

Tasmanian Band Championships

14th – 15th September 2019

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On-stage Adjudicator:	Maureen Cameron
Parade of Bands Music Adjudicator:	Dr Peter Ratnik
Inspection and Drill Adjudicator:	Michael Mathers
Assistant Drill Adjudicator:	Kim Brundle-Lawrence
Contest Co-Ordinator:	Mary Parsell
Contest Administration:	Alida Quigley
Comperes:	Peter Thompson, Susie McMahon, Alysha Allen, Kristy Howard, Mary Parsell,
Volunteers:	City of Launceston RSL, Launceston City, Railway Silver, West Tamar, Launceston College bands
Percussion:	Mary Parsell, Simon Partridge, Peter Quigley
Stage Set-up	Darren Llewellyn
Recording:	Jasmine Ellis
Test selections:	TBL Music Advisory Board
Parade of Bands:	Mary Parsell, Cancer Council of Tasmania, David Peters, Alida Quigley
Music Co-Ordinator:	Alida Quigley and Emma Gregory
Results Co-ordinators:	Alida Quigley and Michael Young
Protest Committee:	TBL Executive
Programme:	Alida Quigley

TBL Executive:

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On-stage Music Adjudicator

Maureen Cameron



Maureen Cameron began her passion for music with the East Kilbride Borough Silver Band and Clydebank Borough Band. By a young age, she had won the Scottish Championships with the CWS Glasgow Band and competed at the European Championships.

In 1987–90 Maureen attended Salford College, where she studied under Professor David King, Dr Roy Newsome and Elgar Howarth and was one of the last students to work with the legendary Harry Mortimer OBE.

It was during this time that Maureen was invited to play with the world famous Fodens Band under the direction of Howard Snell then later Dr Nicholas Childs and Bramwell Tovey. It was a remarkably successful 11 years with the band winning numerous competitions including the North West Area

Championships, Brass in Concert Championships, French Open Championships, All England Masters Championships and the National Championships of Great Britain.

Whilst recognised as an outstanding cornet player and musician, it is her commitment and passion for the education of young musicians that is inspiring. As the founding Musical Director of the Wrexham Schools Brass Band, Maureen led them on several occasions winning the National Festival of Youth and featuring at the BBC Schools Proms at the Albert Hall, London. In 2003, Maureen was recognised through various awards for outstanding and innovative educational and music programmes.

2004 saw Maureen move to Australia to take up the post as founding Head of Music at St Andrew's Catholic College and Music Director of Cairns Brass Band. Both Partnerships flourished under her guidance with considerable contests and concert successes that have seen her recognised through various awards for outstanding and innovative educational and music programmes.

Maureen is a current conductor for the State Honours Ensemble Programme at Griffiths University. She is very active in the Australian banding scene as a member of National and State competitions, most recently gaining the 2019 'A' Grade, Australian National Championships with Sydney City Brass.

She has adjudicated contests at both State and National level and has been cornet tutor for National Australia Brass Youth Band. In 2018, Maureen was awarded the Cairns Council Woman of the Year (inaugural) Scholarship for her services to music and the community. In 2019 Maureen is delighted to have been named as runner up in the Cairns Business Woman's Club for services to the 'Arts', and her school music programme was named as finalist in Spirit of Catholic Education Awards.

Parade of Bands Music Adjudicator

Dr. Peter Ratnik

PhD, M.Mus, AmusA, FAC,RMA

Dr Peter Ratnik was born in East Melbourne and started playing piano at age four, progressing to the clarinet at age eight and then Tuba at 16. After playing in Westgate Concert Band for 12 years Peter found his love for Brass Bands, playing with Preston and the Melbourne Tramways Bands. Peter also performed with the MSO, State Orchestra of Victoria, Australian Pops Orchestra, the AABM and RAA bands.

Peter was awarded a Masters of Music (Composition) from the University of Melbourne and PhD (Composition) from the University of Edinburgh and whilst living in the UK was a finalist in the European Brass Band Young Conductors competition. Dr Ratnik studied conducting with Squadron Leader R.A.Y Mitchell (Director of Music RAAF), John Hopkins and Pierre Boulez.

Dr Ratnik has conducted as a resident, professional and guest conductor bands including: (Australia): Melbourne 150th Youth Symphonic Band, Greater Bendigo Concert Brass, Morwell Citizens, Kyneton Municipal, Frankston City, Geelong Municipal , Corowa, Gippsland Band Group, Hamilton Brass (UK Bands): Whitburn Brass, Tayport Instrumental Band, Stannington, Kingdom Brass, Tullis Russell Mills, Grimethorpe Colliery, Bo'ness, Scottish Co-Op, Bactiguard Wire Brass, Bakewell Silver, Matlock, Dodsworth Colliery, Carlton Main Frickley Colliery, Clackmannan, Bon Accord Silver, Broxburn and Livingston Bands. Military bands include The Band of the King's Division, The Royal Highlands Band.

