

OZ SCHOOLS INSTRUMENTAL CHAMPIONSHIPS



A competition for Australia's best up-and-coming musicians.

VICTORIAN STATE FINAL

October 18-26

OFFICIAL PROGRAM

PIANO

Saturday October 18th



PLANO - Primary Junior (Prep - Grade 2)

8:00am

1. Vivaan Agarwal

2. Kristy Ching

3. Gabriel Gouzali

4. Han Huang

5. Charlotte Le

6. Audrey Li

7. Andrea Li

8. Millie Liu

9. Victoria Mahardika

10. Reina Murasugi

11. Kayleen Natalie Prationo

12. Nathaniel Qin

13. Liesl So

14. Henry Tang

15. Oliver Teoh

16. Emily Tran (NSW)

17. Ellie Wang

18. Veronica Wang

19. Cain Wills

20. Charlie Zhang

21. Zachary Zheng

22. Amelia Xin Yi Zhong

23. Yaqian Zhou

PLANO - Primary Intermediate (Grade 3-4)

10:00am

1. **Chloe Wan Ling Chan (SA)**

13. **Eyan Tan**

2. **Charlotte Chong**

14. **Liam Tran (NSW)**

3. **Jonathan Clarke**

15. **Minh Long Vi (SA)**

4. **Ashley Hadisurya**

16. **Yuetong Wang**

5. **Wisley Hsu**

17. **Adrian Wang**

6. **Bruce Huang**

18. **Albert Zhi-Le Wei**

7. **Ryan Jamshidi**

19. **Audrey Xue**

8. **Oscar Kong**

20. **Ethan Yicheng Zhang**

9. **Maxwell Lorchirachoonkul**

21. **Zander Zhao**

10. **Patrick Ng**

22. **Bowen Zhao**

11. **Orelia Shi**

23. **Gloria Zheng**

12. **Honglin Song**

24. **Tyler Zhou**

PLANO - Primary Senior (Grade 5-6)

12:00pm

1. Alexander Cui

12. Lokwan Leung

2. Greg Mitchell Junn Dizon

13. Ryan Yuchen Lu

3. Dominic Rafael Ching Dy

14. Angelina Ma

4. Noah Franklin

15. Evan Quah

5. Olivia Hou

16. Leonel Bradley Recchia

6. Joshua Hu

17. Faith Tan

7. Melody Huang

18. Marcus Tang

8. Elaine Yan Huang

19. Jayden Wan

9. Leila Ishida

20. Bowen Wang

10. Angela Jin

21. Elaine Wu

11. Ted Lee

22. Muchen Yu



PLANO – Secondary Junior (Year 7-9)

3:00pm

I. Lucas Cai

II. Evan Quach

2. Kimberley Chong

I2. Diya Rose (SA)

3. Samuel Garikapati

I3. Liren Andy Sun

4. Felipe Huang

I4. Alan Tang

5. Ayden Lau

I5. Yukina Tiong 

6. Mia Lee

I6. Romeo Xiao

7. Sheung Zachary Li

I7. Marcus Yuen 

8. Garion Liew

I8. Rachel Zha

9. Taylor O’Connell

I9. Waters Zhang

IO. David Qiao

20. Fiona Zhao

PLANO - Secondary Senior (Year 10-12)

5:00pm

1. **Arjun Ahilan**
2. **William Bradford-Stute**
3. **Ayana Fridkin**
4. **Yeseo Lee**
5. **Bon Martin**
6. **James Powrie**
7. **Micah So** 
8. **Aiden Vasquez-Lozano**
9. **Joshua Webel**
10. **Karina Wongso** 

STRINGS

Sunday October 19th



STRINGS - Primary Junior (Prep - Grade 2)

8:00am

1. Hannah Hong

5. Collin Jai

2. Mikael Huang



6. Hayley Lee

3. Amanda Huang

7. Leah Williams

4. Isabelle Yeo

8. Chloe Faith Yeo

STRINGS - Primary Intermediate (Grade 3-4)

