



Dandenong Ranges Music Council Inc
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The Bill Borthwick Young Musicians Encouragement Prize Year 2007

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For musicians 14 and under

The sixth **Bill Borthwick Young Musicians Encouragement Prize** is offered in honour of the memory of the Patron of the Dandenong Ranges Music Council 1980 – 2001, the Hon Bill Borthwick, AO, MLA Member for Monbulk 1967 – 1982 and Member for Scoresby 1960 – 1967.

This prize is for a musician 14 years and under, who is committed, enthusiastic and who loves to play or sing for the pure joy of music. Minimum 2 years learning or grade 3 AMEB or equivalent. For adjudication, entrants must prepare 5 minutes of their favourite music. Music may be unaccompanied. Entrants must be prepared to answer general knowledge and music theory questions equivalent to current playing level, to talk about the piece performed, the composer and what inspired the choice of piece. First prize will be to the value of \$300.00 and second prize to the value of \$200.00.

Performance and Prize Presentation

Award recipients will perform a favourite musical work to a friendly, supportive audience at a special afternoon tea on **Sunday May 20th, 2007** at the Dandenong Ranges Music Council Community Music Centre, Upwey High School, 1451 Burwood Highway, Upwey, 3158.

APPLICATION FORM

Full name of applicant (surname first)

Age as at 30/11/2006

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Postal address.....

..... Post code.....

Telephone no..... Email.....

School Music Teacher.....

Instrument played. Please outline the music you are learning at the moment and list the music you will be performing at the adjudication

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Please tell us your AMEB approximate level or equivalent, how long you have been learning and the ensembles in which you participate.

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Name your two most recent performances and one upcoming performance.

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What is your musical dream for the future?

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Please tell us why you love to learn, play, sing and perform

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What inspired your choice of piece for today?

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What pieces or tunes do you want to be able to play in the future?

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Please attach extra pages if required

CONDITIONS OF AWARD

Applicants must:

be 14 years or under on 30th November 2006

be prepared, if recipient of the prize, to give a public performance as required and arranged by Dandenong Ranges Music Council Inc.

PERFORMANCE AND ADJUDICATION

Selection of the recipients of the prize will take place on **SUNDAY 12th NOVEMBER 2006**

at the Dandenong Ranges Music Council Community Music Centre - Upwey High School, 1451 Burwood Highway, Upwey, 3158.

Melway Ref: 75 B8 Tel: 9754 6566 Email: drmc@drmc.org.au

Applicants must: perform for 5 minutes and be prepared for an informal chat with the judges.
provide sheet music for the adjudicator.
must supply an accompanist, if required.

*****PERFORMANCES MAY BE ACCOMPANIED OR UNACCOMPANIED**

Convenor:

Norma Durrand - Chair, Dandenong Ranges Music Council Inc

Adjudicator:

Carolyn McAlister - Bachelor of Education, Music, Melbourne

- Master of Education, Arts Administration, RMIT

APPLICANTS DECLARATION

I hereby agree to abide by the conditions of the award and accept the decision of the judges.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT.....

SIGNATURE OF PARENT/GUARDIAN.....

CLOSING DATE FOR ENTRIES: Tuesday 24th October, 2006

FORWARD ENTRIES TO:

BILL BORTHWICK YOUNG MUSICIANS ENCOURAGEMENT PRIZE

DRMC P O BOX 430, BELGRAVE, 3160

ENTRY FEE \$10 Please include payment (cheque payable to DRMC) with application form.



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