



KIA ORA FROM OUR CHIEF EXECUTIVE

A big nau mai, haere mai for all students, teachers, tamariki and parents to our 2021 APO Connecting programme.

As the professional orchestra of Tāmaki Makau Rau, we are thrilled to perform and connect with the communities of this wonderfully diverse city in 2021.

It is so important for us to nurture the talent of Auckland's young aspiring musicians, and as a UNESCO City of Music – our future depends on it!

There is something for everyone in this little booklet of fun and opportunities. I cannot wait for you to join us, whether that be among our audience or our musicians.

Thank you to all of our partners, sponsors and donors. We believe that music opens minds (and hearts), and your tautoko helps us do just that. Now, karawhiua, e te whānau, let's get stuck in!

BARBARA GLASER
APO CHIEF EXECUTIVE

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FAMILIES HE TÜHONO KI NGĀ WHĀNAU



Introduce your littlies to the big sights and sounds of the orchestra!

MOE'S GUIDE TO THE ORCHESTRA

10am & 11.30am, Sun 11 April Aotea Centre

10am & 11.30am, Sat 17 April Bruce Mason Centre, Takapuna



PADDINGTON BEAR'S FIRST CONCERT

Please look after this bear — thank you

> 11.30am & 2pm Sat 12 June Auckland Town Hall

Follow Paddington on a musical adventure as he makes his debut as conductor at the Royal Albert Hall!

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CHRISTMAS

10am & 11.30am, Sat 4 December Auckland Town Hall

10am & 11.30am, Sat 18 December Bruce Mason Centre, Takapuna

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HOW TO **TRAIN** YOUR DRAGON LIVE IN CONCERT

7.30pm Friday 6 August & 2.30pm Saturday 7 August **Aotea Centre**

Watch the captivating family film with the score performed live by the Auckland Philharmonia Orchestra.



SUPER HEROES LIVE IN CONCERT



8pm, Thursday 14 October **Aotea Centre**

Experience the epic music from some of the world's favourite superhero movies!





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HE TÜHONO KI
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BECOME AN APO PARTNERSHIP SCHOOL (APOPS)

APOPS brings the orchestra into the classroom through educational programmes that stimulate and engage students in more than 60 schools across Auckland.

Every year the APO partners with schools to support their music programme. Students and teachers of all ages and backgrounds receive additional music mentoring from professional orchestra members and engage with other exciting music experiences.

For more information about the APOPS programme, get in touch with Miriam McCombe

APOPS PRELUDES

Primary & intermediate

Experience an ensemble performance visit at your school and tickets to a Kiwi Kapers concert.

APOPS CONCERTO

Primary, intermediate & secondary

A choice of mentorship plans or ensemble visits, plus tickets to a choice of Kiwi Kapers, Discovery, Metlifecare Unwrap the Music or main series concert.

APOPS SYMPHONY

Specialist music schools

A bespoke programme for your students. Receive mentorship, an ensemble visit, access to open rehearsals and tickets to a main series concert.

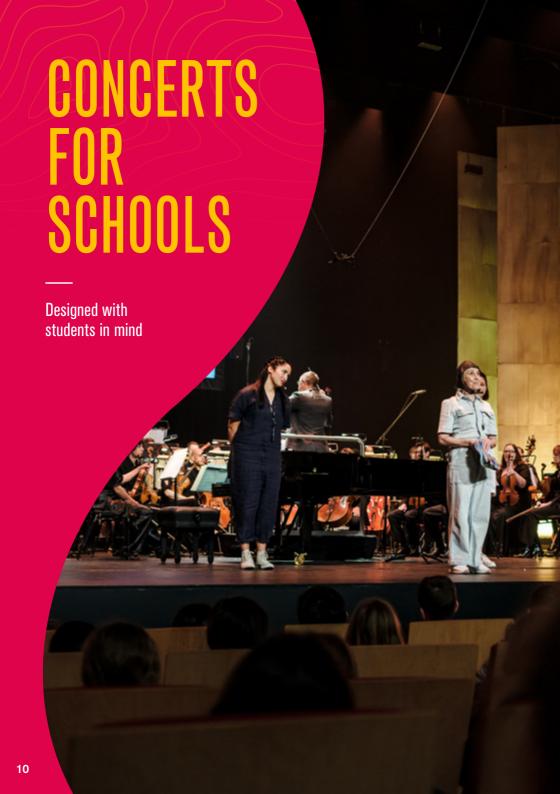
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DISCOVERY

11.30am, Tuesday 18 May Auckland Town Hall

Explore the history of Vienna and its influence on the symphonic form in this concert created for secondary school music students.

