

The 2025 13th Annual

Lower Clarence Music Eisteddfod



**Saturday 21st to
Saturday 28th June**

Adjudicator: Mr Ben Oxley

Venue:

The River Rooms – 38 River Street, Maclean

PROGRAM

The organising committee of the Lower Clarence Music Eisteddfod is pleased to welcome participants and audiences to the 13th annual Music Eisteddfod. Each year we aim to make improvements to the organisation and experience of the event. We seek to expand the level of participation from centres further afield to strengthen the artistic, educational and competitive aspects of the eisteddfod. However, the idea of competition is never to outweigh the supportive and positive learning gained through participation. We wish everyone well and believe that the best rewards gained from being involved are the learning, confidence and experience. We look forward to your continuing support and trust that you will enjoy your time here. The encouragement and support from community organisations and businesses is greatly appreciated by our committee and the participants themselves. A sincere “thank you” is extended to teachers, students and musicians who are taking part.

Congratulations and sincere thanks are extended to our “band” of fantastic volunteers, these “friends of the eisteddfod” who have been willing to give of their time and skill to assist. A particular thank you to my committee who give through interest, skill and time. Thank you all.

Doug Towner (President/Secretary: Lower Clarence Music Eisteddfod)

The Committee

President: Doug Towner	Vice President: Belinda Flowers
Secretary: Doug Towner	Treasurer: Joy de Roos
Diana Gairns	Narelle Green Warren Rackham

The Lower Clarence Music Eisteddfod Association Inc. is a “not for profit” organisation that relies on community support. It is through your generous financial support that we can continue to provide these performance opportunities for our participants.

ADMISSION COSTS:

Adults / session: \$5.00 per person

School children under 18: FREE

Adult Day Pass: \$8.00

Adult Season Pass: \$25.00

Our 2025 Music and Speech & Drama Eisteddfod Adjudicator:

Mr Ben Oxley

We extend a warm welcome to Ben Oxley - adjudicator for the 13th Lower Clarence Music Eisteddfod.



With over 20 years of teaching experience, Ben has helped many students achieve vocal freedom. Ben's own teachers include Eduardo Asquez, Andrew Field and Vernon Mackie, a pupil of Edgar Herbert-Caesari, the author of many books on singing.

Ben's students have achieved numerous exam, scholarship and competition successes, including recording contracts, entry into the Sydney Conservatorium of Music, professional work with Opera Australia, as well as musical theatre and film credits.

Ben has taught at The Italia Conti Academy of Theatre Arts in London, and has also had a private studio in London.

After overseeing The Australian Singing Competition, Ben wrote the eBook 'Sing to Win' that outlines all the aspects of winning a singing competition.

Ben has had the privilege of giving Violette from Nambucca Heads the Junior Championship prize at the 2024 Coffs Harbour Eisteddfod, and she was invited to sing at The Sydney Opera House, and she then went on to perform at the School Spectacular in November 2024.

Ben has previously adjudicated for the eisteddfods of Bathurst, Coffs Harbour, Gladstone, Mildura, Northern Beaches, Ryde, and Wollongong, as well as the National Eisteddfod.

In addition to adjudicating for the Lower Clarence Eisteddfod in 2025, Ben will also be adjudicating for Kempsey and Taree events.

"I am looking forward to adjudicating in Maclean at the Lower Clarence Eisteddfod in June", said Ben.

LOWER CLARENCE MUSIC EISTEDDFOD: PROGRAM OF EVENTS**SATURDAY 21st AM – Session Start at 9.30am****SECTION 282 DRUM KIT INSTRUMENTAL SOLO - 12 Yrs & Under (with backing track)**

1. Will Gunn

SECTION 274 OTHER INSTRUMENTAL – ANY STYLE – OPEN

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| 1. Simon Chung | 2. Luke Young |
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SECTION 283 DRUM KIT INSTRUMENTAL SOLO OPEN (with backing track)

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| 1. Leah Jenkins | 2. Nicole Rodgers | 3. Jonah Plummer |
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SECTION 284 DRUM KIT INSTRUMENTAL SOLO - OPEN (without backing track)

1. Luke Young

**Adjudication****SECTION 114A PIANO SOLO – POP, ROCK OR JAZZ – 8 to 10 YEARS**

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| 1. Lissadel Harris | 2. Will Gunn | 3. Charlotte Billett |
| 4. Charli Corbett | 5. Mila Stapleton | 6. Molly O'Brien |
| 7. Hayley Izzard | 8. Alice Davis | 9. Fern Penfold |

SECTION 111 GRADED PIANO SOLO – 4th & 5th Grades

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| 1. Evie Brown | 2. Harrison Cook | 3. Charlotte Fawkes |
| 4. Evelyn Dinham | 5. Isla Old | |

SECTION 134 PIANO DUET ANY STYLE 16 to 18 Yrs

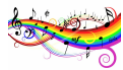
1. Riley Smidt & Toby Smidt

SECTION 100 RESTRICTED PIANO SOLO ANY STYLE 12 to 15 Yrs

1. Travis Smidt

SECTION 116 PIANO SOLO – POP, ROCK or JAZZ – 15 to 18 Yrs

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| 1. Grace Kerridge | 2. Alex Sowell | 3. Riley Smidt |
| 4. Charlotte Fawkes | | |

