



2022 50th Annual

Piano Eisteddfod Program

Adjudicator Miguel Wu

Section Organiser Alice Jamison

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Venue: Coffs Harbour Regional Conservatorium

SATURDAY 28th May 2022

SUNDAY 29th MAY 2022



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ADMISSION PRICES

(Cash only)

Session Tickets

Adult	\$5
Family (2 adults, 2 children)	\$12
Child/pensioner	\$3

Season Tickets

Adult	\$35
Family (2 adults, 2 children)	\$80

RULES FOR PIANO 2022*

1. Each entrant must supply the adjudicator with an unlicensed copy (photocopy) of the piece to perform provided that:
 - a) the original is used by the entrant for performance or is able to be presented at the venue for inspection and
 - b) the committee destroys the copy immediately after adjudication.
2. Music must be clearly marked with competitor name and section name and handed to the librarian 20 minutes PRIOR to commencement of the session.
3. All entrants in a championship section must enter in at least 2 (two) other piano solo sections. One section must include either Baroque, Romantic, Classical, or own age section. Duets, family fun, accompaniment and own composition sections are not included.
4. Competitors must compete in at least 3 (three) solo sections to be eligible for all major awards.
5. Solo sections include own composition section and concerto section.
6. Highest aggregate awards will include all sections with the exception of duet and fun events.
7. To be eligible for a scholarship candidates must compete in a minimum of 4 sections.
8. Novice section is open to any student who has not won a first place at any Eisteddfod.
9. No repeats are to be played
10. All time limits must be strictly adhered to.
11. Any section with less than 3 performers can be combined at the discretion of the committee.
12. Own Composition award will be judged both on the performance and the composition.
13. Open section is open to all ages. All entrants must be amateur musicians.
14. The Eisteddfod reserves the right to:
 - a) refuse an entry
 - b) cancel a section (e.g. due to lack of entries)
 - c) vary the prizes (e.g. when insufficient entries perform)
 - d) demand proof of age of an entrant in an age section, or proof of amateur or professional status.

* In conjunction with general rules on our website www.coffseisteddfod.org.au

MIGUEL WU

ADJUDICATOR

Miguel Wu is a pianist, singer, composer, and conductor. Born in Taiwan, Miguel began having music lessons at the age of two and a half, studying piano at seven, and conducting choir at fourteen.

Miguel holds a Graduate Diploma in Music in aural pedagogy and a Master of Music from the University of Queensland. He undertook further pedagogy and performance training from the Queensland Conservatorium and Indiana University, USA (Summer Camp). He is currently undertaking further study and training at The Juilliard School (New York).

Miguel won numerous piano competitions and compositions in Australia and has been awarded the “Most Outstanding Music Performance” award. He has performed as a soloist in Australia, Paraguay, United States, and around Europe.

In 2011 Miguel recorded and released a self produced album titled *From The Sky*, which has been broadcast on Australia’s ABC Classic FM radio station and Qantas Airline Q Streaming.

As a singer, Miguel has won the Taiwanese Singing Competition held in Asuncion, Paraguay. He has performed in major arenas such as Qudos Arena in Sydney, Brisbane Entertainment Center, The Gabba, and Queensland Performing Arts in Brisbane.

Currently, Miguel is an examiner with the Australian Music Examinations Board. He is a former committee member of the Queensland Piano Competition and a former Event Manager of Instrumental and Chamber Music for the Brisbane Eisteddfod.

Miguel conducts vocal and band workshops for schools, churches, and community music groups and adjudicates piano, instrumental, voice, and choir auditions and competitions in Australia and overseas. He has adjudicated auditions and competitions in Australia – New South Wales, Queensland, Victoria, Tasmania, and United States. He also operates and teaches a busy private music studio in Brisbane.



Saturday 28th May 2022`

Commencing 9:00 AM

Please arrive 20 mins prior to commencement

100 - Piano Solos - 7 Years and Under - Piano Solo

Kindly sponsored by the Walraven family

- 1 Olive O'Neill
- 2 Devavrat Chavan

- 3 Theo Williams
- 4 Seng Nu Nan Lahpai

1st.....

2nd.....

HC.....

148 - Piano Duets - 8 Years and Under – Duet

Kindly sponsored by Helen Nevell

- 1 Claude Taylor, Rhu Graham
- 2 Claude Taylor, Lance Benson

1st.....