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KIWI KAPERS

11.30am & 1pm, Wednesday 4 August Kiri Te Kanawa Theatre, Aotea Centre

11.30am & 1pm, Friday 13 August Vodafone Events Centre

Designed for primary and intermediate students, this original production features the full orchestra whilst including a Pasifika storytelling twist!

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PLAY IN SOUTH

10am, Tuesday 2 November Vodafone Events Centre

In this workshop students can play in the orchestra and receive coaching. Students of all abilities are welcome thanks to our specialised arrangements.

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LINK UP

1.30pm, Tuesday 2 November Vodafone Events Centre

ELIGIBILITY: Open to all primary schools

APO partners with Carnegie Hall for this exciting project. Primary school students learn set works in school before performing with the orchestra for a fabulous finale of music-making.

SECONDARY SCHOOL COMPOSITION COMPETITION

ELIGIBILITY: Aspiring composers in secondary school

June 2021

Secondary students compose a 90-second fanfare for orchestra. One student is selected to workshop their piece with the APO.













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ASPIRING MUSICIANS HE TÜHONO KI ĀKONGA WAIATA

HAYDN STAPLES APO PIANO SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMME



Today's talent, tomorrow's stars.

The Haydn Staples APO Piano Scholarship Programme is the most comprehensive training programme for emerging pianists in New Zealand. The Scholarship Programme is chaired and funded by Haydn Staples and administered by the APO. This innovative programme, run in partnership with the University of Auckland School of Music, assists talented young pianists to develop a diverse portfolio of skills to complement their advanced solo studies. It equips them with invaluable experiences and training opportunities to improve their musicianship and employability.

At the end of their first year of study, up to three piano students are selected to enter the programme, which runs in conjunction with the remainder of their undergraduate studies (and with an opportunity to be selected for a further Honours year).

These selected scholars are able to explore every aspect of piano performance, including an opportunity for the top Honours student to perform as a soloist with the APO.

A key component of the programme is 'giving back'. Along with pro bono public

performances throughout the tenure of the Scholarship, the scholars are expected to continue mentoring and supporting junior piano students, once their scholarship has finished.

As part of the programme, the chosen scholars will have the benefit of the following:

- Additional piano lessons with highly respected piano teacher Bryan Sayer
- Masterclasses and private lessons with APO's visiting artists
- Tickets to APO performances
- Chamber music tuition with APO musicians
- Collaborative piano mentoring
- Seminars on public speaking and employability
- Extensive performance opportunities at APO events, with the top scholar of the honours cohort performing as a soloist with the orchestra.
- A scholarship of \$2,000 per year towards the cost of their music studies

For more information about SEF and its scholarship programmes, please visit:

ORCHESTRAL SUMMER SCHOOL 2022

January 2022

ELIGIBILITY: Aspiring orchestral musicians aged between 12 and 17.

APO musicians mentor participants through lessons, workshops and rehearsals in this intensive five-day training programme culminating in the public Finale Concert.







FINALE CONCERT

The Orchestral Summer School participants and APO players present a programme of favourite classical repertoire as well as a new work by APO Rising Star Young Composer-In-Residence.

APPLICATIONS OPEN OCTOBER 2021

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WHAT IS THE INSPIRE PARTNERSHIP PROGRAMME? TE MATANĀ

The Inspire programme works with aspiring young musicians aged 16 to 25 through regular activities designed to nurture their talent and hone their craft, shaping Auckland's future professional musicians.

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Proudly funded by the Freemasons Foundation and presented in partnership with the University of Auckland's School of Music.





Fore more information about the Inspire Partnership Programme, get in touch with **Graham Bell**

OUR VOICE

ELIGIBILITY: Participants for these two workshops will be selected from the University of Auckland School of Music as well as the winner and runner-up of the Secondary School Composition Competition.

ORCHESTRA

Aspiring composers workshop their music with the full orchestra. The orchestra reads and plays through the new pieces, offering feedback and advice

ENSEMBLES

This section of the Our Voice programme utilises various ensemble combinations to workshop new pieces for different instrumentations.

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ORCHESTRAL FELLOWSHIPS

ELIGIBILITY: Postgraduate-level string players under 30.

Fellowships are paid positions that involve playing for selected periods with the APO and include lessons with the principal players.

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BIG PLAY IN

7pm, Monday 16 August Auckland Town Hall

ELIGIBILITY: Aspiring musicians aged between 16 and 25.

Play alongside the full orchestra and receive mentoring from APO players.

MASTERCLASSES

Students get invaluable access to APO's visiting artists' expertise, encouragement and advice.