1. Vera Cheah

8. Alice Siyu Li

2. Isabelle Chong

9. Jack Liu

3. Darren Jai

10. Amelia Ooi

4. Hayden Kuan

11. Duomi Wang

5. Taewoo Kwon

12. Dallas Xie

6. Kimi Law



13. Audrey Xue

7. Annabelle Leung

14. Ethan Zhang

STRINGS - Primary Senior (Grade 5-6)

10:30am

1. **Samyak Cuddapah**

9. **Rhea Sabari**

2. **Greg Mitchell Junn Dizon**

10. **Lucia Sharples**

3. **Qianyou Amy Du**

11. **Shihan Bella Tai**

4. **Eric Gong**

12. **Kensay Tan**

5. **David Kuhadas**

13. **Leon Wang**

6. **Ryan Yuchen Lu**

14. **Liona Wu**

7. **Helios Ma**

15. **Gina Yu**



8. **Tiaa Poh**

16. **Ryan Zhang**

STRINGS - Secondary Junior (Year 7-9)

1:30pm

1. Lucas Cai

8. Amelia Thean

2. Brian Gong

9. Joshua Tran

3. Felix Huang

10. Hannah Tsai

4. Lene Huang

11. Ella Vu

5. Shafer Sagor

12. Thomas Yutao Wang

6. Samvitti Srivastava

13. Waters Zhang

7. Andrew Tan

14. Beatrix Parton



STRINGS - Secondary Senior (Year 10-12)

1. Amelie Payne

4. Matilda Robson

2. Chase Quirit

5. Arthur Toovey

3. Rachel Rizk

DRUMS

Saturday October 25th



DRUMS - Primary Junior (Prep - Grade 2)

8:00am

1. Vivaan Agarwal



2. Mason Hu

3. Liam Liew

4. Rui Liu

5. Kendrick Manuel

6. Chase McGuire

7. Parsa Rabiei

8. Samuel Tjhandana

DRUMS - Primary Intermediate (Grade 3-4)

9:00am

1. **Rain Adamopoulos**

12. **Keegan Lee**

2. **Owen Yian Chai**

13. **Callum Liew**



3. **Allan Chanlee**

14. **Ehren Liyanage**

4. **Liam Crawford (SA)**

15. **Adam Sharp**

5. **George Digance (SA)**

16. **Damien Shi**

6. **Brian Duan**

17. **Brianna Sun**

7. **Harper Gray**

18. **Jevin Vidane**

8. **Wynton Inman**

19. **Noah Yuchao Wang**

9. **Lucas Kong**

20. **Jeremiah Wang**

10. **Hannah Lai**

21. **Orlando Zhang**

11. **Kimi Law**

DRUMS - Primary Senior (Grade 5-6)

11:30am

1. **Fozan Ahmed (SA)**

2. **Nathan Alfred**

3. **Max Brock**

4. **Alfie Bucknall**

5. **Zhenyu Chen**

6. **Thomas Daly**

7. **Joshua Franklin**

8. **Aryssa Gall**

9. **Aadyah Gupta**

10. **Bavindu Hindagolla**

11. **Neil Jaiswal (NSW)**

12. **Gavin Jayasinghe**

13. **Helitha Karunaratne**

14. **Siddharth Kelaiya**

15. **En Lei**

16. **Yicheng Li**

17. **Andrew Meikle**

18. **Krish Nagarajan**

19. **Ethan Nigli** 

20. **Akshay Palta**

21. **Patrick Reidy**

22. **Levi Sargent**

23. **Charlie van Stokrom**

24. **Bailey Vella**

25. **Timmy Zhang**

26. **Lorne Hong**

DRUMS - Secondary Junior (Year 7-9)