**Adjudication****SECTION 2 RESTRICTED VOCAL SOLO ANY STYLE 16 to 18 Yrs**

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| 1. Lillie Tasker | 2. Simon Chung |
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SECTION 18 VOCAL SOLO POP, ROCK or JAZZ – 8 to 10 Yrs

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| 1. Aurora Churchill | 2. Silka Hardwick |
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SECTION 22 VOCAL SOLO AUSTRALIAN COMPOSER – 7 Yrs & Under

1. Oliver D'Ippolito

SECTION 23 VOCAL SOLO AUSTRALIAN COMPOSER 8 to 10 Yrs

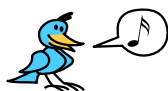
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| 1. Luna D'Ippolito | 2. Alice Davis |
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SECTION 27 VOCAL SOLO TRADITIONAL, FOLK or NATIONAL – 10 Yrs & Under

1. Juliet Barrett
2. Alice Davis



Adjudication



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SATURDAY 21st PM – Session Start at 1.30pm

SECTION 285 STRING ENSEMBLE – OPEN (More than 4) – ANY STYLE (2 contrasting items)

1. String Sensation

SECTION 228 STRING DUET, TRIO, QUARTET or QUINTET – ANY STYLE – OPEN

1. The Mellow Cellos

SECTION 26 VOCAL SOLO - AUSTRALIAN COMPOSER - OPEN

1. Duncan Gray
2. Jacob Quelch

SECTION 52 VOCAL SOLO - ART SONG ROMANTIC, 20TH OR 21ST CENTURY - 11 to 18 Yrs

1. Isla Gray
2. Jasper Parker



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SECTION 218 STRING SOLO BAROQUE OR CLASSICAL 11 to 14 Yrs

1. Sophia Walraven
2. Autumn Enns

SECTION 222 STRING SOLO – ROMANTIC, 20TH & 21ST CENTURY – 11 to 14 Yrs

1. Claude Taylor
2. Autumn Enns
3. Sophia Walraven

SECTION 211 GRADED STRING SOLO 6TH to 8TH GRADE

1. Jasper Parker
2. Julius Taylor

SECTION 223 STRING SOLO ROMANTIC, 20TH OR 21ST CENT. 15 to 18 Yrs

1. Lola Brown
2. Julius Taylor

SECTION 205 STRING SOLO ANY STYLE 16 to 18 Yrs

1. Julius Taylor

SECTION 210 GRADED STRING SOLO – 4TH & 5TH GRADES

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|------------------|---------------|------------------|
| 1. Claude Taylor | 2. Lola Brown | 3. Josiah Parker |
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Adjudication

SECTION 108 PIANO SOLO – ANY STYLE – MATURE AGE (40 yrs +)

1. Mark Williamson

SECTION 106 PIANO SOLO – ANY STYLE – 15 to 18 Yrs

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|------------------|----------------------|------------------|
| 1. Tully Waghorn | 2. Olivia Whitehouse | 3. Julius Taylor |
| 4. Evie Brown | 5. Grace Kerridge | |

SECTION 129 PIANO SOLO – ROMANTIC, 20TH OR 21ST CENTURY – 15 to 18 Yrs

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| 1. Evie Brown | 2. Riley Smidt | 3. Charlotte Fawkes |
| 4. Olivia Whitehouse | | |

SECTION 312 HSC PERFORMANCE INDIVIDUAL

1. Riley Smidt



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SUNDAY 22nd AM - Session Start at 9.30am

SECTION 124 PIANO SOLO – BAROQUE or CLASSICAL – 11 to 14 Yrs

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|------------------|--------------|--------------------|
| 1. Harrison Cook | 2. Ryan Tees | 3. Callum Walraven |
| 4. Sofia Bravo | 5. Isla Old | |

SECTION 119 PIANO SOLO – AUSTRALIAN COMPOSER – 8 to 10 Yrs

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|-------------------|----------------|------------------------|
| 1. Holly Walraven | 2. Alice Davis | 3. Rebecca Oppenheimer |
| 4. Miles Ferguson | | |

SECTION 120 PIANO SOLO – AUSTRALIAN COMPOSER – 11 to 14 Yrs

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|----------------|----------------|-------------------|
| 1. Autumn Enns | 2. Sofia Bravo | 3. Poppy Erbacher |
| 4. Isla Old | | |



Adjudication

SECTION 58 VOCAL SOLO – SELF ACCOMPANIED – OPEN

1. Annabelle Hourigan

SECTION 16 CHARACTER SOLO COSTUMED AND ACTED OPEN

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| 1. Jacob Quelch | 2. Duncan Gray |
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SECTION 35 VOCAL SOLO – SACRED, HYMN or CAROL – 15 to 18 Yrs

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| 1. Lillie Tasker | 2. Annabelle Hourigan | 3. Isla Gray |
| 4. Tayla Walton | | |

SECTION 15 CHARACTER SOLO COSTUMED AND ACTED 16 to 18 Yrs

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| 1. Annabelle Hourigan | 2. Isla Gray |
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SECTION 21 VOCAL SOLO – POP, ROCK & JAZZ – OPEN

