



36th Anniversary - 2017

Kiwanis Music Festival of Guelph

Welcome to the 36th annual Kiwanis Music Festival of Guelph.

Many thanks to our participants, adjudicators, visitors, donors and sponsors, organizers, volunteers, Board and Committee members, media guests, and venues. We look forward to another wonderful Festival and hope you enjoy this valuable contribution to the cultural life of Guelph and Wellington County.

Please remember that the performers need absolute silence and you must wait to enter or leave the hall until there is a break in the performance. Please turn off all cell phones and other electronic devices. Photos and videos of performances may be taken if the performer has given their permission, but no flash photography and absolutely no recording of the adjudication is permitted. Please remain in your seat and be discreet while recording.

Please join us for the Highlights of the Festival Concert & Awards Ceremony on Friday, May 12 at St. George's Church at 7 pm. It will feature some of the finest performances heard during the Festival, as well as the presentation of medals and \$13,500 in scholarships. Please call the River Run Centre Box Office at 519-763-3000 for tickets. Tickets are \$15/Adults, \$10/Students & Seniors, and \$5/Children age 12 & Under. Many thanks to our sponsor, Corus Entertainment.

Bands

Adjudicator Colin Clarke

Colin Clarke is sought after as a conductor, clinician, adjudicator, and composer/arranger, having captured the attention of instrumental and choral ensembles, schools and music festivals across Canada and the U.S. A recipient of the Clifford Evans Award for Conducting, Colin Clarke's credits include collaboration with world-renowned artists and ensembles including the United States Air Force Band of Liberty in Boston, Massachusetts, Orchestra London Canada, the Hamilton Philharmonic Orchestra, the New Symphony Orchestra of Sofia, Bulgaria, the Toronto Mendelssohn Choir, Ballet Jörgen, trumpet virtuoso Allan Vizzutti, TorQ Percussion Ensemble, the Canadian Brass and the U.S. Army Herald Trumpets, the official fanfare ensemble for the President of the United States.



Colin is best known for his work with the multi-award winning Toronto Youth Wind Orchestra, a group he started as a high school student. For over two decades this ensemble has earned a reputation nationwide as one of the leading performance ensembles of its kind in Canada. Under Colin's baton, the Wind Orchestra made its Carnegie Hall debut in 2006 to much acclaim and returned in 2016 to mark its 25th anniversary. With a passion for music education and outreach, Colin maintains a commitment to working with young people and the community. He has also conducted numerous bands, orchestras and choirs throughout Canada and the U.S., and has lead the Provincial Honour Bands of Alberta, Manitoba, Ontario, Quebec and Prince Edward Island. In the spring of 2008 he served as conductor of the prestigious National Youth Band of Canada. Abroad, Colin has lead performances in the U.S., Eastern Europe, the United Kingdom and China. In addition to the Wind Orchestra, Colin serves as Music Director for the Hamilton Philharmonic Youth Orchestra and the Halton Youth Symphony.

THURSDAY MORNING, MARCH 23, 2017

SALVATION ARMY CITADEL

Adjudicator - Colin Clarke

BANDS

9:30 AM CLASS B117A

School Bands - D

Restricted to students in Grades 6 - 8. Own choice of two contrasting pieces as prescribed by the Syllabus. Time limit of 15 minutes.

1. The Mis-Matched Socks - Guelph - Wilson
2. Jean Little Public School Grade 7 Band - Guelph - Lucchese
3. Jean Little Public School Grade 8 Band - Guelph - Lucchese

THURSDAY AFTERNOON, MARCH 23, 2017

SALVATION ARMY CITADEL

Adjudicator - Colin Clarke

BANDS

12:30 PM CLASS B117B

School Bands - D

Restricted to students in Grades 6 - 8. Own choice of two contrasting pieces as prescribed by the Syllabus. Time limit of 15 minutes.

1. Hess Street School Band - Hamilton - Williams
2. Waverley Dr. Jazz Lions - Guelph - Cooper
3. GCCS Concert Band - Guelph - Dettweiler
4. Mitchell Woods Senior Concert Band - Guelph - Stronach

FRIDAY MORNING, MARCH 24, 2017

SALVATION ARMY CITADEL

Adjudicator - Colin Clarke

BANDS

9:00 AM CLASS B115

School Bands - C

Restricted to students in Grades 8 - 10. Own choice of two contrasting pieces as prescribed by the Syllabus. Time limit of 15 minutes.

1. John F. Ross CVI Grade Nine Class - Guelph
- Vreeswyk-Kidd

11:30 AM CLASS B114

School Bands - March Class B

Restricted to students in Grades 9 - 12. Own choice of two marches at a B level, one "concert" and one "street". Time limit of 15 minutes.

1. GCVI Marching Band - Guelph - Austin

9:30 AM CLASS B113

School Bands - B

Restricted to students in Grades 9 - 12. Own choice of two contrasting pieces as prescribed by the Syllabus. Time limit of 20 minutes.

1. John F. Ross CVI Intermediate Band - Guelph
- Vreeswyk-Kidd
2. Emmanuel Christian Orchestra - Fergus - DeBoer
3. Centre Wellington District High School Band
- Fergus - Girvin
4. St. James CHS Band - Guelph - Dunnett

FRIDAY AFTERNOON, MARCH 24, 2017

SALVATION ARMY CITADEL

Adjudicator - Colin Clarke

BANDS

1:00 PM CLASS B111

School Bands - A

Restricted to students in Grades 9 - 12. Own choice of two contrasting pieces as prescribed by the Syllabus. Time limit of 20 minutes.

1. GCVI Symphonic Band - Guelph - Austin
2. John F. Ross CVI Senior Concert Band - Guelph - Wilson

2:00 PM CLASS J141

Stage Bands - F

Stage Bands - any grade. Own choice of two or three contrasting pieces. Time limit of 20 minutes.

1. GCVI Gael Force - Guelph - Austin
2. Royal Jazz - Guelph - Wilson

3:00 PM CLASS J132

Jazz Combos

1. Guelph Youth Jazz Ensemble Band 1 - Guelph - Rowan
2. Guelph Youth Jazz Ensemble Band 2 - Guelph - Rowan

FRIDAY EVENING, MARCH 24, 2017

SALVATION ARMY CITADEL

Adjudicator - Colin Clarke

BANDS

6:30 PM CLASS B101

Community Bands - Open

Open to any Community Concert Band. Own choice of three contrasting pieces, none of which were performed last year (one selection must be a March). Open Level; Band Level 5 - 6 or equivalent or higher. Time limit of 30 minutes (including set up and warm up).

1. Cambridge Concert Band - Cambridge - Rowan
2. Kitchener Musical Society Band - Kitchener - Davidson
3. Galt Kiltie Band - Cambridge - Beard