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Year	Junior 'A' Grade Concert	Junior 'B' Grade Concert	Junior 'C' Grade Concert	Junior 'D' Grade Concert
2025	The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse (Randall D. Standridge)	Choreography (Robert Sheldon)	Adventure to Empress Falls (Alex Manton)	Not Contested
2024	Steampunk Suite (Erika Svanoe)	Cyprian Suite (Carol Barnett)	Salon Morisot (Jodie Blackshaw)	Not Contested
2023	Ford's Machine (Jess Langston Turner)	Surfonic Winds (Adrian Hallam)	Overture Spiritoso (Ralph Hultgren)	Not Contested
2022	Not Contested	Not Contested	Not Contested	Not Contested
2021	Not Contested	Not Contested	Not Contested	Not Contested
2020	Not Contested	Not Contested	Not Contested	Not Contested
2019	Berglicht (Oliver Waespi)	A Divine Comedy (4th Movement: Paradiso) (Robert W. Smith)	Adrenaline Engines (Randall D. Standridge)	Not Contested
2018	December Dance (Andrew Boysen Jnr.)	Into the Sun (Jodie Blackshaw)	West Highlands Sojourn (Robert Sheldon)	Not Contested
2017	Instinctive Travels (Michael Markowski)	Greek Folk Song Suite (Op. 25) (Franco Cesarini)	Walking in the Labyrinth (Karlin Greenstreet Love)	Not Contested
2016	On Further Reflection (David John Lang)	Not Contested	Capriccio on Three Japanese Children Songs (Yo Gotto)	Not Contested
2015	Quartets (Roger Cichy)	At Dawn They Slept (Jay Bocook)	Eiger: Journey to the Summit (James Swearingen)	Not Contested
2014	Masada (Ralph Hultgren)	Tanodd y Castell (Brian Hogg)	Metrix (Robert Sheldon)	Not Contested
2013	Not Contested	Gypsy Dance (Joseph Compello)	Not Contested	Not Contested
2012	Flight to Freedom (Graham Lloyd)	From Dawn to Dusk (Graham Lloyd)	Successive Flames (Graham Lloyd)	Not Contested
2011	Liturgical Dances (David R. Holsinger)	American Riversongs (Pierre La Plante)	A Huntingdon Celebration (Philip Sparke)	Not Contested
2010	Bushdance (Ralph Hultgren)	Second Suite in F Major (Gustav Holst, ed. Colin Matthews)	High Country (Ralph Hultgren)	Not Contested
2009	Transfiguration (James Curnow)	Hopetown Holiday (Steven Reineke)	Last Ride of the Pony Express (David Shaffer)	Not Contested
2008	Not Contested	Four Dances from 'West Side Story' (Leonard Bernstein)	Prima Luce (Jan van der Roost)	Not Contested
2007	Hollywood! (Goff Richards)	Scottish Folk Song Suite (Bruce Fraser)	Rychemount Chronicles (Kit Turnbull)	Not Contested

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2006	Everyday Hero (Timothy Mahr)	Brook Green Suite (Gustav Holst, arr. James Curnow)	Fanfare for the Third Planet (Richard L. Saucedo)	Not Contested
2005	Sun Dance (Frank Ticheli)	Punga Aaku (Keith Wilson)	Chesford Portrait (James Swearingen)	Not Contested
2004	Three Tasmanian Sketches (Lyall McDermott)	The Stone Guest (Brian Hogg)	A Little French Suite (Pierre La Plante)	Not Contested
2003	The Hounds of Spring (Alfred Reed)	A Little Concert Suite (Alfred Reed)	Alliance (Larry Clark)	Not Contested
2002	Music for a Festival (Philip Sparke)	Crosswinds (Bruce Fraser)	Estampie (William Francis McBeth)	Not Contested
2001	Chorale and Shaker Dance (John P. Zdechlik)	By Loch and Mountain (Robert W. Smith)	Overture Español (John Higgins)	Not Contested
2000	An Australian Rhapsody (Ralph Hultgren)	Sinfonietta No. 1 (Mark Saunders)	Three Tasmanian Sketches (Lyall McDermott)	Not Contested
1999	A Suite to American Jazz (arr. Sammy Nestico)	The Symphonic Gershwin (George Gershwin, arr. Warren Barker)	Latin Gold (Paul Lavender)	Not Contested
1998	The Four Horsemen (1st, 2nd & 3rd Movements) (Andrew Boysen Jnr.)	Spirit of Independence (Jan van der Roost)	Nordic Sketches (Pierre La Plante)	Not Contested
1997	Fanfare and Allegro (Clifton Williams)	A Jubilant Overture (Alfred Reed)	Jewish Folk Song Suite (Roland Kernen)	Not Contested
1996	Four Scottish Dances (Malcolm Arnold)	An Australian Rhapsody (Ralph Hultgren)	Overture for a Celebration (Steve Hodges)	Not Contested
1995	El Camino Real (Alfred Reed)	Hudson River Suite (John O'Reilly)	No Set Test Piece	Not Contested
1994	Lads of Wanphray (Percy Grainger)	Sleepers Awake (Johann Sebastian Bach, arr. Alfred Reed)	No Set Test Piece	Not Contested
1993	The Hornet's Nest (Ralph Hultgren)	Children's March (Percy Grainger)	Not Contested	Not Contested
1992	Handel in the Strand (Percy Grainger)	Rhapsodic Concertante (Lennie Niehaus)	Seagate Overture (James Swearingen)	In Celebration (John O'Reilly)
1991	Of Pride and Celebration (James Swearingen)	Nutcracker Suite (arr. Paul Lavender)	Not Contested	Not Contested
1990	The Hounds of Spring (Alfred Reed)	Not Contested	Not Contested	Not Contested
1989	An Australian Rhapsody (Ralph Hultgren)	A Circus Suite (Stuart Johnson)	Not Contested	Not Contested
1988	Irish Tune from County Derry & Shepherds Hey (Percy Grainger)	The Immovable Do (Percy Grainger)	Australian Festival (Ronald Hanmer)	Not Contested

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1987	Incantation and Dance (John Barnes Chance)	Dedicatory Overture (Clifton Williams)	Not Contested	Not Contested
1986	American Folk Rhapsody No. 4 (Clare Grundman)	North West Saga (Clare Grundman)	Not Contested	Not Contested
1985	Seacliffe Overture (James Curnow)	Variations on an English Folk Song (Claude T. Smith)	Not Contested	Not Contested
1984	Pineapple Poll (Arthur Sullivan, arr. Charles Mackerras)	Not Contested	Not Contested	Not Contested
1983	Mayflower Overture (Ron Nelson)	Not Contested	Not Contested	Not Contested
1982	Test Piece Unknown	Not Contested	Not Contested	Not Contested
1981	No Set Test Piece	Not Contested	Not Contested	Not Contested
1980	No Set Test Piece	Not Contested	Not Contested	Not Contested
1979	No Set Test Piece	Not Contested	Not Contested	Not Contested
1978	Not Contested	Not Contested	Not Contested	Not Contested
1977	Not Contested	Not Contested	Not Contested	Not Contested
1976	Not Contested	Not Contested	Not Contested	Not Contested
1975	Not Contested	Not Contested	Not Contested	Not Contested
1974	Not Contested	Not Contested	Not Contested	Not Contested
1973	Not Contested	Not Contested	Not Contested	Not Contested
1972	Not Contested	Not Contested	Not Contested	Not Contested
1971	Not Contested	Not Contested	Not Contested	Not Contested
1970	No Set Test Piece	Not Contested	Not Contested	Not Contested