



Music for Youth 2022 National Festival

Date:	Friday 8 July 2022 / Saturday 9 July 2022
Venue:	Symphony Hall / Town Hall / CBSO Centre
Music Mentor(s):	Joanna Mangona and Shaun Thompson
Group name:	Mountbatten Wind Band
Repertoire:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Concert Prelude▪ Incantations



Feedback:

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▪ **Concert Prelude**

- A strong and assured start to your performance today
- Clean and precise playing with fantastic percussion accompaniment
- Well done to the piccolo - your tuning was spot on
- Good dynamic contrasts that add colour and excitement to the piece
- You articulate well, clean
- Your phrases are musically played and you move through the music with elegance
- Confident lower brass playing that really does underpin the band beautifully
- The passages are technically demanding but each section delivers them with ease
- Well done to the percussion section for driving this piece so musically
- The lower brass blend so well
- A vibrant piece played with energy

▪ **Incantations**

- Again, technically very very good
- Fantastic percussion work - excellent, precise and wonderful
- What a gorgeous percussion and flute /piccolo duet - musically delivered and absolutely in tune
- A rhythmically challenging piece of music that ebbs and flows but you move with it gracefully
- The phrases swell so beautifully - the melodies are emotive and you play them maturely
- You handle the cross rhythms so well and play them confidently and again with musicianship
- Each section is holding their own so well in this piece - you have rehearsed very very well
- The climactic nature of the music means you must make sure your dynamics vary and they certainly do so well done!



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A wonderful performance - thank you.

Still make sure you keep focussing on the basics of your musicianship - tuning and intonation, even more phrase shaping and dynamics.

An excellent performance.

Signed: Joanna Mangona
08/07/22

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