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The GPS Music Showcase is an extraordinary day of music making culminating in performances by students from all nine GPS schools in Choir, Big Band, Concert Band and Symphony Orchestra.

The 2023 GPS Music Showcase promises to be a memorable musical extravaganza.

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Welcome

As Chairman of the GPS Association for 2023, and on behalf of the nine GPS Headmasters and Principals, I am delighted to welcome you to the 2023 GPS Music Showcase.

Tonight promises to be a wonderful evening celebrating the creativity, talent and dedication of students from across our GPS community. We also pay tribute to the leadership and commitment of the teachers and professional musicians who inspire and develop our students, and our wonderful community of parents

and families who provide invaluable support and encouragement.

I look forward to sharing a magnificent evening of music with you all.

Mr Andre Casson

Headmaster Brisbane Boys College, GPS Association Chairman for 2023



2023 GPS Music Showcase

Program

WELCOME

Ms Alexandra Khafago Director of Performing Arts St Joseph's

Nudgee College, and Chair of GPS Music

Sub-Committee

CHOIR

Conductor Mr Peter Ingram (BGS) Manager Ms Bec Thomas (BGS)

Introduction Mr Andrew Beckingsale (Yr 12, BGS)

Repertoire to be chosen from:

Mother Earth by Harley Mead (SATB) Goodnight Dear Heart by Dan Forrest

Loch Lomond arranged by Jonathan Quick (SATB)

Africa arranged by Roger Emerson (SATB)

BIG BAND

Conductor Mr Leon Wensley (IGS)

Manager Ms Millicent Bourke (IGS)

Introduction Mr Shaman Shan (Yr 12 IGS)

Repertoire to be chosen from:

There's a Boat Dat's Leavin' Soon for New York (from Porgy and Bess) – George Gershwin/arr. Mike Tomaro - Hal Leonard

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Naima by John Coltrane arr. Craig Skeffington - Alfred Publishing

Belwin Division

Teaneck by Nat Adderly arr. Mike Dana - Alfred Publishing Belwin

Division

CONCERT BAND

Conductor Mr Stuart Bent (BBC)

Manager Mrs Bernadette D'Arcy (BBC)
Introduction Mr Xavier Craddock (Yr 12, BBC)

Repertoire to be chosen from:: Joy Revisited by Frank Ticheli Groove Music by Brian Balmages Solas Ane by Samuel Hazo Undertow by John Mackey

SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

Guest Conductor Mr Paul Dean

Manager Ms Karen Hadfield (BSHS)
Introduction Mr Forest Hodas (Yr 12, BSHS)

Repertoire to be chosen from:

Adagio of Spartacus and Phrygia from Spartacus Suite No. 2 by

Aram Khachaturian

Rital Dance by John Rotar

Festival Overture Op.96 By Dimitri Shostakovich

VOTE OF THANKS

BBC Captain of Music Mr Payton Willcocks

CLOSING COMMENTS

Mr Andre Casson Headmaster, Brisbane Boys College,

GPS Association Chairman for 2023

Symphony Orchestra Conductor Mr Paul Dean

Brisbane born and bred clarinetist Paul Dean is widely regarded as one of Australia's foremost musicians in his multiple capacities as soloist, recitalist, chamber musician, composer and Artistic Director. He is currently Associate Professor and Head of Winds at Queensland Conservatorium, Griffith University, co-Artistic Director of Ensemble Q, founding member of the Endeavour Trio and a member of the Australian World Orchestra. He was a founding member and Artistic Director of Southern Cross Soloists and the Bangalow Music Festival, before his appointment as Artistic Director of the Australian National Academy of Music in Melbourne.

In 2022 Paul won the Paul Lowin Orchestral Composition
Prize for his first symphony which was commissioned by the
Australian World orchestra.



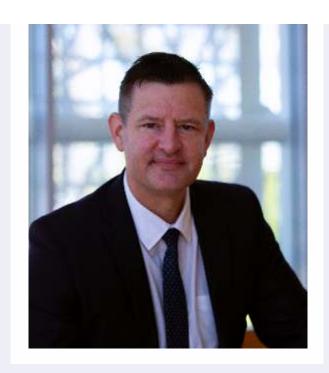
As a composer he recently held the title of Composer in Residence for the Melbourne Symphony Orchestra and has been commissioned to write works for major artists and orchestras including the Australian World Orchestra, Melbourne, Adelaide and Queensland Symphony Orchestras, and for major international artists including Jack Liebeck, Michael Collins and Torlief Thedeen. He is the conductor of the Queensland Youth Orchestra 2 and the Brisbane Symphony Orchestra.

