

SYLLABUS – ALL ORCHESTRAL INSTRUMENTS

Please read this syllabus in conjunction with the Rules and Regulations for the Festival together with the Festival's Safeguarding Policy. Both documents are downloadable from the website.

YOUNG INSTRUMENTALIST OF THE YEAR 2022

Award £100 for any orchestral instrumentalist – Strings, Wind or Brass.
2nd place - £50.

Performers must be aged between 13 & 18 years, and must enter 2 classes, one of which MUST be a recital class. (111–112, or 202-203).

Young Instrumentalist Awards are made at the discretion of the adjudicator and are subject to the winner receiving a mark of Distinction or Outstanding. Previous first placed winners of this award are not eligible.

This winners will be expected to perform at the Festival Showcase in April/May when the cash awards will be presented.

THE RICHMOND BOROUGH CUP

This will be awarded at the discretion of the adjudicator to the outstanding player in the instrumental Section who is resident in the borough of Richmond upon Thames or attends school/college or has music lessons within the borough. All awards are made at the adjudicator's discretion.

ENSEMBLES

Any style of music: classical, jazz, rock etc. **Any combination of instruments. 2 or more players.** Names of all performers, instruments and style of music to be stated on the entry form. Performers may enter the same class in different groups. Classes may be divided by music style.

Class	Class title	Age	Time limit	Fee. (max £12 per group)	Trophy/award
102	Junior Ensemble	12 & under	5 mins	£3.50 for each player	Pringle Cup
103	Intermediate Ensemble	15 & under	7 mins	£4.00 for each player	Ensemble cup
104	Ensemble (up to 20 players)	18 & under	10 mins	£12	Shield

FAMILY & FRIENDS

Class	Class title	Age	Time limit	Fee	Trophy/award
113	Family & Friends Group**	Any Age	5 mins	£8 per group	Silver Salver

** Any group which includes at least two members of the same family or close friends. **Any instruments**, any style. One piece or movement.

MUSICAL VERSATILITY

Each performer to play a solo on two different instruments in any style (wind, brass, strings, voice). The same piece may not be performed in a different class or section. All solos may be accompanied but please note there is no official accompanist for the Instrumental section.

Class	Class title	Age	Time limit	Fee	Trophy/award
115	Musical Versatility*	18 & under	4 mins per instrument	£6.00	Edward Bostock Cup

The above classes may be held on either March 6th or March 19th/20th at - Kew Community Centre. The Avenue, Kew, TW9 2AJ depending on the number and spread of entries and timetabling considerations. Specific requests should be made to the Section Secretary at the time of entry.

WIND AND BRASS SECTION

MARCH 6TH 2022

Afternoon & Evening- Kew Community Centre. The Avenue, Kew, TW9 2AJ.

Performers in this section who are eligible for the Young Instrumentalist of the Year prizes should notify the Section Secretary of their interest at the time of entry.

RECITAL CLASSES

Wind/Brass and Percussion Instruments.

Time limits should be calculated as 'total performance time' including breaks between items. Credit will be given for choice of programme, which would usually include 2 or more contrasting pieces, and may include sonata movements, but not concerto movements. Entrants should choose one recital class to enter.

Class	Class title	Age	Time limit	Fee	Trophy/award
201	Junior Recital	12 & under	7 mins	£8.00	Cup with 110
202	Intermediate Recital	15 & under	10 mins	£9.00	Cup with 111
203	Senior Recital	18 & under	15 mins	£12.00	£20 with 112

WIND AND BRASS CONCERTO CLASSES

One Movement only. Performers must provide their own accompanist.

Class	Class title	Age	Time limit	Fee	Trophy/award
204	Junior Concerto	12 & under	7 mins	£8.00	Cup with 106
205	Intermediate Concerto	15 & under	8 mins	£9.00	Cup with 107
206	Senior Concerto	18 & under	10 mins	£10.00	Cup with 108

OWN CHOICE CLASSES

Open to all BRASS or WIND INSTRUMENTS (including recorders).

One piece or one movement ONLY, with or without accompaniment. If Time limits are insufficient for the age stated, these performers should be entered either in class 212 or the age group with the appropriate Time limit. Performers may enter more than one class but not play the same piece in any two classes.

