

FIFTY-SEVENTH YARRAM EISTEDDFOD INC.



MONDAY AUGUST 7th
to
MONDAY AUGUST 14th
2017

ALL ENTRIES CLOSE – 1st JUNE 2017
NO LATE ENTRIES

ADJUDICATORS

SPEECH, DRAMA, CHORAL & VOCAL SECTIONS

Monday 7th, Tuesday 8th, Wednesday 9th & Thursday 10th August
Mr Christopher Trikilis, [Melbourne]

PIANOFORTE AND INSTRUMENTAL SECTIONS

Friday 11th, Saturday 12th, Sunday 13th & Monday 14th August
Ms Julia Lu, [Melbourne]

ACCOMPANISTS

Contact Mrs Judy Stephens – 03 5182 6147
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Senior Instrumental Sections: Mrs Julie Lockhart – 5157 1426

Acknowledgement of Donors & Sponsors will be made in the Official Programme

PRESIDENT

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YARRAM EISTEDDFOD AWARDS

JUDITH SUMMERS PERPETUAL TROPHY

To be awarded for the best individual performance during the Eisteddfod
Trophy I.P. & \$150.00

THE GEORGE & MAY SCAMMELL MEMORIAL AWARD

To be awarded to the most outstanding group performance during the Eisteddfod
Trophy I.P. & \$125.00

ADJUDICATOR'S COMMENDATION AWARD

Speech, Choral, Drama or Vocal
Trophy & \$100.00

ADJUDICATOR'S COMMENDATION AWARD

Pianoforte – Instrumental
Trophy & \$100.00

PRESIDENT'S TROPHY

In recognition of a performance of high quality
Trophy & \$75.00

YARRAM AND DISTRICT TRADERS & TOURISM ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

Trophy & \$75.00

YARRAM EISTEDDFOD TARRA AWARDS

In recognition of achievement and growth in local performers
Trophy & \$50.00

YARRAM EISTEDDFOD GALA AWARD

Trophy & \$50.00



SPEECH SECTION

Please Note Rule 13

Costume Permissible

1. RECITATION 5 years & under Entry \$1.00
Own Choice of Poem or Nursery Rhyme
Certificate of Merit to be awarded to all competitors
2. RECITATION 6 years & under Entry \$1.00
Own Choice of Poem or Nursery Rhyme
Certificate of Merit to be awarded to all competitors
3. RECITATION 7 years & under Entry \$3.00
Own Choice of Poem
First, Second & Third: Trophy
4. RECITATION 8 years & under Entry \$3.00
Own Choice of Poem
First, Second & Third: Trophy
5. RECITATION 9 years & under Entry \$3.00
Own Choice of Poem
First, Second & Third: Trophy
6. RECITATION 10 years & under Entry \$3.00
Own Choice of Poem
First, Second & Third: Trophy
7. RECITATION 12 years & under Entry \$3.00
Own Choice of Poem
First, Second & Third: Trophy
8. RECITATION 15 years & under Entry \$5.00
Own Choice of Poem
First, Second & Third: Trophy
9. AUSTRALIAN POEM 18 years & under
Reading. Time limit 3 minutes. Entry \$5.00
First: \$25.00 Second: \$15.00
10. CHARACTER SOLO RECITAL Entry \$5.00
18 years & under. In costume.
Time limit 5 minutes.
First: \$25.00 Second \$15.00
11. VERSE SPEAKING GROUP Entry \$10.00
Junior Primary School Students
Prep-Grade 2
Two pieces to be performed.
(a) 'I'm staying home from School today' by Kenn Nesbitt
(b) Own Choice
First: Trophy I.P. & \$75.00 for School Library
Second: \$40.00 for School Library
All Groups to receive Trophy.

12. VERSE SPEAKING CHOIR Entry \$10.00
Primary School Students, Grade 6 & under.
Two pieces to be performed.
(a) 'The Photographer' by Annette Kosseris
(b) Own Choice
First: Trophy I.P. & \$75.00 for School Library
Second: Trophy & \$40.00 for School Library
Third: Trophy

Copies of 'Own Choice' items to be provided for the Adjudicator.

Copies of Set Pieces for Verse Speaking Choirs available from Secretary.