Big Band Conductor

Mr Leon Wensley

Leon Wensley is the Head of Arts and Director of Performance at Ipswich Grammar School and oversees the Instrumental Music Program conducting music ensembles and choirs. In the classroom, Leon teaches Senior Music and Middle School Drama while directing the extra-curricular performance program across The Arts P-12. Leon has collaborated with numerous arts organisations in Australia as both a performer and conductor over his 25-year career including the ABC, Queensland Symphony, Camerata Chamber Orchestra, Queensland Pops Orchestra, Queensland Conservatorium and Queensland Department of Education and Training.

Leon holds both graduate and post graduate qualifications in Music and Education from Griffith University and was recipient of the Sydney May Memorial Scholarship in 1993. Previously winner of the 4MBS Chamber music prize, Qld Yamaha Woodwind Competition and Conservatorium Woodwind Prize, Leon is a passionate advocate for community arts engagement and has been an integral part of increasing boys participation in the Arts at IGS.



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Concert Band Conductor

Mr Stuart Bent

Stuart Bent started learning trombone in the Queensland Education music program in Bundaberg, before attending the Queensland Conservatorium of Music graduating with a Bachelor of Music.

Stuart has performed regularly with many different professional groups including QLD Symphony, QLD Pops and QLD Philharmonic Orchestras, as well as many other smaller ensembles.

Stuart has also toured both nationally and internationally with different groups, including Opera Australia.

Stuart has been heavily involved in the brass band scene, including being a life member and past secretary of Brisbane Excelsior Band. As well as being long



serving Principal Trombonist of the band, he has won solo competitions in QLD, Australia and New Zealand as well as performing in the National Australia Brass band.

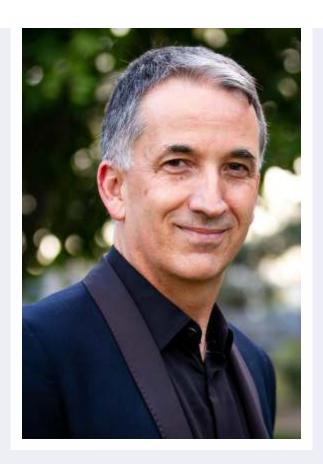
As an educator, Stuart is a highly passionate and experienced teacher who has been teaching for more than 20 years including 15 years at Citipointe Christian College, 7 years at Anglican Church Grammar School and is currently in his 6th year as Head of Brass and Percussion at Brisbane Boys' College.

Choir Conductor

Peter Ingram

Peter Ingram is a noted conductor of school, university and community choirs throughout Australia. He is a graduate of the Queensland Conservatorium of Music and Florida State University (U.S.A.) where he gained his master's degree in choral conducting under the guidance of Rodney Eichenberger and Andre Thomas. Previously the conductor of various choirs at both the Queensland Conservatorium of Music (Griffith University) and the University of Queensland, he currently conducts two choirs as part of the acclaimed community arts organization Voices of Birralee: young adult ensemble Resonance of Birralee (co-conductor) and project-based adult choir Birralee Recycled.

Peter is Head of Music at Brisbane Grammar School where he directs several choirs including the Grammarphones which, in 2010, was awarded the City of Vienna Prize as champion choir at the Summa Cum Laude International Youth Music Festival. He is a long-serving committee member of the Australian National Choral Association (ANCA) at both state and national levels, serving as national president for three years and president of the Queensland Chapter for five years. He was chair of the organising committee for the ANCA national conference Choralfest in 2017. He is in demand as a guest conductor, adjudicator, clinician and workshop leader at various choral events throughout the country.



