

## **MUSIC AND PERFORMING ARTS UPDATE**

### **Ensembles**

All Primary and Secondary Music Ensembles started this week to coincide with the launch of the 2023 Enrichment Program. It has been wonderful to see so many new students attending our ensembles so far and we thank parents for their support of the program.

A reminder that we have two new groups on offer:

**Music Theory Club** on Wednesday mornings  
Open to student of all levels, from Year 5 upwards.

**Jazz Band**, on Thursday mornings

Attached is the most up to date Music Ensemble Timetable for Term 1.

If you have any questions about the Ensemble program please contact Priya Wilson, Head of Music and Performing Arts, or email [music@ags.vic.edu.au](mailto:music@ags.vic.edu.au).

### **Instrumental Program**

Instrumental lessons have officially commenced for the year. If your child is your enrolled, we ask you to please check your child's timetable and help them to remember their lesson day and time each week. If you have any questions about the program, please contact [music@ags.vic.edu.au](mailto:music@ags.vic.edu.au)  
If you would still like to enrol your child in instrumental lessons this year, it's not too late. Please email [music@ags.vic.edu.au](mailto:music@ags.vic.edu.au) for more information, or you can enrol via the following link <https://alphington.vic.edu.au/instrumental-tuition-application/>

### **Junior Greek Dance**

Panos Stamatopoulos will once again be offering Greek Dance classes on Monday afternoons in the Drama Studio, running from **3.20 to 4.05pm** and commencing next Monday 20 February.  
The cost for 6 sessions will be \$90. Please contact [music@ags.vic.edu.au](mailto:music@ags.vic.edu.au) if you would like to enrol your child, or if you have any questions.

### **Friends of Performing Arts**

We are calling out to any parents interested in becoming part of our Friends of Performing Arts group. The group will be meeting later in Term 1 and we are seeking volunteers for support at events, or to help us prepare for our productions throughout the year. If you would like to join this group and can volunteer even a small amount of your time to assist the Music and Performing Arts Department, please contact [music@ags.vic.edu.au](mailto:music@ags.vic.edu.au).



# Music Ensemble Timetable

Term 1, 2023

Morning 8.15am – 9.00am					
Venue	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Music Classroom	Concert Band Mrs Hills		Music Theory Club Mr Rolfe	Jazz Band Mr Rolfe	Senior Greek Band Mr Kapralos
Stage	Alphington String Players Mr Baker				Alphington Chorale Ms Lang Ms Lynch
Primary Music Room	Junior Greek Band Mr Kapralos (8.20-8.50am)	Poco Chorale Ms Lang (8.20-8.50am)			
Primary Lunchtime 12.30pm – 1.15pm					
Primary Music Room			Junior Orchestra Mr Baker, Ms Wallace		
Secondary Lunchtime 1.15pm – 2.00pm					
Music Classroom	Latin Band Mr Kapralos	Drumline Mr Rousch		Senior Band Mr Rolfe	Year 9/10 Band Mr Kapralos
Stage		Year 8 Band Mr Kapralos		Year 7 Band Mr Baker	
Afternoon 3.45 – 4.30pm					
Music Classroom		Rock/Metal Band Mr Baker		Folk Band Mr Baker	
Drama Studio	Junior Greek Dance Classes (3.20-4.05pm) External, enrolled				