DRAMA SECTION

13. ONE ACT PLAY Entry \$6.00
Primary School Students.
Own Choice. Time limit 20 minutes.
May incorporate singing.
First: Trophy I.P. & \$50.00
Second: Trophy & \$20.00 Third: Trophy
14. ONE ACT PLAY Entry \$6.00
Secondary School Students
Own Choice. Time limit 20 minutes.
May incorporate singing.
First: Trophy & \$40.00 Second: \$20.00

VOCAL SECTION

◆ All items in Vocal Sections will be Own Choice unless otherwise stated.

See Rules and Conditions No. 5 'No Recorded Music'

15. VOCAL SOLO, DUET, TRIO Entry \$1.00
6 years & under
Book to be awarded to each competitor.
16. VOCAL SOLO, DUET, TRIO Entry \$3.00
8 years & under
First, Second & Third: Trophy
17. VOCAL SOLO 10 years & under Entry \$3.00
First, Second & Third: Trophy
18. VOCAL DUET/TRIO Entry \$3.00
10 years & under
First, Second & Third: Trophy
19. VOCAL SOLO 12 years & under Entry \$4.00
First, Second & Third: Trophy
20. VOCAL DUET/TRIO Entry \$4.00
12 years & under
First, Second & Third: Trophy
21. VOCAL SOLO 14 years & under Entry \$5.00
First, Second & Third: Trophy

22. VOCAL SOLO NOVICE Entry \$5.00
15 years & Under
First, Second & Third: Trophy
23. VOCAL DUET/TRIO Entry \$5.00
15 years & under
First, Second & Third: Trophy
24. VOCAL SOLO 16 years & under Entry \$5.00
First \$25.00 Second \$15.00 Third \$10.00
25. VOCAL SOLO 18 years & under Entry \$5.00
First \$40.00 Second \$20.00 Third \$10.00
26. VOCAL SOLO YARRAM APEX Entry \$8.00
Open
Excerpt from Musical Comedy or Stage Show,
performed in costume.
First \$60.00 Second \$30.00 Third: \$10.00
27. VOCAL SOLO ADA CROSSLEY Entry \$10.00
First \$100.00 Second \$50.00 Third: \$20.00
28. VOCAL SOLO SACRED Open Entry \$8.00
First \$60.00 Second \$30.00 Third: \$10.00
29. VOCAL DUET Open Entry \$8.00
First \$60.00 Second \$30.00 Third: \$10.00
30. VOCAL GROUP Entry \$6.00
Junior Primary School Students Grade 3 & under
Recorded Instrumental backing permitted.
Performed in costume, movement permissible.
Judged on overall performance.
First \$50.00, Second \$30.00 Third \$20.00
All groups to receive trophy.
31. VOCAL GROUP Entry \$6.00
Primary School Students
Recorded Instrumental backing permitted.
Performed in Costume, movement permissible.
Judged on overall performance
First \$50.00 & Trophy, Second \$30.00 & Trophy
Third \$20.00 & Trophy

CHORAL SECTION

- ◆ Two contrasting pieces must be sung.
- ◆ Trophies in perpetuity to be held by winning choir for eleven months
- ◆ The piano will be placed and must remain on the left hand side of the conductor.
- ◆ Choirs to provide own Accompanist
- ◆ Recorded instrumental backing permissible.
(See Rule 5)

32. BIRD FAMILY TRUST JUNIOR CHOIR Entry \$10.00
Primary School Students, Year 3 & under.

- First: Trophy I.P & \$100.00
Second: \$50.00 Third: \$25.00
33. THE BIRD FAMILY BEQUEST AWARD Entry \$10.00
CHOIR Primary School Students Year 6 & under
First: Trophy I.P & \$250.00
Second: \$125.00 Third: \$60.00
34. CHOIR Secondary School Students Entry \$10.00
Years 7 – 12.
First: Trophy I.P. & \$250.00 Second \$125.00
Third: \$60.00
35. CHOIR /VOCAL ENSEMBLE Open Entry \$10.00
First: \$100.00 & Trophy Second: \$50.00 & Trophy
Third: \$25.00 & Trophy

PIANOFORTE SECTION

- ◆ All items in Pianoforte Sections will be Own Choice unless otherwise stated.

