



## Introducing Intermediate Band

Thursday 5 May 2016

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

I am writing to you to introduce you to the Sacred Heart College Intermediate Band.

The Intermediate Band will be predominantly a Grade 7 band, made up of students from the Option B and Option E music classes, selected Grade 7s from other Options classes and percussionists from Grade 6. As a member of one of these classes, your child will be in the Intermediate Band.

The Intermediate Band will challenge students to improve their playing technique and to develop their musicianship and self-confidence. During this year the band will participate in public performances of the pieces rehearsed in weekly music lessons.

Some of these performances, including the Secondary Music Concert (at GYC's Don Bosco Centre for the Performing Arts), the Clarence Eisteddfod and the Soiree will take place out of school hours. Please see the attached sheet for dates and times of these performances.

The Intermediate Band may also be performing at local Catholic primary schools and at the SHC primary school assemblies during school hours.

Bands perform at their best when all members are present so it is expected that all students in the band will participate in performances. I do acknowledge, however, that from time to time, for very good reasons, a student may not be able to attend a performance. So, although these performances are some months away, I would like to ascertain now who will be attending the out of hours performances.

Could families please check their calendars and diaries and save the dates, then please complete the attached reply slip to confirm your child's participation in each performance. All forms should be returned to the school office by Friday 13 May.

I will provide further information closer to each event once I have received confirmation of attendance. Feel free to contact me by email at [ccoen@shc.tas.edu.au](mailto:ccoen@shc.tas.edu.au) or on 6279-4090, if you have any questions.

Yours sincerely,

Carmelita Coen  
Band & String Ensemble Co-ordinator

# 2016 Intermediate Band Planned Performances Confirmation of Participation

(Please complete & return to the College office by Friday 13 May)

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

- I confirm that my child will/will not participate in the **Secondary Music Concert** at the Don Bosco Performing Arts Centre, Guilford Young College, Glenorchy on Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> September starting at 7.30 pm (7.00 pm arrival).

Name of Parent/Caregiver: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

- I confirm that my child will/will not participate in the **Clarence Eisteddfod**, Citywide Church, Mornington on Monday 5th September starting at 5.30 pm (5.00 pm arrival).

Name of Parent/Caregiver: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

- I confirm that my child will/will not participate in the Sacred Heart College **Soiree** on Wednesday 14th September starting at 6.00pm (5.30 pm arrival).

Name of Parent/Caregiver: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_