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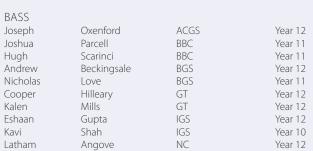
GPS Choir

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CONDUCTOR	?			Alex Eli	Fu Holley	BGS BGS	Year 8 Year 8
Mr Peter Inc	gram (BGS)			Terry	Lee	BGS	Year 8
	_			Jamie	Ma	BGS	Year 7
MANAGER				Samuel	Prasad	BGS	Year 8
Ms Bec Thom	as (BGS)			Eric Oscar	Su Chamberlain	BGS BSHS	Year 9 Year 8
IVIS DEC THOM	d3 (DG3)			Ruby	Dutkowski	BSHS	Year 10
CDC CLIOID C	TAFE AND TUTOR	_		Molĺy	Langdon Macmillan		Year 9
	TAFF AND TUTORS			Annabel	Powrie	BSHS	Year 9
GPS School N	lusic Program Dire	ctors and Staff		Connor James	Brownlie Dixon	TGS TGS	Year 8 Year 8
				Artharsh	Gajaharan	TGS	Year 9
SOPRANO 1					,		
Jacob Thomas	Staggs Zachariah	ACGS ACGS	Year 8 Year 9	ALTO 2	_		
Atti	Kath	BGS	Year 7	Samaksh	Garg	BBC	Year 8
Lily	Dutkowski	BSHS	Year 10	Diesel Yannick	Batson Cotta	GT GT	Year 7 Year 7
Tenaya	Fernando	BSHS	Year 8	Darcy	Dowd	GT	Year 8
Boudica	Gotlucky	BSHS	Year 12	Julian	Geldenhuys	GT	Year 9
Chantelle	Griffin	BSHS	Year 8	Stirling	Mattes	GT	Year 7
Quentynne	Liu	BSHS	Year 10	Fergus	O'Regan	GT	Year 9
Emma Meia	Mok	BSHS BSHS	Year 8 Year 10	Thomas	Wong	GT	Year 8
Felix	Yong Beaumont	GT	Year 9	Alexander	Boyson	IGS	Year 9
Reuben	Fulloon	GT	Year 8	Nikhil	Venkat	IGS	Year 8
Parker	Toomey	GT	Year 8	1ST TENOR			
				Louis	Beatty	ACGS	Year 12
SOPRANO 2				Charles	Hartwright	ACGS	Year 11
Jake	Hylkema	ACGS	Year 9	Anthony	Diakos-Masters	BBC	Year 12
Ethan Alexander	Chen Scott	BGS BGS	Year 8 Year 8	Leith	Jennings	BBC	Year 12
Zachy	Yap	BGS	Year 8	Keeran	Chang	BGS	Year 9
Dian	Butler	GT	Year 7	Jollie	Windo	BGS	Year 11
Elias	Ford-Murphy	GT	Year 7	Owen	Hume	GT	Year 9
Hamilton	Holland	GT	Year 9	Lucas	McIntosh	GT	Year 11
Orlando	Long	GT	Year 8	Daniel	Araba	IGS	Year 10
Isaiah	Wijemanne	GT	Year 8	Zacharias	Carvolth	IGS	Year 7
Hamish Ethan	Wood Dahl	GT NC	Year 8 Year 7	Hunter	Ireland	NC	Year 11
Lachlan	Pattison	NC NC	Year 8	Ben	Sands	NC	Year 9
Carter	Thompson	NC	Year 7	Harrison	Bland	TGS	10
				Ruben	Kruger	TGS	Year 9
ALTO 1				Flynn	Holliday	TSS	Year 10
Gordon	Rae	ACGS	Year 9	Jaydn	Ryan	TSS	Year 12
William	Shooter	ACGS	Year 8				
Andrew	Do	BGS	Year 10	2ND TENOR		1.000	
Ferrell	Dong	BGS	Year 7	Lachlan	Dunks	ACGS	Year 12



BARITONE

DAKITONE			
Sebastian	Buchner	ACGS	Year 12
Lawson	Heraghty	ACGS	Year 12
Abhishek	Bogahawatta	BBC	Year 12
Maxwell	Roberts	BBC	Year 11
Connor	Fitzpatrick	BGS	Year 11
Sam	Long	BGS	Year 11
Felix	Mihala	GT	Year 11
Dominic	Tucker	GT	Year 11
Benjamin	Cooper	IGS	Year 12
Christo	Prince	IGS	Year 10
Robert	Fitzgerald	NC	Year 11
Hugh	Thompson	NC	Year 8
George	Bain	TGS	Year 10
Ruben	Fitton	TGS	Year 12
Samuel	Freer	TGS	Year 12
Massimo	Abela	TSS	Year 12
Angus	Robinson	TSS	Year 12







GPS Big Band

CONDUCTOR

Mr Stuart Bent (BBC)

MANAGER Mrs Bernadette D'Arcy (BBC)