Class	Class title	Age	Time	Fee	Trophy/award
207	Own choice	Any age Beginners. (up to grade 2)	2 mins	£5.00	Medals
208	Own choice	9 & under	2 mins	£5.00	Cup with 209
209	Own choice	12 & under	4 mins	£6.00	Cup with 208
210	Own choice	15 & under	5 mins	£7.00	Cup
211	Own choice	18 & under	6 mins	£8.50	Medals
212	Own choice	Any Age	8 mins	£8.50	Medals

STRING SECTION

MARCH 19TH AND 20TH 2022

Kew Community Centre. The Avenue, Kew, TW9 2AJ.

19th March All day. March 20th Afternoon and evening.

Performers in this section who are eligible for the Young Instrumentalist of the Year prizes should notify the Section Secretary of their interest at the time of entry.

STRING CONCERTO CLASSES

One Movement only. Performers must provide their own accompanist.

Class	Class title	Age	Time limit	Fee	Trophy/award
106	Junior Concerto	12 & under	6 mins	£8.00	Cup with 204
107	Intermediate Concerto	15 & under	8 mins	£9.00	Cup with 205
108	Senior Concerto	18 & under	10 mins	£10.00	Cup with 206

RECITAL CLASSES

Open to all String Instruments including Harp & Guitar.

Time limits should be calculated as 'total performance time' including breaks between items. Credit will be given for choice of programme, which would usually include 2 or more contrasting pieces, and may include sonata movements, but not concerto movements. Entrants should choose one recital class to enter. For harp entrants - the Hugo von Sydow Memorial Junior & Senior Challenge Cups presented by Mrs E Seale may be awarded.

Class	Class title	Age	Time limit	Fee	Trophy/award
110	Junior Recital	12 & under	7 mins	£8.50	Cup with 201
111	Intermediate Recital	15 & under	9 mins	£9.00	Cup with 202
112	Senior Recital	18 & under	15 mins	£12.00	£20 with 203

BACH CLASS

Class	Class title	Age	Time limit	Fee*	Trophy/award
114	Bach Solo**	Any Age	10 mins	£7.00	Jubilee Cup

**Any Work by JS Bach written or transcribed for unaccompanied stringed instrument. One or two related movements.

OWN CHOICE CLASSES

Open to ALL stringed instruments (inc guitar and harp).

One piece or one movement ONLY, with or without accompaniment. If Time limits are insufficient for the age stated, these performers should be entered either in class 122 or the age group with the appropriate Time limit.

Class	Class title	Age	Time limit	Fee	Trophy/award
117	Own choice String Solo	7 & under	1½ mins	£4.00	Pringle - Beginners' Cup
118	Own choice String Solo	9 & under	3 mins	£6.00	Violin & 'Cello cups
119	Own choice String Solo	11 & under	4 mins	£7.00	Violin & 'Cello cups
120	Own choice String Solo	14 & under	5 mins	£7.00	Violin & 'Cello cups
121	Own choice String Solo	18 & under	7 mins	£8.00	Violin & 'Cello cups

122	Own choice String Solo	Any age	8 mins	£8.00	Medals
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INSTRUMENTAL CUPS TO BE AWARDED 2022

Cup/Award	Class No.
Young instrumentalist of the Year Winner. Cyril Kemplay trophy and Award £100	All Wind & Strings
Young instrumentalist 2 nd £50 +cup	All Wind & Strings
Richmond Borough Cup	Richmond residents
Violin solo - Frazer Cup	118-121
'Cello solo - 'Cello Cup	118-121
Beginners Strings – Pringle cup	117
Ensemble Junior – Pringle cup	102
Ensemble Cup- Intermediate	103
Ensemble Shield	104
Family and Friends - Salver	113
Bostock cup for Musical versatility	115
Bach solo	114
Concerto Advanced	108/206
Concerto Intermediate 15 & under	107/205
Concerto Cup Junior 12 & under	106/204
Wind & Brass Cup Age 15 & under	210
Wind & Brass cup Age 12 & under	208/209
Recital Senior - £20	112/203
Recital Cup Intermediate (15 & under	111/202
Recital Cup Junior (12 and under)	110/201
Harp – Hugo von Sydow Senior	Harp performers
Harp – Hugo von Sydow Junior	Harp performers

Some cups are awarded to the highest marked performer in the Wind/Brass and String classes. Performances are carefully evaluated and adjudicators in the various instrumental disciplines are aware of this and will confer if necessary before awards are made.