

The City of Kingston & Kingston Arts Centre
in association with
Kingston's Municipal Bands' Network proudly
Present the

14th Annual Massed Bands' Concert

Featuring
(in order of appearance)

Southern Area Concert Band
MoJO - Mordialloc Jazz Orchestra
Chelsea Concert Band
Combined Training Bands
Moorabbin Brass Band/John Mallinson Youth Band



PROGRAMME

Southern Area Concert Band
Rhapsody On An Old English Sea Song - composed by Stuart Johnson
With My Swag - composed by Sean Thorne
Cole Porter in Concert - arranged by Eliot Del Borgo

MoJO - Mordialloc Jazz Orchestra *Big Band Medley*

Chelsea Concert Band
A Soldier's March - composed by Robert Cronin
Gonna Fly Now - arranged by Robert Lowden
English Folk Song Suite - composed by Ralph Vaughan Williams
1. Seventeen Come Sunday
3. Folk Songs From Somerset

INTERVAL

Combined Training Bands
Little Brown Jug
Lord of the Dance

Moorabbin Brass Band/John Mallinson Youth Band
Trumpet Voluntary - John Stanley
Three African Spiritual; Go Down Moses, Lord, What a Morning, Joshua Fit
the Battle of Jericho
Serenade for Hosepipe - Alan Civil (Hosepipe solo: Joseph Yu)
English Folk Song Suite - Ralph Vaughn-Williams (Conductor: David Singh)
Glacier Express - Larry Neeck (Conductor: Carlos Escobar)

Massed Bands' Finale

Carmen
Count Basie Salute
Star Wars
Beyond the Higher Ski

* Master of Ceremonies
Peter Northwood
President, Southern Area Concert Band

SOUTHERN AREA CONCERT BAND

The Southern Area Concert Band is one of Victoria's premier community based ensembles. Sponsored by the City of Kingston and based in Moorabbin, the Southern Area Concert Band family has been contributing to Melbourne's rich cultural life by providing award-winning quality music to the public since 1971.

This diverse range of people, ages and backgrounds is cemented together by our love of performing live music both within our local community and around Australia. Our music library consists of a huge variety of styles ranging from classical and movie themes to big band and pop. Of course, no concert band library would be complete without a variety of marches and a selection of music wind band composers such as Ralph Vaughn Williams, Gustav Holst, Percy Grainger and John Philip Sousa.

Southern Area Training Band

The Southern Area Training Band is a concert band comprising of woodwind, brass and percussion. This band was established to provide beginning and returning musicians an entry-level ensemble to refine their skills before progressing to entry into main concert band. Currently under the baton of Miss Eve Macleod, the training band also provides music for a variety of community events each year.



Phone: Darryn Wright (Musical Director) on 0401 988 141 or info@sacb.com.au

Musical Director: Darryn Wright

Darryn Wright joined Southern Area Concert Band in 1997 playing alto saxophone and took on the role of President in 1998. He held this position until taking over the role of the band's Music Director in 2006 following Craig Seymour's retirement.

Darryn has been playing music (keyboard) since the age of 5 and during his time at Southern Area, Darryn has played alto saxophone, tenor saxophone, flute and percussion.

Since moving to Melbourne from Tasmania in 1996, Darryn has also performed with numerous instrumental and vocal ensembles around Melbourne and is currently on the executive of the Victorian and National bodies of The Australian Band and Orchestra Directors' Association

MoJO - THE MORDIALLOC JAZZ ORCHESTRA

MoJO plays great swing charts directly from the great era of the big bands. The Orchestra's many ensembles vary in size from 4 to 40 players (depending on the event) and all strive to create a performance atmosphere that is exciting and enjoyable to both audience and band. MoJO is truly a community group where anyone is welcome to join and participate regardless of their experience, age or standard. There are many highlights in the orchestra's annual performance calendar including dinner dances, formal occasions (such as ANZAC and civic services), the Australian Formula 1 Grand Prix, the fabulous month long Big Band Sunsets Festival (produced by MoJO) and their 'Singalong with MoJO' concert in August. MoJO hope that you enjoy our performance today and share some of our fun! They also hope to see you at our other events which you can find out about at www.mojoswing.com.au or call 0401 063 267

MoJO in Training

The Mordialloc Jazz Orchestra in Training has a fabulous membership of enthusiastic and committed jazz musicians spanning from the age of 5 to 65. Everyone is welcome to come along and have a play. The rehearsals aim to encourage the joy of making music together in a supportive atmosphere exploring the jazz idiom.