SOLOS

36. PIANO SOLO 8 years & under. Entry \$4.00
First, Second & Third: Trophy
37. PIANO SOLO 9 years & under. Entry \$4.00
First, Second & Third: Trophy
38. PIANO SOLO 10 years & under. Entry \$4.00
First, Second & Third: Trophy
39. PIANO SOLO NOVICE 11 years & under .
Entry \$4.00
First, Second & Third: Trophy
40. PIANO SOLO 12 years & under. Entry \$4.00
First, Second & Third: Trophy
41. PIANO SOLO 13 years & under. Entry \$4.00
First, Second & Third: Trophy
42. BETTA HOME LIVING JUNIOR PIANOFORTE CHAMPIONSHIP 13 years & under. Entry \$6.00
Two pieces to be played.
(a) Any Study
(b) Own Choice
First, Second & Third: Trophy
43. PIANO SOLO 14 years & under. Entry \$5.00
First, Second & Third: Trophy
44. PIANO SOLO 15 years & under. Entry \$5.00
Any Australian Composer
First, Second & Third: Trophy

45. PIANO SOLO POPULAR Entry \$5.00
15 years & under.
Own Choice. Boogie Woogie, Movie Theme,
Jazz, Improvisation or Own Composition.
First, Second & Third: Trophy

46. LOUISE GEORGE INTERMEDIATE
PIANOFORTE CHAMPIONSHIP Entry \$8.00
14-16 years.
2 Contrasting pieces. Time limit 10 minutes.
First: Trophy & \$50.00
Second: Trophy & \$25.00
Third: Trophy & \$15.00

47. PIANO SOLO 18 years & under Entry \$6.00
Time limit 5 minutes.
First: \$50.00 Second: \$25.00

48. PIANO SOLO POPULAR Open Entry \$6.00
Own choice. Boogie Woogie, Movie Theme,
Jazz, Improvisation or Own Composition.
First : \$50.00 Second: \$25.00

49. PIANO SOLO Open Entry \$6.00
Time Limit 8 minutes
First: \$50.00 Second: \$30.00 Third \$20.00

50. ROTARY PIANOFORTE RECITAL Open
Two contrasting pieces to be played. Entry \$10.00
Time limit 12 minutes.
First: Trophy I.P. & \$125.00
Second: \$75.00 Third: \$50.00

DUETS

◆ Trios performed on one piano.

51. PIANO DUET/TRIO 10 years & under Entry \$4.00
First, Second & Third: Trophy

52. PIANO DUET/TRIO 12 years & under Entry \$4.00
First, Second & Third: Trophy

53. PIANO DUET/TRIO 15 years & under Entry \$5.00
First, Second & Third: Trophy

54. PIANOFORTE DUET/TRIO Open Entry \$6.00
First: \$40.00 Second: \$20.00

INSTRUMENTAL SECTION

◆ All items in Instrumental Sections to be Own Choice.

55. ORCHESTRAL STRING SOLO Entry \$4.00
12 years & under
First, Second & Third: Trophy

56. ORCHESTRAL STRING SOLO Entry \$5.00
15 years & under
First, Second & Third: Trophy

57. WOODWIND/RECORDER SOLO Entry \$4.00
12 years & under
First, Second & Third: Trophy

58. WOODWIND/RECORDER SOLO Entry \$5.00
15 years & under
First, Second & Third: Trophy

59. GUITAR 18 years & under Entry \$6.00
First: \$25.00 Second: \$15.00

60. BRASS SOLO 12 years & under Entry \$4.00
First, Second & Third: Trophy

61. BRASS SOLO 15 years & under Entry \$5.00
First and Second: Trophy

62. PERCUSSION SOLO Entry \$6.00
18 years & under
First: \$25.00 Second: \$15.00

INSTRUMENTAL SOLOS

Any instrument other than piano

63. INSTRUMENTAL SOLO BEGINNERS
10 years & under Entry \$4.00
First, Second & Trophy: Trophy

64. INSTRUMENTAL SOLO NOVICE Entry \$5.00
15 years & under
First, Second & Third: Trophy

65. INSTRUMENTAL SOLO Open Entry \$6.00
First: \$50.00 Second: \$25.00 Third: \$10.00

66. INSTRUMENTAL SOLO JAZZ/POPULAR
Open Entry \$6.00
First: \$50.00 Second: \$25.00

67. INTERMEDIATE INSTRUMENTAL
CHAMPIONSHIP Entry \$8.00
15 years & under.

2 contrasting pieces to be played.
Time limit 8 minutes
First: Trophy & \$50.00 Second: Trophy & \$25.00
Third: Trophy & \$15.00