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| 1. Duncan Gray | 2. Jacob Quelch |
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SECTION 30 VOCAL SOLO TRADITIONAL, FOLK or NATIONAL 16 to 18 Yrs

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| 1. Isla Gray | 2. Lillie Tasker | 3. Annabelle Hourigan |
| 4. Jasper Parker | | |

SECTION 57 GRADED VOCAL SOLO – ANY STYLE – 6TH to 8TH GRADES

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|-----------------------|----------------|-----------------|
| 1. Annabelle Hourigan | 2. Duncan Gray | 3. Jacob Quelch |
| 4. Isla Gray | | |



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SUNDAY 22nd PM – Session Start at 1.30pm

SECTION 350 OPEN CHOIR

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| 1. Lower Clarence Community Choir | 2. Clarence Valley Community Choir |
| 3. Conservatorium Good Vibes Choir | |

SECTION 59 FAMILY VOCAL OR INSTRUMENTAL – ANY STYLE

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|--------------------|----------------|-----------------|
| 1. Begbie Family | 2. Enns Family | 3. Smidt Family |
| 4. Hourigan Family | | |



Adjudication

SECTION 236 WOODWIND or BRASS SOLO – ANY STYLE – MATURE AGE 40+

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| 1. Kate Begbie |
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SECTION 105B PIANO SOLO – ANY STYLE – 11 to 14 Yrs

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|--------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| 1. Autumn Enns | 2. Poppy Erbacher | 3. Heath Ferguson |
| 4. Kianu Koen | 5. Sofia Bravo | 6. Tommy Parr |
| 7. Callum Walraven | 8. Hope Campbell | 9. Claude Taylor |

SECTION 112 GRADED PIANO SOLO 6TH & 8TH GRADES

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| 1. Sofia Bravo | 2. Claude Taylor |
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SECTION 125 PIANO SOLO BAROQUE OR CLASSICAL – 15 to 18 Yrs

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| 1. Charlotte Fawkes | 2. Julius Taylor | 3. Tully Waghorn |
| 4. Evie Brown | | |



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SECTION 36 VOCAL SOLO SACRED, HYMN or CAROL OPEN

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| 1. Quentin Maclaine | 2. Duncan Gray |
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SECTION 41 VOCAL SOLO – STAGE, FILM, OPERETTA – OPEN

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| 1. Jacob Quelch | 2. Henry Marsh | 3. Duncan Gray |
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SECTION 8 VOCAL SOLO – ANY STYLE – OPEN

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| 1. Jacob Quelch | 2. Duncan Gray | 3. Henry Marsh |
| 4. Piper Ramsey | | |



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MONDAY 23rd AM - Session Start at 9.30am

SECTION 131 PIANO DUET ANY STYLE 10 Yrs & Under

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| 1. Alessia Griffin & Sofia Lane |
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SECTION 132 PIANO DUET ANY STYLE 11 to 13 Yrs

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| 1. Skylah Gonzales & Connie Pavlovic | 2. Elliott Allen & Willow Allen |
| 3. Tom Burgess & Zak Alexander | 4. Ella Carolan & Poppy Erbacher |
| 5. Hope Campbell & Thyah O'Connell | |

SECTION. 105A PIANO SOLO – ANY STYLE – 11 to 14 Yrs

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| 1. Ryan Teese | 2. Joseph Novicky | 3. Willow Allen |
| 4. Lucy Peters | 5. Ella Carolan | 6. Sunny Clark |
| 7. Evelyn Dinham | 8. Thyah O'Connell | |



Adjudication

SECTION 5 VOCAL SOLO ANY STYLE 8 to 10 Yrs

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| 1. Aurora Churchill | 2. Hayley Allomes | 3. Ruby Burgess |
| 4. Juliet Barretti | 5. Elsie Lewis | 6. Isla Ryan |
| 7. Rose McLennan | 8. Rebecca Sharrock | 9. Grace King |

SECTION 12 CHARACTER SOLO COSTUMED AND ACTED 10 Yrs & Under

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| 1. Hayley Allomes | 2. Lissadel Harris | 3. Alice Davis |
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SECTION 38 VOCAL SOLO STAGE, FILM or OPERETTA 8 to 10 Yrs

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|-------------------|-----------------|--------------------|
| 1. Hayley Allomes | 2. Ruby Burgess | 3. Juliet Barretti |
| 4. Elsie Lewis | 5. Isla Ryan | 6. Rose McLennan |
| 7. Silka Hardwick | 8. Grace King | |



Adjudication

MONDAY 23rd PM – Session Start at 1.30pm

SECTION 202 STRING SOLO – ANY STYLE – 10 Yrs & Under

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| 1. Tessa Hall | 2. Lissadel Harris | 3. Kianu Koen |
| 4. Nivana Corbett | 5. Maggie Dillon | 6. Rebecca Sharrock |
| 7. Grace King | | |

SECTION 217 STRING SOLO BAROQUE or CLASSICAL – 10 Yrs & Under

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| 1. Jed Hall |
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SECTION 221 STRING SOLO ROMANTIC, 20TH OR 21ST CENTURY 10 YRS & UNDER

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| 1. Maggie Dillon | 2. Jed Hall | 3. Alice Brotherson |
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SECTION 212 STRING SOLO POP, ROCK OR JAZZ 10 Yrs & Under