Dr Ratnik has over 350 compositions and arrangements published in the USA, Europe, UK and Australia by publishers, Ratnik Music Press (Aust, US, UK), Obrasso (Switzerland) and Difem. Many of Dr Ratnik's works are recorded by bands such as Black Dyke, Whitburn Brass Band (Scotland), 13 Etoiles (Switzerland), and military bands Musique Principale de l'Armee de Terre, Musique Principale de Marine and Musique de la Gendarmerie (France).

Dr Ratnik has held numerous positions in educational institutions including CEO Murray Conservatorium, Director of Music S.Anselm's (UK), St Leonards (UK), Balmoral High School and Bainbridge Collage (Victoria). Dr Ratnik has served on the VBL executive and ABODA Victoria Executive and is fiercely passionate about music education and the development of community banding.

Parade of Bands Drill Adjudicator

Michael Mathers

Michael Mathers, a member of the Kew Band Melbourne for more than 30 years and its Drum Major for 20 years, has been a registered drill adjudicator for over 15 years. Michael has won numerous Victorian Marching titles and has also been the National Drum Major Champion, winning the Jim Brill Trophy. The Mathers family has, for the past three years, sponsored the entertaining *Change of Direction* in the Australian National Band Championships Parade of Bands. Michael now resides in Tasmania.

Tasmanian Band Championships Saturday 14th September 2019

Warm-up	On-stage	No.	Band	Section
10.00 – 10:20am	10:30am	1	Latrobe Federal Junior Band	Brass Junior C
10:30 – 11:00am	11:10am	2	Rose Bay High Concert Band	Concert Open D
11:10 – 11:40am	11:50am	3	Launceston City Band	Concert Open D
12:10 – 12:30pm	12:40pm	4	Ulverstone Municipal Band	Brass Open B
12:40 – 1:00pm	1:10pm	5	City of Launceston RSL Band	Brass Open B
ADJUDICATION & LUNCH	1:40 – 2:30pm		CONCERT OPEN D	
1:50 – 2:20pm	2:30pm	6	Hobart Youth Winds	Concert Junior A
2:40 – 3:00pm	3:10pm	7	Latrobe Federal Junior Band	Brass Junior C
3:10 – 3:40pm	3:50pm	8	Hobart Wind Symphony	Concert Open A
ADJUDICATION	5:10pm		CONCERT JUNIOR A and BRASS JUNIOR C	
5:00- 5:20pm	5:30pm	9	City of Launceston RSL Band	Brass Open B
5:30 – 5:50pm	6:00pm	10	Ulverstone Municipal Band	Brass Open B
ADJUDICATION	6:50pm		CONCERT OPEN A and BRASS OPEN B	

Sunday 15th September

8:30 – 8:50am	9:00am	1	City of Devonport Brass	Brass Open D
8:55- 9:25am	9:35am	2	Launceston College Junior Concert Band	Concert Junior C
ADJUDICATION	10:20am		CONCERT JUNIOR C	
Inspection of Bands	9:20 – 10:20am		Parade of Bands: Tamar/Cameron Streets 10:20 – 10:55am	
10:50 – 11:20am	11:30am	3	Launceston College Community Concert Band	Concert Open B
11:40 – 12:10am	12:20pm	4	Derwent Valley Concert Band	Concert Open B
12:40 – 1:00pm	1:00pm	5	City of Devonport Brass	Brass Open D
ADJUDICATION	1:40PM		INSPECTION/MARCHING & BRASS OPEN D & CONCERT OPEN B	
1:30 – 1:50pm	2:00pm	6	Hobart City Brass	Brass Open C
1:55 – 2:15pm	2:25pm	7	City of Burnie Brass Band	Brass Open C
2:20 – 2:40pm	2:50pm	8	Glenorchy City Community Brass	Brass Open C
2:45 – 3:05pm	3:15pm	9	Glenorchy City Concert Brass	Brass Open A
BREAK	3:40 – 4:10pm			
3:50 – 4:10pm	4:20pm	10	Hobart City Brass	Brass Open C
4:15 – 4:35pm	4:45pm	11	City of Burnie Brass Band	Brass Open C
4:40 – 5:00pm	5:10pm	12	Glenorchy City Community Brass	Brass Open C
5:10 – 5:30pm	5:40pm	13	Glenorchy City Concert Brass	Brass Open A
ADJUDICATION	6:20pm		BRASS OPEN C and BRASS OPEN A	

