



### **Class Concerts**

As part of the Week of the Arts celebrations, each year level will hold its own Class Concert. These concerts give students the chance to share their musical learning and perform for their peers in a supportive setting. Please refer to the timetable [here](#) for Class Concert times.

Students are asked to follow these guidelines:

- One or two pieces per instrument (maximum of two instruments)
- Maximum length: 8 minutes for the entire item, including change over time
- Students in a group/band/ensemble may also perform one solo item
- Backing tracks must be loaded onto your son's iPad
- Piano accompanists are not provided – if required, please arrange externally
- Students must currently be taking instrumental lessons with a tutor (through the CCGS instrumental program or externally) to perform

To sign up your son for the class concert, please complete the [Class Concert Sign-Up Form](#)

We look forward to celebrating the students' talents and musical growth during these concerts.

### **Year 6 Production**

The Year 6 cast of 2025 proudly present this year's annual musical 'Ali Baba and the Bongo Bandits'.

Open sesame and discover a treasure-trove of fun and laughter in this mystical musical comedy! Slip on your sandals for some sandy silliness as we take a thrilling carpet ride with Ali Baba and his crazy camel on an amazing Arabian adventure!

The ancient city of Old Baghdad is in chaos. Whilst the bustling bazaar is overrun with ruthless robbers, up in the palace Sultan Pepper's precious princess and Royal Ruby have vanished! To make matters worse, it seems the poor Sultan cannot trust his own Vizier, Mustapha Widdle, nor his mischievous monkey Booboo. So, when Ali Baba discovers the hidden Cave Of Wonders, secret hideout of Balthazar Bongo and his bumbling bandits, it's down to him to save the day! But when his ravenous, tap-dancing camel Humphrey bites off more than he can chew and Ali is accused of royal robbery, his fate seems as sealed as the Cave of Wonders itself! With the sands of time rapidly running out, will Ali escape the clutches of the evil Vizier? Will he find and free the imprisoned princess? And what's in store when Ali and Bongo finally meet... fez to fez? These mysteries and many more are revealed as we follow Ali across the dusty desert dunes to face forty filthy thieves, rescue a runaway princess, fly a magic carpet and release a genie from a bottle of ketchup!

Tickets are selling fast so get in quick so you don't miss out! Click [here](#) to book a ticket.

### **Art Exhibition**

We are looking forward to welcoming all our families to the Preparatory School Art Exhibition, *Australian Made: The Art of Us*, on Thursday 11 September from 3.00pm to 6.00pm and again on Friday 12 September, following the Grandparents Day Assembly. The show celebrates the creativity and dedication of every student across three terms of artistic exploration. From drawing and painting to sculpture and mixed media, the exhibition showcases a wide variety of styles and approaches, all united under the theme of what it means to be Australian. Each work is the result of weeks of careful thought, skill-building, and imagination. We can hardly wait!

## House Shout

The annual Preparatory School House Shout will be held on Thursday 25 September from 1.00pm to 3.00pm in the Chapel. This annual event is a highlight of the arts calendar, bringing students from each House together to celebrate teamwork, spirit, and the joy of singing. This year's theme is the Early 2000s, with each House performing a song from that time:

- **Karda** – *Bring it All Back* (S Club)
- **Kearla** – *Umbrella* (Rihanna)
- **Wardung** – *Unwritten* (Natasha Bedingfield)
- **Yonga** – *It's My Life* (Bon Jovi)

We warmly invite parents to join us for this exciting afternoon of music, energy, and House spirit.

## Music Assembly

Parents are welcome to attend the Music Assembly on Friday 26 September, commencing at 8.35am in the Chapel. This assembly will showcase some of the outstanding musical talent within our school community, with performances from a variety of Preparatory School ensembles.