HC.....

103 - Piano Solos - 9 Years and Under - Novice Solo

Kindly Sponsored by the Dew Family

- 1 Riley Bursle
- 2 Neve Hunter

- 3 Bonnie O'Neill
- 4 Elizabeth Hindmarsh

1st.....

2nd.....

HC.....

102 - Piano Solos - 9 Years and Under - Piano Solo

- 1 Solomon Day
- 2 Sofia Bravo
- 3 Claude Taylor

- 4 Lance Benson
- 5 Callum Walraven
- 6 Riley Bursle

1st.....

2nd.....

3rd.....

HC.....

104 - Piano Solos - 9 Years and Under - Baroque or Classical Period Solo

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| 1 Callum Walraven | 3 Lance Benson |
| 2 Claude Taylor | 4 Sofia Bravo |

1st..... 2nd..... HC.....

105 - Piano Solos - 9 Years and Under - Jazz, Ragtime, Boogie or Blues

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| 1 Neve Hunter | 2 Solomon Day |
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1st..... HC.....

108 - Piano Solos - 12 Years and Under - Novice Solo(Time limit 3 minutes)

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| 1 Jazlynn Donohue | 3 Bram Nicholson |
| 2 Oliver Day | 4 Olive Plunkett |

1st..... 2nd..... HC.....

107 - Piano Solos - 12 Years and Under - Piano Solo

Kindly sponsored by the Woolford family .

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| 1 Bonnie Hunter | 5 Oliver Day |
| 2 Nina Alexandrova | 6 Sophia Walraven |
| 3 Seraphina Loh | 7 Felix Benson |
| 4 Bonnie Plunkett | 8 Latai Day |

1st..... 2nd..... 3rd..... HC.....

109 - Piano Solos - 12 Years and Under - Baroque

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| 1 Nina Alexandrova | 3 Seraphina Loh |
| 2 Felix Benson | 4 Sophia Walraven |

1st..... 2nd..... HC.....

110 - Piano Solos - 12 Years and Under - Classical

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| 1 | Nina Alexandrova | 3 | Felix Benson |
| 2 | Sophia Walraven | 4 | Seraphina Loh |

1st..... 2nd..... HC.....

111 - Piano Solos - 12 Years and Under - Jazz, Ragtime, Boogie or Blues

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| 1 | Bonnie Plunkett | 3 | Bonnie Hunter |
| 2 | Latai Day | 4 | Joshua Wing |

1st..... 2nd..... HC.....

112 - Piano Solos - 12 years and Under - Music from a Musical, Film or Television

Kindly sponsored by Anna Plunkett

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| 1 | Nina Alexandrova | 2 | Latai Day |
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1st.....

149 - Piano Duets - 10 Years and Under - Duet

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| 1 | Sofia Bravo, Felix Benson |
| 2 | Sofia Bravo, Sophia Walraven |

1st..... HC.....

181 - Performance Practice Award - (Junior) 12 years and Under

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| 1 | Ella Witte |
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Afternoon Session

Saturday 28th May 2022

Commencing 1:30 PM

Please arrive 20 mins prior to commencement

151 - Piano Duets - 14 Years and Under – Duet

Kindly sponsored by the Dew Family

- 1 Amelie Howard, Julius Taylor
- 2 Koby Clarke, Nathan Clarke

1st..... HC.....

114 - Piano Solos - 15 Years and Under - Novice

- 1 Tessa Gunther
- 2 Sarah Whyte

1st..... HC.....

113 - Piano Solos - 15 Years and Under - Piano Solo

- 1 Enam Hunter
- 2 Ashlyn Stevenson
- 3 Amelie Howard
- 4 Caitlin Haynes
- 5 Julius Taylor
- 6 Marisol Taylor
- 7 Joshua Walraven

1st..... 2nd..... 3rd..... HC.....



115 - Piano Solos - 15 Years and Under - Baroque Solo

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| 1 Sarah Whyte | 3 Enam Hunter |
| 2 Ashlyn Stevenson | |

1st..... HC.....

116 - Piano Solos - 15 Years and Under - Classical Period Solos

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| 1 Joshua Walraven | 2 Julius Taylor |
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1st

117 - Piano Solos - 15 Years and Under - Jazz, Ragtime Boogie or Blues

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| 1 Tessa Gunther | 3 Olivia Gruber Styles |
| 2 Caitlin Haynes | 4 Evan Hunter |

1st..... 2nd..... HC.....