Saturday 14th September 2019

Adjudicator: Maureen Cameron

Junior Brass C Grade

Test *Glasgow Overture* **Alan Fernie**

Band 1: Latrobe Federal Junior Band

Musical Director: Dominique Baker

Hymn *St Francis* Arr. Ray Steadman–Allen

Open Concert D Grade

Test *Blue Ridge Saga* **James Swearingen**

Band 2: Rose Bay High School Concert Band

Musical Director: Dean Hunt OAM

Hymn *Nettleton* Trad./Arr. Johnnie Vinson
Own Choice *Eiger: A Journey to the Summit* James Swearingen
Stage March *Totem Pole* Eric Osterling

Band 3: Launceston City Band

Musical Director: Darren Papworth

Hymn *A Hymnsong of Philip Bliss* David R. Holsinger
Own Choice *Oregon* Jacob de Haan
Stage March *The Little Ripper March* David Stanhope

Open Brass B Grade

Test *A Brisbane Journey* **Benjamin Tubb–Hearne**

Band 4: Ulverstone Municipal Band

Musical Director: Thomas Lamb

Hymn *Churchbury* Richard Phillips

Band 5: City of Launceston RSL
Musical Director: Simon Partridge

Hymn *Once to Every Man and Nation* Thomas John Williams
Arr. Fendall Hill

Junior Concert A Grade

Test *Ascensions* **Jay Bocook**

Band 6: Hobart Youth Winds
Musical Directors: Claire Reade and Alex Brown

Hymn *Be Thou My Vision* Trad./Arr. Travis Cross
Own Choice *Satiric Dances* Norman Dello Joio
Stage March *Little Ripper March* David Stanhope

Junior Brass C Grade

Band 7: Latrobe Federal Junior Band
Musical Director: Dominique Baker

Own Choice *Free World Fantasy* Jacob de Haan
Stage March *Aviator* C. Trussell

Open Concert A Grade

Test *Symphony No. 3* **Vittorio Giannini**

Band 8: Hobart Wind Symphony
Musical Director: Simon Reade

Hymn *New Prince, New Pomp* John Ireland & Robert Southwell
Arr. Joe Cook
Own Choice *Symphony for William* Derek Bourgeois
Stage March *March Op. 99* Sergei Prokofiev Arr. Paul Yoder

Open Brass B Grade

Band 9: City of Launceston RSL
Musical Director: Simon Partridge

Own Choice	<i>The Legend of Pandora</i>	Benjamin Tubb-Hearne
Stage March	<i>Ravenswood</i>	W. Rimmer

Band 10: Ulverstone Municipal Band
Musical Director: Thomas Lamb

Own Choice	<i>Resurgam</i>	Eric Ball
Stage March	<i>Muhledorf</i>	Derek Broadbent



Sunday 15th September 2019

Adjudicator: Maureen Cameron

Open Brass D Grade

Test ***A Tameside Overture*** **Stuart Johnson**

Band 1: City of Devonport Brass

Musical Director: Tessa Lee

Hymn *Holy, Holy, Holy (Nicea)* John Bacchus Dykes
Arr. James Curnow

Junior Concert C Grade

Test ***Abracadabra*** **Frank Tichelli**

Band 2: Launceston College Junior Concert Band

Musical Director: Peter Quigley OAM

Hymn *An American Hymntune (Amazing Grace)*
Trad. Arr. Robert Sheldon

Own Choice *Adrenaline Engines* Randall D. Standridge

Stage March *The Crown of Castile* David Stanhope

Open Concert B Grade

Test ***The Land of the Long White Cloud (Aotearoa)***
Philip Sparke

Band 3: Launceston College Community Concert Band

Musical Director: Peter Quigley OAM

Hymn *When the Stars Began to Fall* Fred J. Allen

Own Choice *Chorale and Shaker Dance* John Zdechlik

Stage March *National Emblem* Edwin Eugene Bagley

Band 4: Derwent Valley Concert Band

Musical Director: Lyall McDermott

Hymn	<i>Chorale Prelude: Abide with Me</i>	Fred J. Allen
Own Choice	<i>Armenian Dances: Part 1</i>	Alfred Reed
Stage March	<i>Sea Songs</i>	Edwin Eugene Bagley

Open Brass D Grade**Band 5: City of Devonport Brass**

Musical Director: Tessa Lee

Own Choice	<i>Journal of Phileas Fogg</i>	Peter Graham
Stage March	<i>Colonel Bogey</i>	Kevin J. Alford