Musical Director: Peter Foley



Peter Foley has been Musical Director of MoJo for the last 15 years. Under his tutelage the band has won numerous awards for their accessible blend of swing and jazz standard tunes, as well as inaugurating the Big Band Sunset series. Peter has been Head of Brass at Wesley College for 22 years and MD of their internationally renowned Big Band since 2001. Since then Wesley's Big Band has taken out the National Championship 3 times and State Championships 6 times, and has toured China in 2003 and USA in 2005 and 2007. Delete Canteen information please. Small wonder that Peter was chosen by James Morrison to be awarded as the inaugural Jazz Band Director of the Year at the National Stage Band Championships in 2006!

CHELSEA CONCERT BAND

The Chelsea Concert Band has been performing music in the City of Kingston since 1986. The 25 members of the concert band enjoy playing a diverse selection of musical styles, and take pleasure in performing in many community events as well as their own concert in October.

The concert band rehearses at the Chelsea RSL Hall on Monday nights at 7:30pm and welcome anyone in joining the band. For more details contact:

Phone: Trevor Beswick (President) on 9511 8687 or 0419 328 215

Email: Kylie Goy (Secretary) chelseaconcertband@hotmail.com

Musical Director: Steven Miklic

After completing his Bachelor of music at the Victorian College of the Arts Steven went to teach with the department of education where he undertook the coaching of many instruments and groups. His conducting has also taken him through a number of community bands, orchestras and musical theatre groups to where he currently enjoys directing Chelsea Concert Band. Although Steven has only been directing the group a little less than a year he is thoroughly enjoying its warm and friendly atmosphere.



MOORABBIN BRASS BAND/JOHN MALLINSON YOUTH BAND

Found in 1878 as the Moorabbin Shire Band, the Moorabbin Brass Band has a remarkable history of over 131 years. The band is active as a brass ensemble group, performing for the community at Anzac and Citizenship ceremonies, music festivals, church services, school fetes and AFL Grand Final Parades.

Being a medium size brass ensemble, the band explores repertoire for brass in all dimensions: from Gabrieli to Gershwin, from 16th century renaissance music to jazz.

Together with two music students from Melbourne University, Joseph Yu co-founded the Youth Bands Program in 2008. Its purpose is to recruit, train, and inspire talented young wind, brass and percussion musicians from all over Melbourne. Currently they are running the John Mallinson Youth Band, a 25-piece immediate-level wind ensemble.

The Moorabbin Brass Band rehearses on Tuesday evening from 7:15 p.m. to 9:15 p.m. Players interested in joining the band can contact:

Joseph Yu (Musical Director) on 0431 963 877 or josephlyu@optusnet.com.au

Musical Director: Joseph Yu

Joseph Yu has been the Director of the Moorabbin Brass Band since 2005. Trained as a trombone performer from the Royal Northern College of Music in Manchester, England, Joseph has acquired his passion for brass band music through active participation in the college brass band as well as community brass bands across northern part of England.



Since his arrival in Australia in 2004, Joseph has been actively involved in performance, conducting and teaching. He teaches brass at the Mount Waverley Secondary College and Camberwell Girls Grammar School. He also coached and conducted at the Melbourne University and the Melbourne Youth Music.

Joseph has been a sought-after band clinician and band conductor. He has been the resident clinician for the Bendigo School Music Program's Music Week in 2006 and has been invited back to Hong Kong to hold band clinics and to conduct both school bands as well as professional wind orchestras.

Besides teaching and conducting, Joseph is also a sought-after trombone soloist. Joseph has been performing with his wife, Jennifer Chou, in concerts featuring trombone and organ, performing both nationally and internationally.