3:00pm

1. **Krishna Ahilan**

2. **Gabriella Andrews**

3. **Jehoash Arulanantham**

4. **Coen Boothman**

5. **Andrew Chen-Schmeiss**

6. **Ellis Cheng**

7. **Tom Crescitelli (SA)**

8. **Xander Feo**

9. **Luca Gao**

10. **Harry Gee**

11. **Julian Gomes**

12. **Felix Jia**

13. **Bowie Luckie**

14. **Rian Narang**

15. **Aadhi Naveen**

16. **Keaton Robertson**

17. **Aidan Spratling**

18. **Max Walton**

19. **Mannix Woods**

20. **Hao Zhan**

21. **Richelle Zhang**

22. **Prince Peng**



23. **Toby Calia**

DRUMS - Secondary Senior (Year 10-12)

5:30pm

1. Jacoby Ah-Dore

10. Arianna Krebs

2. Lachie Allen

11. Jordan Palmieri

3. Lewis Aubrey

12. Will Reimers

4. Ethan Birch

13. Ashton Sears

5. Isaac Bradford-Stute

14. Eli Smith

6. Charlie Dodd

15. Oskar Wilson

7. Bailey Jansen van Vuuren

16. Harrison Worth

8. Lachlan Jones

17. James Sparks

9. Tejas Kapoor

GUITAR

Sunday October 26th



GUITAR - Primary Senior (Grade 5-6)

8:00am

1. **Ayein Arambepola**

9. **Sarah Phang (SA)**

2. **Sebastian Daumann (SA)**

10. **Kiran Reddy**

3. **Tahereh Fallah (SA)**

11. **Oliver Rodda**

4. **Mengyang He**

12. **Adam Stockwell (SA)**

5. **Deepshika Karthick**

13. **Charlotte Suttor**

6. **Sanuki Kumarage**

14. **Jaime Ugrinovski**



7. **Arthur Manzutti Araujo**

15. **Oscar Wang**

8. **Luca Paschalis**

16. **Theodore Harber**

GUITAR - Secondary Junior (Year 7-9)

10:00am

1. **Mahaan Akula (SA)**

2. **Shaurya Anand**

3. **Vivaan Bhageria**

4. **Joaquin Castro** 

5. **Andrei Conesa Anghel**

6. **Patrick Conley**

7. **Harry Gee**

8. **Tate Hammer**

9. **Pranesh Jeyaprakash**

10. **Beau Leon (SA)**

11. **Raywinn Li**

12. **Logan Millar** 

13. **John Nisbet**

14. **Thiyon Subadrage**

15. **Armin Taheriasnaashari (SA)**

16. **Winston Tan**

17. **Lac Tran**

18. **Vivaan Verma**

19. **Ashton Weston**

20. **Max Yan**

21. **Vincent Yan (SA)**

22. **Roy Zhang**

23. **Daniel Zhou**

GUITAR - Secondary Senior (Year 10-12)

1:30pm

1. **Rishi Ahmed**

2. **Brenton Baker (SA)**

3. **Oscar Bonner**

4. **Jack Brien**

5. **Sam Carbone**

6. **Thomas Corovic**

7. **Max Filippone**

8. **Ronan Hart**

9. **Liam Holt**

10. **Harry Jenkin**

11. **Kevin Jose**

12. **Tejas Kapoor**

13. **Noah Kentley**

14. **Ruby Kerger**

15. **Jacob Lee**

16. **Sam Moore** 

17. **Catherine Nguyen (SA)**

18. **Dylan Nguyen**

19. **Billy Richardson (SA)**

20. **Malsawmsang Tuallawt**

21. **Amarli Wearne**

22. **Saskia Amore**

23. **Andre Lewis** 

JUDGES – Piano

Jonathan Reynard Kristono



Jonathan Reynard Kristono is a Melbourne-based pianist, composer, and educator with international performance and teaching experience. He has appeared at the Melbourne Recital Centre's Now or Never festival and composed original works for the Indonesian musical Temulawak, staged at St Kilda Theatre in 2025.

Holding a Licentiate of the London College of Music (LLCM) in Piano, Jonathan currently teaches students across Victoria, preparing them for AMEB, Trinity, and ABRSM exams.

Yiyun Gu

Yiyun Gu is an Australian pianist and music educator with a broad professional career, highly regarded for her work with advanced students. She holds a Master of Music from the University of Melbourne and has refined her performance artistry through advanced training in the UK and Italy.