Open Brass C Grade

Test	<i>First Suite in Eb</i>	Gustav Holst <u>Arr. Sydney Herbert</u>
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Band 6: Hobart City Brass

Musical Directors: Robyn Males and Emma Gregory

Hymn	<i>Slane</i>	Trad. Arr. Joe Cook
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Band 7: City of Burnie Brass Band

Musical Director: Robert Bentley

Hymn	<i>Ave Verum</i>	Mozart Arr. Albert Jakeway
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Band 8: Glenorchy City Community Brass

Musical Director: Andrew Maclean

Hymn	<i>Meditation: Abide with Me</i>	Henry F. Lyte Arr. A.H. Jakeway
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Open Brass A Grade

Test	<i>Montage</i>	Peter Graham
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Band 9: Glenorchy City Concert Brass
Musical Director: Simon Reade

Hymn	<i>The Day Thou Gavest</i>	C.C. Shofield Arr. Philip Wilby
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Open Brass C Grade

Band 10: Hobart City Band
Musical Directors: Robyn Males and Emma Gregory

Own Choice	<i>Music for a Festival</i>	Philip Sparke
Stage March	<i>Castell Coch</i>	T.J. Powell

Band 11: City of Burnie Brass Band
Musical Director: Robert Bentley

Own Choice	<i>Music from Kantara</i>	Kenneth Downie
Stage March	<i>Montreal Citadel</i>	Norman Audoire

Band 12: Glenorchy City Community Brass
Musical Director: Andrew Maclean

Own Choice	<i>Rhapsody on Negro Spirituals</i>	Eric Ball
Stage March	<i>"The B.B. and C.F."</i>	J.Ord Hume

Open Brass A Grade

Band 13: Glenorchy City Concert Brass
Musical Director: Simon Reade

Own Choice	<i>Titan's Progress</i>	Hermann Pallhuber
Stage March	<i>Festival March: Celebration</i>	Leslie Condon

Sunday 15th September 2019
Parade of Bands
Tamar – Cameron Streets Launceston

Inspection

Commencing at 9:20am

Order:

1. Derwent Valley Concert Band 2. Glenorchy City Concert Brass 3. City of Burnie
 4. City of Devonport 5. Hobart City Band 6. Glenorchy City Community Band

Parade of Bands

Commencing at 10:20am

Bands step off at 7minute intervals

Taking the Salute: Ron Wilson Life Member TBL

Step-off Order	Band	Street March
1	Derwent Valley Concert Band Drum Major: Chris Rice	<i>Invercargill</i> Alex F. Lithgow
2	City of Burnie Drum Major: Wayne Richards	<i>Wings Over the Navy</i> Mercer & Warren Arr. Gordon Mackenzie
3	Glenorchy City Concert Brass Drum Major: David Peters OAM	<i>Death or Glory</i> R.B. Hall
4	City of Devonport Brass Drum Major: Tessa Lee	<i>Kinshasa IV</i> Kapela Ntoya
5	Hobart City Brass Drum Major: Dan Brown	<i>Slaidburn</i> William Rimmer
6	Glenorchy City Community Band Drum Major: David Peters OAM	<i>Invercargill</i> Alex F. Lithgow

- Trophy presented to the band with the highest points in all grades.
- Best Drum Major: Bill Welling Shield for Best Drum Major

TBL News

Tasmanian Bands League Solo and Party Classes and Contest rules

- The TBL Music Advisory Board reviewed the 75 class of the TBL Solo and Party competition refining the offering of classes to 54. The review included new Junior classes of Junior non-championship and Under 14 years. Mixed band ensembles were taken up for the first time.

National Band Council of Australia Elections and Motions

- The TBL participated in the election of the NBCA President and the NBCA Vice-President and previewed motions tabled at the NBCA Conference in Perth in June 2019. The TBL will continue its active participation in NBCA business for the NBCA Conference in NSW in November.
- NBCA President: Barrie Gott
- NBCA Vice President: Dr Kevin Cameron

TBL Solo and Party 2019

- The TBL ran a successful Solo and Party Championships in May 2019 trialling a one-day competition using 3 rooms.

