



Canberra High School
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27 April 2017

CHS Senior Band Performances – Open Night & National Eisteddfod

Dear Parents & Carers,

The Canberra High School Senior Band has two major performances during May: the Canberra High School Open Night on May 18, and the Advanced Band Section of the Australian National Eisteddfod on Sunday May 28.

Information about the Open Night and National Eisteddfod performances is attached. There is also information about the purchase of tickets for the Eisteddfod.

Permission slips need to be returned by **Wednesday May 17 AT THE LATEST** (this is the deadline for submitting our entry details for the National Eisteddfod).

Please feel free to contact me with any questions or concerns.

Many thanks for your continued support!

Yours sincerely,

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1. OPEN NIGHT: THURSDAY MAY 18

- VENUE:** CANBERRA HIGH SCHOOL HALL
- WEAR:** Canberra High Uniform
- BRING:** YOUR INSTRUMENT!
Spare reeds, valve oil, etc
- SCHEDULE:**
- 5.30 pm** Arrive at school and go to Multi Purpose Room
 - Get name marked off
 - Start warm up and tuning of instruments, etc
 - 5.55 – 6.10** Perform
 - 6.15 – 6.30** Return to Multi Purpose Room. Pack up.
 - Pick up by parents.

(Parents are welcome to stay and watch the performance!)

Permission Note – Open Night

My child _____ will attend the band performance for the Canberra High School Open Night on May 18, 2017 from 5.30 – 6.30 pm.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Parent Name: _____

Evening contact number (in case of emergency): _____

Please return this slip NO LATER than Wednesday May 17!

2. NATIONAL EISTEDDFOD: SUNDAY MAY 28

VENUE: LLEWELLYN HALL, ANU SCHOOL OF MUSIC

WEAR: Canberra High School band shirt

Black pants/skirt

Black shoes

BRING: YOUR INSTRUMENT!

Spare reeds, valve oil, etc

SCHEDULE: **1.15 pm Arrive at venue.**

Check in with Mrs Currie

1.50 pm Enter Warm-up Room 2

Tune and warm up instruments.

2.20 pm Perform (12 mins)

3.20 pm Adjudicator's Comments & Awards

4.00 pm Go home, and rest!

Information re intermediate Section, if interested in supporting our Year 8 Band, and making a day of it! (Optional)

9.00 am Intermediate Section Session A starts

9.40 CHS Year 8 Band performs

11.15 Adjudicator's Comments and Awards

12.15 Intermediate Section Session B starts

1.30 Adjudicator's Awards and Comments

Permission Note – Eisteddfod Senior Band

My child _____ will attend the band performance at the National Eisteddfod on Sunday May 28, 2017 from 1.15 – 4.00. (approx).

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Parent Name: _____

Parent's Contact Number (in case of emergency): _____

Please return this slip NO LATER than Wednesday May 17!

EISTEDDFOD INFORMATION

1. Tickets

Tickets for the Eisteddfod may be purchased through Trybooking, through Ticketek (a transaction fee will apply) or at Llewellyn Hall. A day ticket covers all the sections in a venue on a given day; a season ticket is ideal for those planning to attend the Eisteddfod (Bands and Orchestras) on more than one day. A ticket is not required for performers.

Ticket prices through Trybooking: <http://nationaleisteddfod.org.au/tickets/>

	DAY	SEASON
Adult	\$15	\$20
Concession	\$12	\$15
Family	\$30	\$40

Ticket prices through Ticketek or at Llewellyn Hall:

	DAY	SEASON
Adult	\$18	\$22
Concession	\$15	\$18
Family	\$36	\$45

NB Credit card and transaction fees will be additional

2. Program Information for 2017

The full program of sections for bands, jazz bands, rock bands and orchestras is provided below, for your information:

Thursday May 25 – Jazz Bands, Lyneham High School, from 4.30 pm

Friday May 26 – Open Concert Bands and Open Brass Bands, Llewellyn Hall, ANU School of Music, 5.30pm-10 pm

Saturday May 27 – 16 years & under and 18 years & under Concert Bands, Llewellyn Hall, ANU School of Music, from 8.15 am

Saturday May 27 –Orchestras and Instrumental Ensembles, Llewellyn Hall, ANU School of Music, from 2.00 pm

Sunday May 28 – High School Band Sections, Llewellyn Hall, ANU School of Music – from 8.00 am – 3.30 pm

Tuesday May 30 – Primary School Bands, Lyneham High School, from 9.15 am

Thursday June 1 – Rock Bands, Canberra Institute of Technology Southside, 4.30pm-8pm