68. INSTRUMENTAL CHAMPIONSHIP Open
2 Contrasting pieces to be played Entry \$10.00
Any classical instrument other than piano.
Time limit 12 minutes
First: Trophy I.P & \$125.00 Second: \$75.00
Third: \$50.00

INSTRUMENTAL DUETS & TRIOS

Any instrument other than piano

69. INSTRUMENTAL DUET/TRIO Entry \$4.00
12 years & under.
First, Second & Third: Trophy
70. INSTRUMENTAL DUET/TRIO Entry \$5.00
15 years & under.
First, Second & Third: Trophy
71. INSTRUMENTAL DUET/TRIO Entry \$6.00
Open.
First: \$50.00 Second: \$20.00 Third: \$10.00

INSTRUMENTAL GROUPS

**A microphone is available for Sections 74, 75, 76.
The following equipment will be provided for
Competitors use: Music Stands, Timpani, Drum Kit**

72. LIONS INSTRUMENTAL/PERCUSSION BAND
Primary School Students Entry \$8.00
To be held Friday 11th August 2016
Time limit 5 minutes
First: \$75.00 Second: \$50.00 Third: \$25.00
73. PRIMARY INSTRUMENTAL BAND
Primary School Students Entry \$8.00
To be held Friday 11th August 2016
Maximum Time 8 minutes.
First: Trophy I.P. & \$75.00
Second: \$50.00 Third: \$25.00
74. BERTRAM FAMILY INSTRUMENTAL BAND
Secondary School Students Entry \$10.00
To be held Monday 14th August 2016
No Vocal - Instrumental only.
2 contrasting pieces. Time limit 10 minutes.
First: Trophy I.P. & \$150.00
Second: \$100.00 Third: \$50.00
75. BERTRAM FAMILY STAGE/BIG BAND
Secondary School Students Entry \$10.00
To be held Monday 14th August 2016
Vocal Permissible
2 contrasting pieces. Time limit 10 minutes.
First: Trophy I.P. & \$150.00
Second: \$100.00 Third: \$50.00
76. INSTRUMENTAL/PERCUSSION ENSEMBLE
Secondary School Students Entry \$8.00
To be held Monday 14th August 2016
Maximum 10 members. Time limit 8 minutes.
Vocal Permissible
First: \$75.00 Second: \$50.00 Third: \$25.00

77. ARTHUR BUNN MEMORIAL SHIELD
Band or Orchestra Open Entry \$12.00
To be held Friday night 11th August 2016.
Contrasting pieces to be played.
Vocal Permissible. Time limit 12 minutes
First: Memorial Shield I.P. & \$200.00
Second \$100.00 Third \$50.00

GALA VARIETY NIGHT

SATURDAY 12th August 2017

Recorded Music permissible in all Sections.

May include novelty, comedy, bush poetry, vocal, etc.

Professional Amplification will be available.

(Up to 7 microphones)

78. GALA SOLO, DUO, TRIO OR QUARTET
15 years & under Entry \$5.00
First: \$20.00 Second: \$15.00 Third \$10.00
79. GALA VARIETY INSTRUMENTAL GROUP
15 years & under Entry \$5.00
May include Rock, Jazz, Pop etc.
May include vocals.
Time limit 8 minutes
First: \$30.00 Second: \$20.00 Third \$10.00
80. GALA SOLO, DUO, TRIO
Open Entry \$6.00
First \$30.00 Second \$20.00 Third \$10.00
81. GALA VARIETY GROUP
Open Entry \$6.00
Time limit 8 minutes
First: \$50.00 Second: \$25.00 Third \$10.00
82. GALA COUNTRY MUSIC Solo, Duo or Group
Open Entry \$6.00
First: \$40.00 Second: \$20.00 Third \$10.00