118 - Piano Solos - 15 Years and Under - Music from a Musical, Film or Television

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| 1 Hannah Gallagher | 3 Caitlin Haynes |
| 2 Ashlyn Stevenson | |

1st..... HC.....

119 - Piano Solos - 15 Years , Own Composition

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| 1 Nina Alexandrova | 2 Caitlin Haynes |
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1st..... HC.....

133 - Piano Solos Preliminary and Grade 1- List A

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| 1 | Ella Witte | 3 | Lance Benson |
| 2 | Joshua Wing | 4 | Edward Neal |

1st..... 2nd..... 3rd..... HC.....

134 - Piano Solos Preliminary and Grade 1 - List B

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| 1 | Lance Benson | 2 | Ella Witte |
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1st..... HC.....

135 - Piano Solos Preliminary and Grade 1- List C

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| 1 | Neve Hunter | 3 | Bonnie Hunter |
| 2 | Lance Benson | 4 | Ella Witte |

1st..... 2nd..... 3rd..... HC.....

136 - Piano Solos Grade 2, 3 and 4 - List A

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| 1 | Felix Benson | 3 | Claude Taylor |
| 2 | Hannah Gallagher | 4 | Sofia Bravo |

1st..... 2nd..... HC.....

137 - Piano Solos Grade 2, 3 and 4 - List B

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|---|--------------|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Felix Benson | 4 | Claude Taylor |
| 2 | Sofia Bravo | 5 | Callum Walraven |
| 3 | Rhu Graham | | |

1st..... 2nd..... 3rd..... HC.....

138 - Piano Solos Grade 2, 3 and 4 - List C

- 1 Sofia Bravo
- 2 Evan Hunter

- 3 Felix Benson

1st..... HC.....

139 - Piano Solos Grade 5, 6 and 7 - List A

- 1 Olivia Gruber Styles
- 2 Sarah Whyte

- 3 Julius Taylor
- 4 Amelie Howard

1st..... 2nd..... HC.....

140 - Piano Solos Grade 5, 6 and 7 - List B

- 1 Julius Taylor
- 2 Olivia Gruber Styles

- 3 Connor Nathan

1st..... HC.....

142 - Piano Solos Grade 5, 6 and 7 - List D

- 1 Jamie Nathan
- 2 Enam Hunter
- 3 Amelie Howard

- 4 Connor Nathan
- 5 Ashlyn Stevenson

1st..... 2nd..... HC.....

Evening Session

Saturday 28th May 2022

Commencing 5:30 PM

Please arrive 20 mins prior to commencement

143 - Piano Solos Grade 8 and above - List A

Kindly sponsored by Gary Dew

- 1 Helen Nevell
- 2 Camble Scott

- 3 Caitlin Haynes

1st.....

144 - Piano Solos Grade 8 and above - List B

- 1 Katie Hilberts

- 2 Tilly Howard

1st.....

145 - Piano Solos Grade 8 and above - List C

- 1 Camble Scott
- 2 Helen Nevell

- 3 Katie Hilberts

1st..... HC.....

146 - Piano Solos Grade 8 and above - List D

- 1 Tilly Howard
- 2 Joshua Walraven

- 3 Caitlin Haynes
- 4 Helen Nevell

1st..... 2nd..... HC.....

147 - Piano Solos Grade 8 and above - List D

- 1 Helen Nevell

1st.....

Morning Session

Sunday 29th May 2022

Commencing 9:00 AM

Please arrive 20 mins prior to commencement

158 - Non Award Family Fun Sections - Family Fun Event - Open (any member of the family can participate)

Kindly sponsored by Gary Dew

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| 1 Scott Family | 3 Nan & Latai |
| 2 The Days | 4 Day Tribe |

120-126 Piano Solos - OPEN and 18 Years and Under - Piano Solo

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| 1 Nicole Tarrant | 3 Katie Hilberts |
| 2 Sam Woolford | 4 Tilly Howard |
| 5 Victoria Whyte | 6 Helen Nevelle |

1st..... 2nd..... HC.....