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OPEN REHEARSALS

ELIGIBILITY: Musicians aged between 16 and 25.

Music teachers and students are provided with valuable insight into the preparation and rehearsal process of a professional orchestra.

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ASPIRING MUSICIANS PROGRAMME

The APO Aspiring Musicians are a group of talented young musicians who are invited to perform in a range of concerts throughout the year.

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RISING STAR YOUNG COMPOSER-IN-RESIDENCE

ELIGIBILITY: Aspiring composers aged between 16 and 25.

The selected composer is commissioned to write three new works that are performed at APO Connecting concerts or events.

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MEET APO'S 2021 RISING STAR ROSA ELLIOTT

Christchurch-based Rosa Elliott is a young composer with a BMus and BA from the University of Canterbury.

In 2017, she won the NZTrio Composing Competition and she has since won two Douglas Lilburn Composition Prizes.





ELIGIBILITY: Aspiring percussionists aged between 11 and 16.

Participate in a percussion workshop with APO Principal Percussion Eric Renick and perform with the orchestra at an APO Connecting concert.

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LITTLE SINGER

ELIGIBILITY: Aspiring singers aged between 9 and 12.

Participate in a workshop with New Zealand Opera and perform with the orchestra at an APO Connecting concert.

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COMMUNITY PLAY IN 2.30pm, Sunday 20 June Auckland Town Hall Calling musicians of all ages and skill levels! Join the APO for a fun community play-in of some popular orchestral works. Sapo.co.nz/community-bash

HANG OUT WITH US

HORN HANG

ELIGIBILITY: Everyone!

For all French horn fanatics! Join APO Horns and explore some of the great music written for horn across three workshops.

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ELIGIBILITY: Everyone!

APO Oboes want you! Learn more about this interesting instrument through three workshops and a final performance.

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TROMBONE HANG

ELIGIBILITY: Everyone!

The APO Trombone Hang is the best place to be if you're looking for tips and tricks on the trombone.

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SWEET STRINGS

6.30pm, Monday 22 March All Saints Church, Howick

6.30pm, Tuesday 23 March St Luke's Church, Remuera

Featuring Miranda Adams, Assistant Concertmaster **Schubert** String Quartet No.12 'Quartettsatz'

Claire Cowan Hansel and Gretel: Short and Sweet Ballet Suite Leonie Holmes Fragment II for String Quartet

Ross Harris Five Meditations
Piazzolla Four, for Tango



PIECES OF EIGHT

6.30pm, Monday 6 September St Peter's Church, Takapuna

6.30pm, Tuesday 7 September Somervell Church, Remuera Featuring Bede Hanley, Principal Oboe

Beethoven Rondino
Bozza Octanphonie
Mozart Serenade No.12



HEART & SOUL

6.30pm, Monday 8 November St Heliers Church & Community Centre

6.30pm, Tuesday 9 November Titirangi War Memorial Hall

Featuring Ingrid Bauer, Principal Harp Ibert Trio for Violin, Cello and Harp Flagello Suite for Harp and String

Sofia Gubaidulina Five Études for Harp, Double Bass and Percussion

Françaix Quintet No.1 for Flute, Harp and String Trio

COMMUNITY CLASSICS SOUTH 3pm, Saturday 26 June AO TŪROA **Vodafone Events Centre,** Manukau CENTRAL 3pm, Saturday 17 July **Auckland Town Hall** Free for all the whānau! WEST 3pm, Saturday 6 November The APO's Community Classics series is The Trusts Arena, Henderson your chance to see Auckland's orchestra for a FREE concert of popular music, a little bit closer to home. In 2021, the orchestra explores the ways that music can represent ao tūroa, our natural world. **FREE** AUCKLAND arena Vodafone Events Centre

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6.30pm, Wednesday 19 May Auckland Town Hall

Conductor Vincent Hardaker Presenter Marija Naumovska

UNWRAP HAYDN'S MILITARY SYMPHONY

6.30pm, Tuesday 29 June Auckland Town Hall

Conductor/Presenter Graham Abbott

UNWRAP TCHAIKOVSKY'S 1812 OVERTURE

6.30pm, Tuesday 28 September Auckland Town Hall

Conductor Carlos Miguel Prieto

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WITH XIN (JAMES) JIN

APO ASSOCIATE PRINCIPAL SECOND VIOLIN

Associate Principal Second Violin Xin (James) Jin leads an ensemble of musicians through a series of interactive concerts that focus on a special composer, instrument or work.

6pm, Friday 21 May 6pm, Friday 30 July 6pm, Sunday 21 November













\$10 TICKETS FOR STUDENTS AND UNDER 30s

Join APO GO to gain access to \$10 tickets to any Auckland Philharmonia Orchestra main series concert.