GPS BIG BAND STAFF AND TUTORS
GPS School Music Program Directors and Staff



SAXOPHONE – Shaman William	- ALTO Shan Anderson	IGS TGS	Year 12 Year 12
SAXOPHONE – William Lachlan	-TENOR Brett Brownlie	ACGS TGS	Year 12 Year 12
SAXOPHONE – Cooper	- BARITONE Schulz	IGS	Year 12
TRUMPET Oli Oliver Max Ethan	Mann Waterhouse Herbert Standbridge	BBC BGS IGS TSS	Year 12 Year 12 Year 12 Year 10
TROMBONE Hunter Elliot Tom Bailey	Luostarinen Chiang Beckmann O'Mara	ACGS BGS GT IGS	Year 8 Year 12 Year 11 Year 11
PIANO Darren	Tong	IGS	Year 11
GUITAR Daniel	Williams	GT	Year 11
DOUBLE BASS Toby	Garraway	ACGS	Year 12
DRUM KIT Sebastian	Wright	GT	Year 11

GPS Concert Band

CON		

Mr Leon Wensley (IGS)

MANAGER

Millicent Bourke (IGS)

GPS CONCERT BAND STAFF AND TUTORS

GPS School Music Program Directors and Staff

FLUTE / PICCOLO

James	Dully	ACGS	rear 9
Gabin	Won	ACGS	Year 10
Angellina	Liu	BSHS	Year 11
Jessie	Su	BSHS	Year 12
Sharon	Su	BSHS	Year 11
OBOE			
Leon	Qin	BGS	Year 12
Cormaic	Dunne	GT	Year 10

BASSOON

Ellis	Hogan	ACGS	Year 11
Alexander	Macfarlane	BGS	Year 11

CLARINET

Aaron	Remedios	BBC	Year 11
Will	Neilson	BGS	Year 10
Ben	Reinke	BGS	Year 12
Natalie	Austin	BSHS	Year 9
Joseph	Lee	GT	Year 12
Henry	Geise	NC	Year 8
Alby	Galbraith	TGS	Year 8
Gabriel	Schubert	TGS	Year 12
Finlay	Waring	TGS	Year 9

BASS CLARINET

James Brough	BGS	Year 11
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SAXOPHONES

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William	Dique	ACGS	Year 11
Alexander	Lay	BGS	Year 9
James	Murray	BGS	Year 12
Ike	Martinez	GT	Year 11
Oscar	Plant	GT	Year 12

Jackson

TRUMPET			
Daniel	Rosengren	ACGS	Year 12
Xavier	Craddock	BBC	Year 12
James	Fearon	BGS	Year 12
Tom	Rutter	BGS	Year 12
Max	Ward	BSHS	Year 9
Robert	Mansfield	TGS	Year 1

TGS

Year 11

Smiddy

TROMBONE

Thomas	Dwyer	ACGS	Year 11
Allen	Liu	BGS	Year 10
Micah	Lo	BSHS	Year 8
Yuvraj	Kang	GT	Year 12
Sebastian	Toms	IGS	Year 11

EUPHONIUM

Junpeng	Huang	BBC	Year 11
Nicholas	Rumsey	BBC	Year 11

IUBA			
Ray	Kwon	BSHS	Year 11
Wade	Lucas	NC	Year 12

PERCUSSION

Dimitri	Karanicolas	ACGS	Year 11
Hayden	Zhu	ACGS	Year 11
Chanuka	Kariyawasam	BBC	Year 12
Lucas	Lu	BGS	Year 10



GPS Symphony Orchestra

GUEST CONDUCTOR

Mr Paul Dean

MANAGER

Ms Karen Hadfield (BSHS)

GPS SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA STAFF AND TUTORS
GPS School Music Program Directors and Staff



FLUTE Eunsu Thomas	Choi Mallet	BSHS NC	Year 12 Year 12
OBOE Bill Eunice	McCart Choi	ACGS BSHS	Year 11 Year 12
CLARINET SAnnabelle Nicholas Nethul	Freeman Clulow Manamperi	BSHS TGS TGS	Year 12 Year 12 Year 9
BASSOON Thomas Thomas	Druve Dixon	GT TGS	Year 12 Year 12
FRENCH HORN Dario Ed Cormac Maxey	Lim Cooper Prescott Tho	ACGS BGS BGS BGS	Year 11 Year 11 Year 9 Year 9
TRUMPET George Daniel Jonah	Forrest Frederiksen Lee	ACGS ACGS BBC	Year 12 Year 12 Year 8
TROMBONE Sean Alexander Benjamin	McCallion Chalvatzis Chalvatzis	BBC IGS IGS	Year 8 Year 12 Year 12
TUBA lan	Но	BBC	Year 11
PIANO Forest	Hodas	BSHS	Year 12
HARP Myiesha	Maisuria	BSHS	Year 12