RULES AND CONDITIONS

1. THESE COMPETITIONS ARE OPEN TO AMATEURS ONLY. AN AMATEUR TO MEAN ONE WHOSE PRINCIPAL INCOME IS NOT DERIVED FROM PUBLIC PERFORMANCE OF THEIR TALENTS IN THE PARTICULAR CLASS THAT THEY MAY ENTER.
2. ENTRIES CLOSE **1ST JUNE 2017** and must be submitted as set out in the official entry form. No entry will be recorded unless accompanied by the full entry fee, (including administration charge). No entry fee will be refunded.
3. THE EISTEDDFOD COMMITTEE reserves the right to refuse any entry and may cancel any section if insufficient entries are obtained. In the event of there being less than three entries in any section, only one prize may be awarded. In the event of there being only one entrant for Sections of individual items, the Committee reserves the right to cancel the section and/or transfer the entrant to another comparable section.
4. Competitors are requested to adhere to date and session allotted.
5. NO RECORDED BACKGROUND MUSIC OR DANCE ROUTINE PERMISSIBLE - UNLESS Specifically indicated in appropriate section. (GALA NIGHT/VOCAL GROUP/CHORAL SECTIONS). CHORAL and VOCAL sections must provide a member to assist operation of backing music.
6. NO ADULTS TO PERFORM IN PRIMARY OR SECONDARY SCHOOL SECTIONS.
7. REPEATING FIRST PRIZEWINNING ITEMS: No competitor or competitors shall give, render or perform, in two successive years, the same item with which they have previously won a first prize, either individually or in conjunction with any partner or group at any competition of the Yarram Eisteddfod Inc.
8. NO COMPETITOR MAY PERFORM THE SAME ITEM TWICE during the Competitions. Competitors in duets and trios may only appear once in any one section.
9. NOVICE COMPETITORS shall not have won first prize in any Pianoforte/Instrumental/Vocal section of any Eisteddfod for the past two years.
10. OWN CHOICE ITEMS: Competitors may state on entry form the title of piece to be performed, if known at closing date. A COPY OF MUSIC OR SCRIPT MUST BE PROVIDED FOR THE ADJUDICATOR AND OFFICIAL ACCOMPANIST IF REQUIRED. All books to be marked at appropriate page with the number of item.
11. BARS IN MUSIC: Vocal, Instrumental and Pianoforte sections to be numbered for adjudicator.
12. AGE LIMIT: In all sections which are subject to an age limit, the age **ON THE DATE FIXED FOR CLOSING OF ENTRIES** shall be deemed to be age of the competitor, and proof of age may be requested.
13. NO PROMPTING OR ASSISTANCE of any kind may be given except by the Adjudicator. (plays excepted).
14. COMMUNICATIONS WITH THE ADJUDICATOR EITHER BY COMPETITORS, TEACHERS OR OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES DURING THE COMPETITIONS ARE STRICTLY PROHIBITED.
15. MUSIC AND EQUIPMENT: The Committee WILL NOT be responsible for any goods left in the hall by competitors.
16. THE ADJUDICATOR HOLDS THE RIGHT to withhold any prize where insufficient merit was displayed.
17. PERPETUAL TROPHIES: These are held by the winners for a period of 11 months and must be returned to the Secretary by **30th JUNE EACH YEAR.**
18. PROTESTS IN WRITING must be lodged at the Secretary's table within 30 minutes of the Adjudicators decision, and accompanied by a fee of \$10.00, which will be forfeited if the protest is deemed unwarranted.
19. THE COMMITTEE RESERVES THE RIGHT to appoint a substitute Adjudicator for an announced Adjudicator, and to divide any section for programme purposes and also to alter any competition time if necessary. Order of appearance on the programme may be changed at the discretion of the Committee.
20. COMPETITORS IN ALL SECTIONS must adhere to these conditions and any infringements may be considered a disqualification.
21. ALL ROYALTIES AND COPYRIGHT FEES payable are the responsibilities of the competitor.
22. PRIVACY ACT. By lodging your entry you agree to your name and/or photo being published in our programmes and other publicity including the Yarram Standard News. Any Competitor who does not wish their photo taken for publicity purposes should inform the Secretary of this fact before the Section commences.
23. THE DECISION OF THE COMMITTEE in all questions and disputes arising out of, or not provided for by these conditions, shall be final. All entries received are subject to the proviso, and shall not be subject to any appeal at law.