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| 1. Jed Hall | 2. Grace King | 3. Maggie Dillon |
| 4. Nivana Corbett | | |

SECTION 208 GRADED STRING SOLO PRELIMINARY & 1ST GRADES

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| 1. Tessa Hall | 2. Rebecca Sharrock | 3. Maggie Dillon |
| 4. Jed Hall | 5. Nivana Corbett | |

SECTION 209 GRADED STRING SOLO – 2nd & 3rd Grades

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| 1. Autumn Enns | 2. Evelyn Dinham |
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Adjudication

SECTION 214 STRING SOLO POP, ROCK or JAZZ – 14 to 15 Yrs

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| 1. Josiah Parker | 2. Lola Brown |
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SECTION 204 STRING SOLO – ANY STYLE – 14 to 15 Yrs

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| 1. Lola Brown | 2. Josiah Parker |
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SECTION 213 STRING SOLO POP, ROCK OR JAZZ 11 to 13 Yrs

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| 1. Ben Burgess | 2. Autumn Enns |
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SECTION 219 STRING SOLO BAROQUE OR CLASSICAL 15 to 18 Yrs

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| 1. Jasper Parker | 2. Lola Brown |
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Adjudication

TUESDAY 24th AM - Session Start at 9.30am

SECTION 103A PIANO SOLO ANY STYLE 7 Yrs & Under

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| 1. Jamie Gosper | 2. Florence Little | 3. Phoenix Parker |
| 4. Liam Smidt | 5. Liam Sozou | 6. Lachlan Bews |
| 7. Jack Dinham | 8. Alessia Griffin | 9. Torah Kelly |
| 10. Bronte Dougheerty | | |

SECTION 103B PIANO SOLO ANY STYLE 7 Yrs & Under

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| 1. Sofia Lane | 2. Molly Scully | 3. Rebecca Trebus |
| 4. Letty Tierney | 5. Ella Verstappen | 6. Sadie Fazio Witchard |
| 7. Charlotte Bramwell | 8. Florence Bennett | 9. Hayley Gould |

SECTION 127 PIANO SOLO ROMANTIC, 20TH OR 21ST CENTURY – 10 Yrs & Under

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| 1. Holly Walraven | 2. Elliott Allen | 3. Archie Dunne |
| 4. Lola Flowers | 5. Rebecca Trebus | 6. Olive Tyacke |
| 7. Alice Davis | | |



Adjudication

SECTION 17 VOCAL SOLO POP, ROCK or JAZZ – 7 Yrs & Under

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| 1. Dottie Fazio Witchard | 2. Oliver D'Ippolito | 3. Phoenix Parker |
| 2. Hayley Gould | | |

SECTION 4 VOCAL SOLO ANY STYLE 7 Yrs & Under

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| 1. Charlotte Barnes | 2. Phoenix Parker | 3. Hayley Gould |
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SECTION 37 VOCAL SOLO STAGE, FILM or OPERETTA – 7 Yrs & Under

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| 1. Charlotte Barnes | 2. Phoenix Parker | 3. Dottie Fazio Witchard |
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SECTION 113 PIANO SOLO POP, ROCK OR JAZZ 7 Yrs & Under

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| 1. Florence Little | 2. Phoenix Parker | 3. Liam Smidt |
| 4. Torah Kelly | 5. Hayley Gould | 6. Liam Sozou |
| 7. Jack Dinham | 8. Letty Tierney | 9. Sadie Fazio Witchard |
| 10. Ella Verstappen | 11. Bronte Dougherty | |

SECTION 114B PIANO SOLO POP, ROCK OR JAZZ 8 to 10 Yrs

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| 1. Harry Dinham | 2. Miles Ferguson | 3. Rebecca Openheimer |
| 4. Nellie Smith | 5. Willa Stowe | 6. Ruby Uebergang |
| 7. Leonora Parker | 8. Grace King | |



Adjudication

TUESDAY 24th PM – Session Start at 1.30pm

SECTION 203 STRING SOLO – ANY STYLE – 11-13 Yrs

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| 1. Sophia Walraven | 2. Ben Burgess | 3. Claude Taylor |
| 4. Evelyn Dinham | 5. Autumn Enns | |

SECTION 115 PIANO SOLO POP, ROCK OR JAZZ 11 to 14 Yrs

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| 1. Ryan Tees | 2. Willow Allen | 3. Sofia Bravo |
| 4. Lucy Peters | 5. Thyah O'Connell | 6. Flynn Crowley |
| 7. Tommy Parr | 8. Autumn Enns | 9. Sunny Clark |
| 10. Ella Carolan | 11. Tom Burgess | |

SECTION 128 PIANO SOLO ROMANTIC, 20TH OR 21ST CENTURY 11 to 14 Yrs

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| 1. Alice Gunn | 2. Callum Walraven | 3. Willow Allen |
| 4. Sofia Bravo | 5. Devavrat Chaven | 6. Claude Taylor |

SECTION 110 GRADED PIANO SOLO – 2ND & 3RD GRADES

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| 1. Alice Davis | 2. Devavrat Chavan | 3. Ryan Tees |
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Adjudication

