

ARUN YOUNG MUSICIANS' FESTIVAL 2019



At the 3 days of classes in late October 2019, the Adjudicators selected 12 individuals, 2 duets and a choir to perform in the Gala Concert. This was held in The Chatsmore Catholic High School on Sunday 10 November 2019. Compèred by George Jones, the large and appreciative audience followed each item with enthusiastic applause. Finally the Adjudicators Kay Tucker and Neil Jenkins had the difficult task of selecting the winners. Whilst they deliberated we were entertained by Tamzin and Zoe Barnett, winners in 2005 and 2016. The prizewinners are:

Paul Blackwell Trophy (*Young vocalist, 12 years and under*): Barty Hawkins. Barty sang 'Alma del Core' by Antonio Caldare and 'This is the moment' from Jekyll & Hyde.

Rustington Music Group Trophy (*Young instrumentalist, 12 years and under*): Lucia Peel, clarinet. Lucia played 'Panis Angelicus' by César Franck.

Susannah Flegg Trophy (*Vocalist*): Nathan Lynch. Nathan sang 'Empty Chairs at Empty Tables' from Les Misérables.

The Raven Cup (*Instrumentalist*): Gemma Rose, violin. Gemma played 'Hoedown' by Aaron Copeland.

Ruth Dyson Trophy (*Ensemble*): Amelie Beauchamp and Ashtyn Roworth. Amelie and Ashtyn sang 'What is this Feeling' from Wicked.

Angmering Chorale Bursary (*Vocalist*): Nathan Lynch. Nathan sang 'Empty Chairs at Empty Tables' from Les Misérables.

Sinfonia of Arun Bursary (*Instrumentalist*): Lucia Peel, clarinet. Lucia played 'Panis Angelicus' by César Franck.

Rotary Club of Littlehampton Award (*Most promising musician*): Ivo Eastwood, piano. Ivo played 'Holiday in Paris' by William Gillock.

Arun Choral Society Shield and Award (*Choir of the year*): The Backbeatz Boys. Conducted by Corrine Wellby they sang 'One moment' by Beccy Owen and 'Shto mi e milo', a traditional Macedonian song.

Vi Casey Trophy (*Arun Young Musician Runner-up*): Ruby Harte-Stovell, cello. Ruby played 'Wild West' by K & D Blackwell.

Arun Young Musician 2018: Nathan Lynch. Nathan sang 'Empty Chairs at Empty Tables' from Les Misérables.