PERCUSSION				VIOLA	
Oliver	Tu	BGS	Year 11	Llewellyn	Hosking
Rhiannon	Hermann	BSHS	Year 12	Ashton	Trevor-Rol
William	Gu	GT	Year 12	Adam	Chua
Liam	Tse	GT	Year 10	Sze Yong	Ng
				Joseph	Simonetta
VIOLIN				Isaac	Taylor
Eric	Kim	ACGS	Year 10	Jovan	Yen
Junee	Kim	ACGS	Year 10	Jinha	Kim
Lachlan	Mills	ACGS	Year 12	Brooke	Shim
Jacob	Aziz	BBC	Year 11	Jinxiang	Li
Benjamin	Eom	BBC	Year 11		
Matthew	Jung	BBC	Year 9	CELLO	
Leonardo	Lynch	BBC	Year 12	James	Aralar
Ollie	Pratt	BBC	Year 12	Leo	Callaghan
Joseph	Huang	BGS	Year 10	Jason	Sia
Lachlan	Leow	BGS	Year 12	Sean	Beak
Christopher	Lui	BGS	Year 12	Payton	Willcocks
Dylan	Paschkewitz	BGS	Year 10	Max	Gao
David Matthew	Sun	BGS BGS	Year 12	Aiden	Xiao
Blaire	Wong Xu	BGS	Year 12 Year 10	Hanneli	Djachenk
	Yu	BGS	Year 10 Year 11	Patrick	Phillips
Joe (Zhaopeng) Mia	Chen	BSHS	Year 10	Anna	Robbins
Sophia	Jones	BSHS	Year 12	Zachary	Battocchio
Will	Phillips	BSHS	Year 12	Max	Carr
Chengzhi	Sun	BSHS	Year 10		
Qiyan (Alicia)	Tiang	BSHS	Year 10	DOUBLE BASS	
Andrew	Xiao-Tang	BSHS	Year 11	Ben	Bryant
Max	Beckmann	GT	Year 11	Jarrah	Chien
Max	Chan	GT	Year 11	Ryan	Philpot
Hugo	Panizza	GT	Year 12	Daniel	Aloysius
Alexander	Richards	GT	Year 11		
Leo	Rossetti	GT	Year 11		
Jackson	Lorenz	IGS	Year 11		
Kyle	Grassick	TSS	Year 10		

Ashton	Trevor-Roberts	BBC	Year 11
Adam	Chua	BGS	Year 9
Sze Yong	Ng	BGS	Year 12
Joseph	Simonetta	BGS	Year 10
Isaac	Taylor	BGS	Year 12
Jovan	Yen	BGS	Year 12
Jinha	Kim	BSHS	Year 11
Brooke	Shim	BSHS	Year 10
Jinxiang	Li	TSS	Year 12
CELLO			
James	Aralar	ACGS	Year 11
Leo	Callaghan	ACGS	Year 12
Jason	Sia	ACGS	Year 12
Sean	Beak	BBC	Year 11
Payton	Willcocks	BBC	Year 12
Max	Gao	BGS	Year 9
Aiden	Xiao	BGS	Year 11
Hanneli	Djachenko	BSHS	Year 9
Patrick	Phillips	BSHS	Year 9
Anna	Robbins	BSHS	Year 10
Zachary	Battocchio	TSS	Year 12
Max	Carr	TSS	Year 12
DOLIDI E DACC			
DOUBLE BASS	D	DCC	V12
Ben Jarrah	Bryant Chien	BGS BGS	Year 12 Year 11
	Philpot	BGS	Year 9
Ryan Daniel	Aloysius	TSS	Year 12
Darrier	Aloysius	133	TCal TZ

BBC

Year 11





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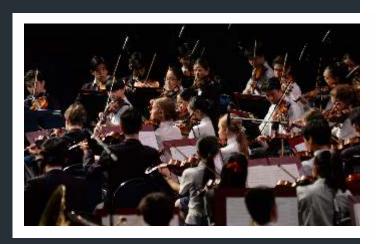
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