SECTION 231 WOODWIND OR BRASS SOLO ANY STYLE 10 Yrs & Under

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| 1. Charlotte Billett | 2. Alice Davis | 3. Ruby Burgess |
| 4. Harry Dinham | 5. Oliver D'Ippolito | 6. Olive Sansom |
| 7. Grace Littlechild | | |

SECTION 237 GRADED WOODWIND or BRASS SOLO – Prelim. & 1st Grades

1. Alice Davis

SECTION 241 WOODWIND or BRASS SOLO – POP, ROCK or JAZZ – 10 Yrs & Under

1. Ruby Burgess
2. Alice Davis

SECTION 232 WOODWIND OR BRASS SOLO ANY STYLE 11 to 13 Yrs

1. Ben Burgess
2. Evelyn Dinham
3. Amaya Hampton

SECTION 242 WOODWIND OR BRASS SOLO POP, ROCK OR JAZZ 11 to 13 Yrs

1. Ben Burgess
2. Amaya Hampton

SECTION 238 GRADED WOODWIND OR BRASS SOLO 2nd & 3rd Grades

1. Amaya Hampton

SECTION 239 GRADED WOODWIND or BRASS – 4th & 5th Grades

1. Elena Robertson

SECTION 244 WOODWIND or BRASS SOLO – POP, ROCK or JAZZ – 16 to 18 Yrs

1. Alex Sowell

SECTION 243 WOODWIND OR BRASS SOLO – POP, ROCK or JAZZ – 14 to 15 Yrs

1. Elena Robertson



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WEDNESDAY 25th AM - Session Start at 9.30am

SECTION 123 PIANO SOLO BAROQUE OR CLASSICAL – 10 YEARS & UNDER

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| 1. Alice Davis | 2. Elliot Allen | 3. Dolly Dougherty |
| 4. Lola Flowers | 5. Zak Alexander | 6. Olive Tyacke |
| 7. Will Gunn | | |

SECTION 109 GRADED PIANO SOLO Preliminary & 1st Grades

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|----------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| 1. Charlotte Billett | 2. Skylah Gonzales | 3. Willow Allen |
| 4. Tom Burgess | 5. Harry Dinham | 6. Dolly Dougherty |
| 7. Lola Flowers | 8. Connie Pavlovic | 9. Zak Alexander |
| 10. Flynn Crowley | 11. Remy Tremain | |



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SECTION 13 VOCAL CHARACTER SOLO – COSTUMED & ACTED – 11 – 13 Yrs

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| 1. Thomas Hourigan | 2. Lilly Worthy | 3. Tom Burgess |
| 4. Coby Alexander | 5. Ben Burgess | 6. Aria Scott |

SECTION 24 VOCAL SOLO AUSTRALIAN COMPOSER 11 to 14 Yrs

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| 1. Thomas Hourigan | 2. Aria Scott | 3. Lilly Worthy |
| 4. Ben Burgess | | |

SECTION 28 VOCAL SOLO TRADITIONAL, FOLK or NATIONAL 11 to 13 Yrs

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| 1. Aria Scott | 2. Flynn Crowley | 3. Lilly Worthy |
| 4. Ben Burgess | 5. Thomas Hourigan | 6. Tom Burgess |
| 7. Libby Wrigley | | |

SECTION 39 VOCAL SOLO STAGE, FILM or OPERETTA 11 to 14 Yrs

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|-------------------|-----------------|--------------------|
| 1. Violet Bennett | 2. Lilly Worthy | 3. Tom Burgess |
| 4. Coby Alexander | 5. Aria Scott | 6. Thomas Hourigan |
| 7. Libby Wrigley | 8. Ben Burgess | |



Adjudication

Existing members of the Music Eisteddfod Association can renew their annual membership here at the eisteddfod by completing a renewal of membership form and paying their \$5 to the Treasurer. Forms are available from the admission desk.

WEDNESDAY 25th PM - Session Start at 1.30pm

SECTION 34 VOCAL SOLO – SACRED, HYMN or CAROL – 11 to 14 Yrs

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| 1. Thomas Hourigan | 2. Aria Scott |
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SECTION 54 GRADED VOCAL SOLO – ANY STYLE – Prelim' & 1st Grades

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| 1. Ruby Burgess | 2. Violet Bennett | 3. Tom Burgess |
| 4. Aria Scott | | |

SECTION 6 VOCAL SOLO- ANY STYLE – 11 to 14 YRS

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| 1. Kensi Clifton | 2. Ben Burgess | 3. Violet Bennett |
| 4. Thomas Hourigan | 5. Tom Burgess | 6. Aria Scott |
| 7. Lilly Worthy | 8. Coby Alexander | 9. Flynn Crowley |
| 10. Libby Wrigley | | |



Adjudication

SECTION 104A PIANO SOLO ANY STYLE 8 to 10 Yrs

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| 1. Charlotte Billett | 2. Mia Essex | 3. Jack Gosper |
| 4. Lissadel Harris | 5. Hayley Izzard | 6. Kai Lewis |
| 7. Archie Mitchell | 8. Molly O'Brien | 9. Mila Stapleton |
| 10. Holly Walraven | 11. Elliot Allen | 12. Charli Corbett |
| 13. Jake Pearce | 14. Alice Davis | |

