated time limits. The total playing time is not to exceed 25 minutes. Bands must provide the Adjudicator with one score with all bars numbered for each piece that is performed.

### **CONCERT**

CONCERT BANDS GROUP NA

**BANDS** Bands must adhere to stipulated time limits. The total playing time is not to exceed 25 minutes. Bands must provide the Adjudicator with one score with all bars numbered for each piece that is performed.

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**D GRADE BANDS** D GRADE BANDS GROUP NA  
Bands must adhere to stipulated time limits. The total playing time is not to exceed 25 minutes. Bands must provide the Adjudicator with one score with all bars numbered for each piece that is performed.

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Entry: \$85.00 1<sup>st</sup> Trophy 2<sup>nd</sup> Trophy

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**JUNIOR GRADE BANDS** JUNIOR GRADE BANDS GROUP NA  
Bands must adhere to stipulated time limits. The total playing time is not to exceed 25 minutes. Bands must provide the Adjudicator with one score with all bars numbered for each piece that is performed.

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**SCHOOL BANDS** SCHOOL BANDS GROUP NA  
Bands must adhere to stipulated time limits. The total playing time is not to exceed 25 minutes. Bands must provide the Adjudicator with one score with all bars numbered for each piece that is performed.

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Bands must adhere to stipulated time limits. The total playing time is not to exceed 25 minutes. Bands must provide the Adjudicator with one score with all bars numbered for each piece that is performed.

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Entry: \$60.00 1<sup>st</sup> Trophy 2<sup>nd</sup> Trophy

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