

STRINGS

Provisional Dates: Saturday 2nd; Sunday 3rd November 2019
at Marian Vian Primary School, Shirley Crescent, Beckenham, BR3 4AZ

Entries: CLOSING DATE – 1ST OCTOBER, using the online entry form, or by post to
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ADJUDICATOR: FIONA MCLEAN-BUECHEL

An accompanist is available for these classes, except ensembles. Please see the Official Accompanists page for details.

The Cynthia Whitfield Bursary will be awarded to the most promising string player as decided by the adjudicator

<u>Class No.</u>		<u>Fee</u>	<u>Award</u>
STRING BEGINNERS			
ST1	Age 7 and under Not more than 7 terms tuition Own choice. Time limit 2 minutes	£7.00	Medal
ST2	Age 8 – 11 Not more than 4 terms tuition Own choice. Time limit 2 minutes	£7.00	Medal
ST3	Age 12 and over Not more than 4 terms tuition Own choice. Time limit 2 minutes	£7.00	Medal

STRING GRADED CLASSES

The Cynthia Whitfield Memorial Trophy will be awarded to the competitor gaining the highest mark in classes ST4 – ST7

The standards set by the major examining boards should be used as a guide for the choice of pieces in these classes. Any competitor presenting an inappropriate piece will be penalised. Competitors may enter only once in classes ST4 – ST7, except where different instruments are played.

ST4	Grades 1 – 2 Own choice of one piece or movement	£7.50	Medal
ST5	Grades 3 – 4 Own choice of one piece or movement	£7.50	Medal
ST6	Grades 5 – 6 Own choice of one piece or movement	£8.00	Medal
ST7	Grades 7 – 8 Own choice of one piece or movement (If Grade 8 has been passed before January this year please enter ST25)	£8.50	Medal

VIOLIN AND VIOLA CLASSES

These cups will be awarded to the competitors gaining the highest mark in the following classes –

Winifred Handy Trophy – ST8 – ST11

Hugh Bean Cup – ST12 – ST13

ST8	Age 6 and under Own choice of one piece or movement	£7.00	Medal
ST9	Age 7 – 8 Own choice of one piece or movement	£7.50	Medal
ST10	Age 9 – 10 Own choice of one piece or movement	£7.50	Medal
ST11	Age 11 – 12 Own choice of one piece or movement	£7.50	Medal
ST12	Age 13 – 14 Own choice of one piece or movement	£7.50	Medal
ST13	Age 15 – 18 Own choice of one piece or movement	£8.00	Medal

CELLO AND DOUBLE BASS CLASSES

The Margaret Napier Memorial Cup will be awarded to the competitor gaining the highest mark in classes ST14 – ST17

ST14	Age 8 and under Own choice of one piece or movement	£7.50	Medal
ST15	Age 11 and under Own choice of one piece or movement	£7.50	Medal
ST16	Age 14 and under Own choice of one piece or movement	£7.50	Medal
ST17	Age 18 and under Own choice of one piece or movement	£8.00	Medal

STRING RECITAL CLASSES

Own choice of two or three pieces which should be of contrasting styles and periods. Credit will be given for the choice of programme.

ST18	Age 8 and under Own choice as above. Time limit 5 minutes	£8.00	Medal
ST19	Age 11 and under Own choice as above. Time limit 8 minutes	£9.00	Beryl Hartley Cup
ST20	Age 14 and under Own choice as above. Time limit 10 minutes	£9.00	Sue Carmichael Memorial Cup
ST21	Age 18 and under Own choice as above. Time limit 12 minutes	£9.50	Nicolaou Cup
ST22	Open Own choice as above. Time limit 15 minutes	£10.00	Andreas Nicolaou Memorial Trophy

STRING OPEN CLASSES

ST23	Sonata or Sonatina Own choice of one movement. Time limit 10 minutes	£8.50	Medal
ST24	Concerto Own choice of one movement. Time limit 15 minutes	£8.50	Decca Cup
ST25	Own choice Own choice of any one piece or movement. Time limit 10 minutes	£8.50	Tripp Cup

STRING LIGHT MUSIC CLASS

TV themes, popular songs, jazz:

ST26	Any age Own choice of one piece. Time limit 4 minutes	£8.00	Medal
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STRING DUET CLASSES

The Kreisler Cup will be awarded to the competitors gaining the highest mark in classes ST27 – ST31

Any combination of string instruments, with or without accompaniment

ST27	Age 11 and under Own choice. Time limit 4 minutes	£8.50	Medals
ST28	Age 14 and under Own choice. Time limit 5 minutes	£8.50	Medals
ST29	Age 18 and under Own choice. Time limit 6 minutes	£9.50	Medals
ST30	Open Own choice. Time limit 8 minutes	£9.50	Medals
ST31	Family Duet Any age. Performers must be related. Own choice. Time limit 5 minutes	£8.50	Medals
ST32	Teacher and Pupil Duet The teacher will not be adjudicated Own choice. Time limit 4 minutes	£7.00	Medal

STRING CHAMBER GROUPS

The Humberston Cup will be awarded to the group gaining the highest mark in classes ST33 – ST36

One instrument per part, with or without piano.

ST33	Age 11 and under Own choice. Time limit 8 minutes	£15.00	Medal
ST34	Age 16 and under Own choice. Time limit 10 minutes	£18.00	Medal
ST35	Age 18 and under Own choice. Time limit 10 minutes	£18.00	Medal
ST36	Open Own choice. Time limit 10 minutes	£20.00	Medal

Mixed instrument chamber groups – see Woodwind, Brass and Ensembles section

Do you play another instrument or sing as well? See Music Versatility Classes