SECTION 104B PIANO SOLO ANY STYLE 8 to 10 Yrs

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|-------------------|--------------------|------------------|
| 1. Willa Stowe | 2. Ruby Uebergang | 3. Alex Chisolm |
| 4. Archie Dunne | 5. Luna D'Ippolito | 6. Lola Flowers |
| 7. Miles Ferguson | 8. Fern Penfold | 9. Isla Ryan |
| 10. Nellie Smith | 11. Leonora Parker | 12. Olive Tyacke |
| 13. Grace King | 14. Remy Tremain | |

SECTION 257 WOODWIND OR BRASS DUET, TRIO OR QUARTET ANY STYLE OPEN

1. Flute Quartet: Kate Begbie, `Veronica Alexander, Elizabeth Moore, Kim Sanders



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THURSDAY 26th AM - Session Start at 9.30am

SECTION 306 SECONDARY SCHOOL VOCAL/AUCOUSTIC INSTRUMENT COMBOS

1. Maclean High School Stage Band

SECTION 311 PRIMARY SCHOOLS ACOUSTIC INSTRUMENTAL ENSEMBLE

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| 1. Maclean Public School Recorders | 2. Maclean Public School Strings |
| 3. Maclean Public School Percussion | 4. Maclean Public School Concert Band |



Adjudication

SECTION 308 JUNIOR PRIMARY SCHOOL VERSE SPEAKING Yrs 3 & 4

1. St Joseph's Primary School Maclean

SECTION 309 SENIOR PRIMARY SCHOOL VERSE SPEAKING Yrs 5 & 6

1. St Joseph's Primary School Maclean

SECTION 301 JUNIOR PRIMARY SCHOOL CHOIR YRS 3 & 4

1. St Joseph's Primary School Maclean

SECTION 300 INFANTS CHOIR K-2

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| 1. Maclean Public School | 2. St Joseph's Primary School Maclean |
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SECTION 314 PRESCHOOL GROUP PERFORMANCE

1. Cubby House for Kids Preschool



Adjudication

SECTION 302 SENIOR PRIMARY SCHOOL CHOIR YRS 5 & 6

1. St Joseph's Primary School Maclean

SECTION 304 SMALL SCHOOLS CHOIR/VOCAL GROUP (PRIMARY SCHOOL)

1. Iluka Public School

SECTION 303 COMBINED PRIMARY SCHOOL CHOIR K-6

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| 1. St James Catholic Primary School | 2. Maclean Public School |
| 3. Pacific Valley + Valley Hope Christian School | |

SECTION 312 HSC PERFORMANCE – INDIVIDUAL

1. Isla Epis



Adjudication

As a support to this event, would you like to join the *Lower Clarence Music Eisteddfod Association*? Your membership means you can have input into the management of the Association. Application forms are available from the Admission Desk.

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THURSDAY 26th PM – Session Start at 1.30pm

SECTION 288 INSTRUMENTAL ENSEMBLE – OPEN

1. Maclean Music Academy Concert Band

SECTION 286 STRING ENSEMBLE SCHOOL AGE (more than 4) ANY STYLE (2 contrasting items)

1. Maclean Music Academy Youth String Ensemble

SECTION 351 SMALL CHAMBER CHOIR

1. Maclean Music Academy Chamber Choir



Adjudication

SECTION 14 VOCAL SOLO – CHARACTER SOLO COSTUMED & ACTED 14 to 15 Yrs

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| 1. Ian Burgess | 2. Remy Tremain |
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SECTION 19 VOCAL SOLO – POP, ROCK or JAZZ – 11 to 14 Yrs

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| 1. Slater Petersen | 2. Lilly Worthy | 3. Ben Burgess |
| 4. Thomas Hourigan | 5. Coby Alexander | 6. Libby Wrigley |

SECTION 7 VOCAL SOLO ANY STYLE – 15 to 18 Yrs

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| 1. Isla Gray | 2. Ian Burgess | 3. Isla Epis |
| 4. Lily Small | 5. Taylor Walton | 6. Daeja Parker |
| 7. Annabelle Hourigan | | |

SECTION 20 VOCAL SOLO – POP, ROCK or JAZZ – 15 to 18 Yrs

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| 1. Zoe Sonter | 2. Daeja Parker | 3. Lilly Small |
| 4. Annabelle Hourigan | 5. Ian Burgess | 6. Isla Epis |
| 7. Isla Gray | | |

SECTION 56 GRADED VOCAL SOLO – ANY STYLE – 4TH & 5TH GRADES

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| 1. Jasper Parker | 2. Lilly Small | 3. Thomas Hourigan |
| 4. Ian Burgess | 5. Lillie Tasker | |



Adjudication

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Our committee always welcomes membership of this Association. Members input is valued and helps to result in ongoing improvement and development. This is such an important event in our community and aims to foster learning and creative development of our entrants and audiences. Your membership means you can have input into the management of the Association. Application forms are available from the Admission Desk.