Congratulations to:

- 🎵 Latrobe Federal Band for winning the Band Masters Trophy
- 🎵 Steven English – Open Brass Champion of Champions
- 🎵 Hannah Dickers – Junior Brass Champion of Champions
- 🎵 John Edwards – Open Woodwind Champion of Champions
- 🎵 Merran Clay – Junior Woodwind Champion of Champions

Australian National Band Championships 2019

- Four TBL Bands travelled to the 2019 ANBC in Brisbane at Easter: City of Launceston RSL (Brass Open B), Glenorchy City Concert Brass (Brass Open A), NW Junior Band (Brass Junior B) and Launceston College Community Concert Band (Concert Open B)
- Congratulations to the Launceston College Community Concert Band Australian National Band Concert Open B Grade Champions 2019

Band Celebrations

- The Latrobe Federal Band is celebrating its 150th year
- The Launceston City Band is celebrating its 143rd year

Music School Opportunities

The TBL is providing funding for:

- Derwent Valley Spring School – October 4 – 6, 2019
- Launceston College Music Summer School – January 13 – 17, 2020

Life Membership

- At the February 2019 TBL Quarterly meeting Ron Wilson (Ulverstone Municipal Band and TBL Treasurer) was recognised for his lengthy and dedicated service to the TBL.

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Results – TBL Championships 2019 Concert Bands

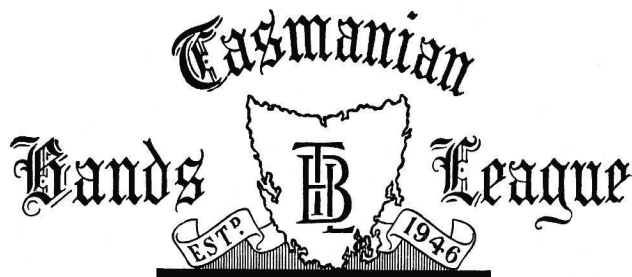
Section	Gr.	Band Name	Hymn (100)	Test (200)	Own Choice (200)	Stage March (100)	TOTAL (600)	Placing
Junior Concert	C	Launceston College Junior Concert Band	82	193	186	92	553	1 st
Junior Concert	A	Hobart Youth Winds	86	184	186	82	538	1 st
Open Concert	D	Rose Bay High Concert Band	88	181	184	84	537	1 st
Open Concert	D	Launceston City Band	81	183	180	80	524	2 nd
Open Concert	B	Derwent Valley Concert Band	84	181	182	87	534	2 nd
Open Concert	B	Launceston College Community Concert Band	89	187	183	91	550	1 st
Open Concert	A	Hobart Wind Symphony	89	183	182	82	536	1 st

Results – TBL Championships 2019 Brass Bands

Section	Gr.	Band Name	Hymn (100)	Test (200)	Own Choice (200)	Stage March (100)	TOTAL (600)	Placing
Junior Brass	C	Latrobe Federal Junior Band	82	184	182	86	534	1 st
Open Brass	D	City of Devonport	84	180	181	86	531	1 st
Open Brass	C	City of Burnie Band	Withdrawn					
Open Brass	C	Hobart City Band	89	183	183	89	544	1 st
Open Brass	C	Glenorchy City Community Band	89	182	182	89	542	2 nd
Open Brass	B	City of Launceston RSL	91	186	186	83	546	1 st
Open Brass	B	Ulverstone Municipal Band	80	180	182	81	523	2 nd
Open Brass	A	Glenorchy City Concert Brass	91	186	191	93	561	1 st

Results – TBL Band Championships 2019 Inspection and Street March

Band Name	Inspection (20)	Drill (100)	C.O.D. (20)	Music (40)	TOTAL (160)	Placing
City of Devonport Brass	12	89	13	35	149	
Derwent Valley Concert Band	14	91	16	37	158	1 st
Glenorchy City Community Brass	14	92	17	34	157	2 nd
City of Burnie Brass Band	Withdrawn					
Hobart City Band	12	90	13	33	148	
Glenorchy City Concert Brass	15	92	12	36	155	3 rd



Upcoming banding events:

- Derwent Valley Concert Band Spring School 5– 7 October: for more information – [workshop@ DVCB.ORG](mailto:workshop@DVCB.ORG)
- Performing Arts Music Summer School in conjunction with *Yamaha Australia*, the TBL and *Music North* 13 – 17 January: venue to be announced shortly and for more information – peter.quigley@education.tas.gov.au
- The Yamaha Australian National Band Championships 2020 Perth
10 – 13 April <http://www.nationalbandchampionships.com.au>



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- The TBL would like to thank **Cancer Council Tasmania** for the use of the street closure of Tamar and Cameron Streets for the Parade of Bands.
- The TBL would like to thank St Patricks College for the provision of some percussion gear.
- The TBL would like to thank Eamonn Seddon for providing extra lighting.
- Band Secretaries and Band Committees, Musical Directors, Drum Majors and Players – Thank you for all your work and performances.



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