122 – 128. Piano Solos - 18 Years and Under and Open Age- Baroque

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| 1 Katie Hilberts | 3 Tilly Howard |
| 2 Sam Woolford | 4 Nicole Tarrant |
| 5 Victoria Whyte | 6 Victoria Whyte |

1st..... 2nd..... HC.....

123 - Piano Solos - 18 Years and Under - Classical Period

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| 1 Katie Hilberts | 2 Tilly Howard |
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1st.....

125 - Piano Solos - 18 Years and Under -Music from a Musical, Film or Television

- 1 Caitlin Haynes

153 - Piano Championship Sections - 12 Years and Under Championship

Two pieces to be performed.

One piece must be a movement from a sonata or sonatina. Second piece is free choice of a contrasting nature.

- 1 Sophia Walraven
- 2 Callum Walraven
- 3 Nina Alexandrova
- 4 Claude Taylor

1st..... 2nd..... HC.....

154 - Piano Championship Sections - 16 Years and Under Championship

Kindly sponsored by the Herd Family

Two pieces to be performed. One piece must be a movement from a sonata or sonatina. Second piece is free choice of a contrasting nature.

- 1 Joshua Walraven
- 2 Caitlin Haynes
- 3 Nicole Tarrant
- 4 Enam Hunter
- 5 Camble Scott
- 6 Tilly Howard
- 7 Amelie Howard
- 8 Julius Taylor

1st..... 2nd..... 3rd..... HC.....

Sunday 29th May 2022

Morning section continued 9:00 AM
Please arrive 20 mins prior to commencement

155 - Piano Championship Sections - Open Age - Time Limit 12 minutes

Two pieces to be performed.

One piece must be a movement from a sonata or sonatina. Second piece is free choice of a contrasting nature.

- 1 Sam Woolford
- 2 Victoria Whyte

- 3 Helen Nevell
- 4 Katie Hilberts

1st..... 2nd

Please remain for the Major Presentation ceremony and Masterclass



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MAJOR AWARD PRESENTATION

MAJOR AWARDS

1. Unrestricted Scholarship - \$300

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2. 12 Years and Under Piano Scholarship - \$200

Kindly sponsored by Phillip Griffin Stacks Law

3. Sydney Symphony Prize Most promising performer

Kindly sponsored by Sydney Symphony Orchestra (SSO)

One hour class with SSO pianist plus 2 tickets to an SSO performance

CHAMPIONSHIPS

4. Open Piano Championship \$150

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5. 16 Years & Under Piano Championship \$150

Kindly sponsored Herd Family

6. 12 Years & Under Piano Championship \$100

Kindly sponsored by Trevor and Liz Jamison.

GENERAL

7. Most promising Baroque (\$100)

In Memoriam Trevor Jamison

8. Most promising 20th/21st century (\$100)

Kindly Sponsored by the Bravo Family

9. 12 Years & Over Encouragement Award (\$100)

Kindly sponsored by the Joy Griffin

10. 12 Years & Under Encouragement Award (\$100)

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11. 12 Years and Under Highest Aggregate in any 3 sections \$50

Kindly sponsored by Toni North

12. 13 years and over Highest Aggregate in any 3 sections \$100

Kindly sponsored by the Howard Family

PIANO MASTERCLASS

Sunday 30th May 2021

3pm – 5pm

PIANO MASTERCLASS

Join adjudicator Miguel Wu for a piano workshop on:

This is a wonderful chance to listen and learn from our adjudicator. Four pianists will have a chance to play for him. It is like watching a piano lesson, except all public are welcome. There is also the time to ask questions and to understand his adjudicating.

All audience members are free

There are 4 spaces for pianists (\$50 per student)

Please email piano@coffseisteddfod.org to secure a place.

Coffs Harbour Eisteddfod is a Not-for Profit organization run by a local committee fully funded by sponsors, entry fees, and admission charges. Committee members are all voluntary and do not receive any remuneration. The Committee endeavours to provide quality performance opportunities for all students in Coffs Harbour and beyond. We are very grateful for the financial support we have received which allows the eisteddfod to continue.

EXCECUTIVE COMMITTEE

President	Debbie Waters
Vice President	Louise Ray
Secretary	Anne Chittick
Treasurer	Sandra Goodby

ORGANISING SECRETARIES

Vocal	Vanessa Crossley
Instrumental	Louise Ray
Drama	Elise Prosser
Dance	Jann Golding
Piano	Alice Jamison
Choirs	Mary Pollock

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