FRIDAY 27th JUNE AM - Session Start at 9.30am

SECTION 400 VERSE SPEAKING OWN CHOICE 10 Yrs & Under

1. Lissadel Harris

SECTION 402 VERSE SPEAKING OWN CHOICE OPEN

1. Madison Collins

SECTION 403 VERSE SPEAKING AUSTRALIAN POET 10 Yrs & Under

1. Lissadel Harris

SECTION 405 VERSE SPEAKING AUSTRALIAN POET OPEN

1. Madison Collins

SECTION 406 VERSE SPEAKING LIGHT VERSE 10 Yrs & Under

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| 1. Indiana Martin | 2. Lissadel Harris | 3. Hannah Jarrett |
| 4. Alexis Knight | 5. Mabel Mula | 6. Remy Tremain |

SECTION 407 VERSE SPEAKING – LIGHT VERSE – 11 to 14 Yrs

1. Beatrix Woodleigh

SECTION 408 VERSE SPEAKING LIGHT VERSE OPEN

1. Madison Collins



Adjudication

SECTION 411 PROSE SPEAKING – AUSTRALIAN AUTHOR – OPEN

1. Madison Collins

SECTION 412 PROSE SPEAKING NON-AUSTRALIAN AUTHOR 10 Yrs & Under

1. Lissadel Harris

SECTION 413 PROSE SPEAKING – NON-AUSTRALIAN AUTHOR – 11 to 14 Yrs

1. Beatrix Woodleigh

SECTION 415 DRAMA COMEDY RECITAL IN COSTUME – 10 Yrs & Under

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| 1. Alexis Knight | 2. Lissadel Harris |
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SECTION 417 DRAMA COMEDY RECITAL IN COSTUME OPEN

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| 1. Indiana Martin | 2. Madison Collins |
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SECTION 418 DRAMA DRAMATIC RECITAL IN COSTUME 10 Yrs & Under

1. Beatrix Woodleigh



Adjudication

SECTION 421 SIGHT READING (TEXT SUPPLIED THROUGH ADJUDICATOR) 10 Yrs & Under

1. Lissadel Harris

SECTION 423 SIGHT READING (TEXT SUPPLIED THROUGH ADJUDICATOR) OPEN

1. Madison Collins

SECTION 427 DUOLOGUE IN COSTUME 10 Yrs & Under

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| 1. Lissadel Harris & Remy Tremain | 2. Alexis Knight & Hannah Jarrett |
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SECTION 432 JUNIOR SPEECH & DRAMA CHAMPIONSHIP

1st Place \$75, 2nd Place \$50

(Sum of Marks awarded – these are not additional performances)

1. Lissadel Harris

SECTION 433 OPEN SPEECH & DRAMA CHAMPIONSHIP

1st Place \$125, 2nd Place \$75

Sum of Marks awarded – these are not additional performances)

(Announced & presented at the conclusion of this Session)

1. Madison Collins



Adjudication

FRIDAY 27th PM – Session Start at 1.30pm

SECTION 266 UKELELE SOLO ANY STYLE 12 Yrs & Under

1. Austin Dougherty

SECTION 258 GUITAR SOLO ACOUSTIC ANY STYLE 12 Yrs & Under

1. Miles Ferguson

SECTION 261 GUITAR SOLO ACOUSTIC CLASSICAL STYLE 12 Yrs & Under

1. Miles Ferguson
2. Kianu Koen

SECTION 259 GUITAR SOLO ACOUSTIC ANY STYLE 13 Yrs to 16 Yrs

1. Finn Alexander

SECTION 262 GUITAR SOLO ACOUSTIC CLASSICAL STYLE 13 to 16 Yrs

1. Finn Alexander



Adjudication

SECTION 40 VOCAL SOLO – STAGE, FILM or OPERETTA – 15 to 18 Yrs

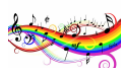
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| 1. Lilly Small | 2. Annabelle Hourigan | 3. Isla Gray |
| 4. Daeja Parker | 5. Lilly Tasker | 6. Tayla Walton |
| 7. Ian Burgess | | |

SECTION 25 VOCAL SOLO – AUSTRALIAN COMPOSER – 15 to 18 Yrs

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| 1. Ian Burgess | 2. Lillie Tasker | 3. Lilly Small |
| 4. Annabelle Hourigan | 5. Isla Gray | |

SECTION 29 VOCAL SOLO – TRADITIONAL, FOLK or NATIONAL – 14 to 15 Yrs

1. Ian Burgess



Adjudication

SECTION 50 VOCAL SOLO ART SONG BAROQUE OR CLASSICAL 11 to 18 yrs

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| 1. Isla Gray | 2. Jasper Parker |
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SECTION 51 VOCAL SOLO ART SONG BAROQUE OR CLASSICAL OPEN

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| 1. Piper Ramsey |
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SECTION 55 GRADED VOCAL SOLO ANY STYLE 2ND & 3RD GRADES

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| 1. Coby Alexander | 2. Flynn Crowley |
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SECTION 31 VOCAL SOLO TRADITIONAL, FOLK or NATIONAL OPEN

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| 1. Duncan Gray | 2. Jacob Quelch |
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Adjudication



SATURDAY 28th JUNE AM - Session Start at 9.30am

SECTION 281 OPEN INSTRUMENTAL CHAMPIONSHIP

1st Place \$150, 2nd Place \$75

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| 1. Luke Young | 2. Jasper Parker |
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SECTION 280 JUNIOR INSTRUMENTAL CHAMPIONSHIP 16 YRS & UNDER