A finalist in the Australian National Piano Award, she has performed at major venues and festivals, including multiple recitals at the Melbourne Recital Centre and the Port Fairy Spring Music Festival.



JUDGES – Strings

Helena Wang



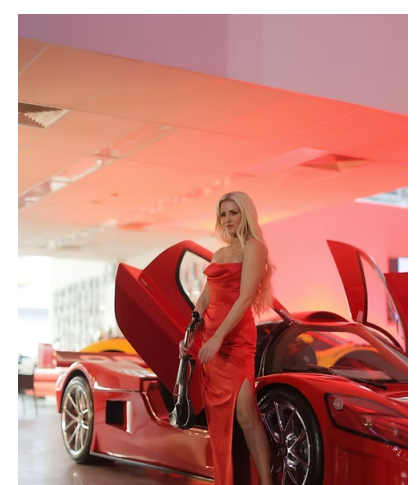
Helena is a professional violinist and educator with extensive orchestral, chamber, and solo experience. She holds a Bachelor of Music (Honours), AMusA (distinction) and has performed as Casual First Violin with the Queensland Symphony Orchestra and as a core member of Camerata, Queensland's Chamber Orchestra.

Her performances include appearances with the Australian Youth Orchestra, solo and chamber concerts at the Bangalow Music Festival and SummerSalt Festival, and international performances with the University of Queensland Symphony Orchestra in Xi'an, China.

Suzannah Calvert

Suzannah is a Melbourne-based professional violinist and educator who began her musical journey at age four. She trained at the College of the Arts Secondary School and holds a Bachelor of Music, building a career that spans classical performance, contemporary music, and teaching at some of Melbourne's most prestigious schools.

Specializing in electric violin, Suzannah has performed for high-profile events including the Women's FIFA World Cup, Melbourne Cup Carnival and Melbourne Fashion Week.



JUDGES – Drums

Rachel Trainor



Rachel Trainor is a New Zealand-born, Melbourne-based drummer, vocalist and multi-instrumentalist. After studying music at University of Otago in Dunedin, she has since studied with Dave Elitch and Benny Greb.

Rachel has performed and toured with Stephanie Lake's Manifesto, Highwire Entertainment's Rebel and The Defiant, and was head musician at Dracula's Cabaret Melbourne. Her session and live credits include Amanda Palmer, The Merindas, Die Roten Punkte, Coda Chroma, and her solo project Nighteyes.

Campbell Phillips

Campbell Phillips is a Melbourne-based drummer and educator, founder of D²Drumline, and Drumline Director for the Victorian State Schools Spectacular.

He has performed with the Top Secret Drum Corps, Blue Devils International Corps, and collaborated with artists including What So Not and the Melbourne Symphony Orchestra. Campbell is a specialist educator and an international artist for Mapex Drums, Zildjian Cymbals, Evans Drumheads, and Promark Sticks.



JUDGES – Guitar

Anthony Mastrullo

Anthony Mastrullo is a Melbourne-based guitarist with over a decade of professional experience, performing and composing across blues, ragtime, jazz, and rock styles. As both a solo artist and collaborator, he's shared stages with guitar legend Tommy Emmanuel, and toured internationally in Japan & Vietnam.

A graduate of Box Hill Institute with a Bachelor of Music (Jazz/Contemporary Performance), Anthony's work blends virtuosic technique with jazz-influenced expression. He currently leads the jazz fusion group PDBH and performs widely as a session musician across Melbourne.



Fiona Steele

Fiona Steele is a Melbourne-based singer, songwriter, and guitarist with over two decades of guitar study. She performs nationally through her solo folk-rock project FJ Steele and as part of the indie folk duo GraceJean, and has collaborated with artists including Ruth Hazleton, Nat Vazer, The Maes, and Hayley Mary (The Jezabels).

Fiona's experience spans intimate folk venues, musical theatre orchestra pits, and large festival arenas. She holds a Bachelor of Music (Performance – Classical Guitar) from Monash University and is leading educator in guitar performance and composition.