Membership costs \$5 and is open to all secondary and tertiary students, as well as anyone under 30.

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KIWI KAPERS AND DISCOVERY

Kiwi Kapers concerts are \$6 per student and Discovery is \$12 per student. For both concerts, we provide free tickets for teachers at a ratio of one to every ten students. Contact the APO Connecting team if you have any special requirements.

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Schools can take advantage of special school group rates for this concert series. Contact the APO Connecting team for more information.

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BOOKING AS A FAMILY:

Special family pass tickets (2 adults + 2 children or 1 adult + 3 children) are available for a range of concerts. Bring the family and take advantage of the special discounts.

MEET YOUR ORCHESTRA

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Giordano Bellincampi

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Miranda Adams

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Grabczewska Ainsley Murray Alexander Shapkin Lucy Qi Zhang

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Xin (James) Jin ⁺
Yanghe Yu ⁺
William Hanfling ^{*}
Jocelyn Healy
Rachel Moody
Liam Oborne

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Anne Draffin ~
Helen Lee
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Bridget Miles +
(Bass Clarinet)

James Fry +
(Eb Clarinet)

BASSOONS

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Ebbett ⁺

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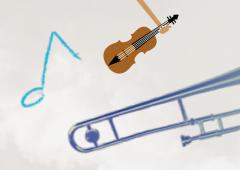
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CONNECTING CALENDAR THE MUSIC!



Mon 22 Mar 6.30pm In Your Neighbourhood Sweet Strings All Saints Church, Howick	21
Tue 23 Mar 6.30pm In Your Neighbourhood Sweet Strings St Lukes Church, Remuera	21
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Sat 17 Apr 11.30am APO 4 Kids Moe's Guide to the Orchestra Bruce Mason Centre Takapuna	e, 5
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DATE	TIME	SERIES	CONCERT	LOCATION	P
Mon 6 Sep	6.30pm	In Your Neighbourhood	Pieces of Eight	St Peter's Church, Takapuna	21
Tue 7 Sep	6.30pm	In Your Neighbourhood	Pieces of Eight	Somervell Church, Remuera	21
Tue 28 Sep	6.30pm	Unwrap 3	Tchaikovsky's 1812 Overture	Auckland Town Hall	23
Thu 14 Oct	8pm	Family Concerts	Superheroes Live in Concert	Kiri Te Kanawa Theatre, Aotea Centre	7
Tue 2 Nov	10am	Concerts for Schools	Play in South	Vodafone Events Centre	11
Tue 2 Nov	1.30pm	Concerts for Schools	Link Up	Vodafone Events Centre	11
Sun 6 Nov	3pm	Community Classics	Ao Tūroa	The Trusts Arena, Henderson	22
Mon 8 Nov	6.30pm	In Your Neighbourhood	Heart & Soul	St Heliers Church & Community Centre	21
Tue 9 Nov	6.30pm	In Your Neighbourhood	Heart & Soul	Titirangi War Memorial Hall	21
Sun 21 Nov	6pm	Community Concerts	APO Up Close 3		24
Sat 4 Dec	10am	APO 4 Kids	Christmas	Auckland Town Hall	5
Sat 4 Dec	11.30am	APO 4 Kids	Christmas	Auckland Town Hall	5
Sat 18 Dec	10am	APO 4 Kids	Christmas	Bruce Mason Centre, Takapuna	5
Sat 18 Dec	11.30am	APO 4 Kids	Christmas	Bruce Mason Centre, Takapuna	5
Jan 2022		Orchestral Summer School	Finale Concert	Auckland Town Hall	13
■ Connecting	with Families	Connecting with Schools	Connecting with Aspiring Musicians	Connecting with Commun	nities

COVID-19 HEALTH AND SAFETY

APO takes the health of our audience, musicians and staff very seriously. We are monitoring the global situation and following the advice of the Ministry of Health regarding public events and mass gatherings.

Venue management Auckland Live has adopted the government's voluntary NZ Covid Tracer app QR code system, enabling Auckland Live to securely share visitor information with the Ministry of Health should the need arise. Please scan the QR code found on posters throughout the venue each time you come to an APO event, or manually sign-in if you prefer.

Under Alert Level 1 events can go ahead and there are no restrictions on crowd numbers or physical distancing, but you are welcome to wear a mask if you wish. There are hand-sanitisers placed throughout the venue for your use, and if you are feeling unwell, we urge you to please stay at home and contact APO Ticketing ticketing@apo.co.nz for advice about your tickets.

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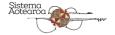
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