1st Place \$100, 2nd Place \$50

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| 1. Sophie Walraven | 2. Claude Taylor | 3. Lola Brown |
| 4. Elena Robertson | 5. Julius Taylor | |

SECTION 64 JUNIOR VOCAL CHAMPIONSHIP 16 YEARS & UNDER

1st Place \$100, 2nd Place \$50

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| 1. Ian Burgess | 2. Thomas Hourigan | 3. Lilly Small |
| 4. Tayla Walton | 5. Annabelle Hourigan | 6. Lilly Worthy |

SECTION 65 OPEN VOCAL CHAMPIONSHIP

1st Place \$150, 2nd Place \$75

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| 1. Duncan Gray | 2. Piper Ramsey | 3. Jasper Parker |
| 4. Lillie Tasker | 5. Isla Gray | |

SECTION 140 JUNIOR PIANO CHAMPIONSHIP. 16YRS & UNDER

1st Place \$100, 2nd Place \$50

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| 1. Julius Taylor | 2. Sofia Bravo | 3. Isla Old |
| 4. Claude Taylor | 5. Harrison Cook | 6. Olivia Whitehouse |
| 7. Callum Walraven | | |

SECTION 141 OPEN PIANO CHAMPIONSHIP

1st Place \$150, 2nd Place \$75

1. Riley Smidt



Adjudication

Our canteen is open at the Concert Interval for tea, coffee, refreshments and Home cooking (many thanks to our volunteer cooks).

SATURDAY 28th JUNE PM - Session Start at 2.00 PM EISTEDDFOD CELEBRATION CONCERT**CELEBRATION CONCERT**

Performances will demonstrate items from some Championship events and some selected items of excellence from throughout the week-long Program.

The Committee invites you to come along and join with us in the celebration of music performance. Always a concert of high standard showing the variety of music making throughout the **2025 Lower Clarence Music Eisteddfod**.

Ticket prices: Adult - \$10.00 Concession - \$8.00 Children - Free



Did you know that – you could be a member of the *Lower Clarence Music Eisteddfod Association Inc.* Your input to the Committee can assist with planning and the ongoing development of the Music Eisteddfod and of course your \$5 annual membership fee supports the organisation. As a member of the Association, you are entitled to nominate or be nominated for a position on the Committee. The Lower Clarence Music Eisteddfod happens because of volunteers – perhaps you would like to volunteer also. If so please complete one of the forms available from the admission desk and return this with your \$5 to our Treasurer.



OUR CHAMPIONSHIP EVENTS.

These are our most esteemed events in the eisteddfod and have the highest prize money. In music, two additional pieces are to be performed which have higher technical and musical demands.

The Speech and Drama Championships are determined by the sum of marks in other events and don't require additional performances.

Section 64 -Junior Vocal Championship (16 Years & Under)

Bill & Pat Scales Memorial Award

1st Prize -Trophy + \$100. 2nd Prize -\$50

Section 65 -Open Vocal Championship (open to all ages)

Jack Simpson Memorial Award

1st Prize – Trophy + \$150. 2nd Prize – \$75

Section 140 - Junior Piano Championship (16 Years & Under)

Stuart & Ethel Towner Memorial Award

1st Prize -Trophy + \$100. 2nd Prize -\$50

Section 141 – Open Piano Championship (open to all ages).

The Kevin Giese Memorial Award

1st Prize – Trophy + \$150. 2nd Prize – \$75

Section 280 -Junior Instrumental Championship (16 Years & Under)

Mareeba Aged Care Award

1st Prize -Trophy + \$100 2nd Prize -\$50

Section 281 – Open Instrumental Championship (open to all ages)

Eirwen Pewsey Memorial Award

1st Prize – Trophy + \$150. 2nd Prize – \$75

Section 432 – Junior Speech & Drama Championship (14 Years & Under)

Scottish Association Award

1st Prize – Trophy + \$75 2nd Prize – \$50

Section 433 – Open Speech & Drama Championship (open to all ages)

Scales Family Award

1st Prize – Trophy + \$125 2nd Prize – \$75

OUR SPECIAL AWARDS.

- Award for Outstanding Performance in Stage, Film or Operetta 2025
Judy McDermott Award
- Open Choir Section Winner 2025
Marilyn Donelan Award
- Award for Instrumental Performance under 12 Years 2025
Paul & Connie de Dassel Memorial Award
- Vocal Performance Award of Excellence 2025
Rotary Club of Maclean Award
- Senior Vocal Performance Award 2025
Gairns Family Award
- String Performance Award of Excellence 2025
Gerald Gallagher Award
- Award for Outstanding Piano Performance non-Championship 2025
Ted & Joy de Roos Award
- Brass or Woodwind Performance Award of Excellence 2025
Felicity Gallagher Award
- Award for Vocal Performance under 12 Years 2025
Annemiek Munro Award
- Piano Duet Award 2025 (2 of these)
Gwen Berman Award

Cash awards only + certificates but still Special Awards

- School Choirs Support Awards (2 of these)
Rotary Club of Maclean
- Lower Clarence Music Eisteddfod Committee Support Awards (2)
- Judy McDermott Support Award (1)

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