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Using the finest European standards in design and experience, Bernstein produces instruments of distinction. Each instrument boasts the finest AAA grade soundboard spruce sourced from Siberian mountain-spruce, supreme German Roslau strings, and hand-picked Wurzen hammer felt from Germany. Bernstein only selects the finest materials to offer you a premium piano.

Bernstein's dedication to precision provides optimal implementation of high-tech machines and indispensable mastery and quality control, resulting in Bernstein's benchmark instruments which are acclaimed and revered worldwide. With this marriage of tradition and innovation, Bernstein is able to offer a wide range of pianos from the beginner's instrument to the professional concert grand.

Bernstein pianos are built to the highest European and Australian standards. Boasting continuous private ownership over the past 40 years, Bernstein Australia holds a unique position as a leading piano company.

Each Bernstein meets three strict criteria:

- Built strong for Australia from the best parts available, with modern production techniques
- The most musically satisfying piano for the classical repertoire and contemporary pianists alike
- Real pianos. European sound. Realistic price. With this in mind, Bernstein is proud to announce and bring you the new Bernstein "Platinum Series"

ADMIRER HERITAGE

Since 1979, it has been our dream to make Bernstein the premier Australian piano. This dream has finally been made possible with the Bernstein Platinum series, thanks to the help of the expert team of piano technicians and sound engineers from around Australia and Europe.

Bernstein pianos have stood the test of time in some of our most demanding performance venues, radio studios, churches, and homes. Young pianists have fuelled their musical passion at the National Bernstein Piano Competition – proudly Australia's longest running piano competition. Television and radio shows have flourished around its name; long running programs like the Team of Pianists' Bernstein Piano Hour and television's Piano Talk series.

Bernstein holds a proud history, particularly the close relationship with renowned German piano designer, Klaus Fenner. Please visit the website www.bernsteinpianos.com.au to explore the Bernstein heritage.

Bernstein has passed every test to be a registered Australian trademark at the highest level.

Bernstein is offered throughout Australia at specialty dealers; selected for their outstanding level of service and expertise. You can trust that your new piano will be meticulously prepared, carefully delivered and service supported for the future.

Experience the choice for pianists demanding the finest piano money can buy at a family price. Of course, 10,000 Australian owners cannot be wrong.

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BERNSTEIN PLATINUM SERIES

UPRIGHT PIANOS

Rich, beautiful sounds to fill the home with joy. Considerable time has been taken in developing Bernstein's top line of upright pianos. Enjoy premium features found throughout the entire Bernstein upright range:

The Finest Sound A rich, delicate tone with dynamics ranging from light to bold.

Refined Touch Comfort of perfectly balanced weight and great responsiveness.

Beautiful Cabinets Elegant lines and thoughtful design for a lifetime of enjoyment.



GRAND PIANOS

A sophisticated piano for pianists who demand the best. Top Performance Thrilling bass and sparkling treble tones are delivered by enhanced soundboard for a sensational playing experience.

Power at Your Fingertips: The instrument for those who demand incredible dynamic power and clarity.

European Design: Striking, clean design and exclusive refinements.

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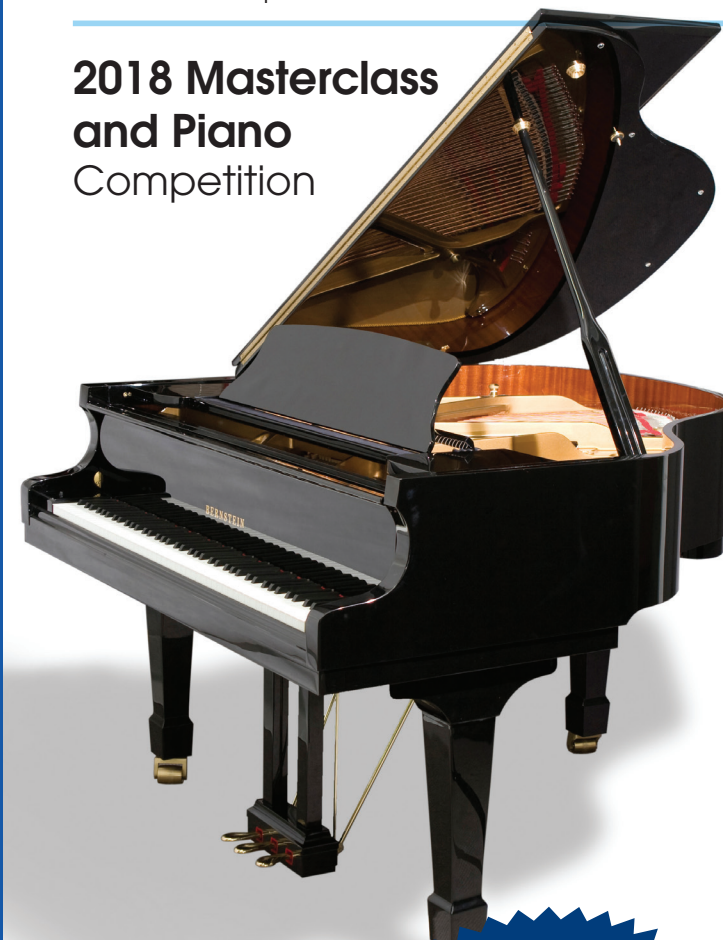
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ENROLMENT FORM

Performer's Name:

Parent/Guardian Name:

Address:

.....P/code:

Phone: (home) (mobile)

Email:

Date of Birth: Current AMEB level:

Teacher's Name:

Teacher's Phone:

Tick session: Under 12 13 - 16 Years

Exclusive Masterclass with Composer, Christopher Norton:

Saturday 21 April ☐ 2pm ☐ 3.30pm

Tuesday 3 July ☐ 10am - 11.30am ☐ 12.30pm - 2.30pm

Saturday 7 July ☐ 10am - 11.30am ☐ 12.30pm - 2.30pm

Saturday 14 July ☐ 10am - 11.30am ☐ 12.30pm - 2.30pm

Saturday 22 Sept ☐ 10am - 11.30am ☐ 12.30pm - 2.30pm

Monday 24 Sept ☐ 10am - 11.30am ☐ 12.30pm - 2.30pm

Title of piece to be performed:

Composer:

TICKETS:	Quantity	Total \$	*(inc. up to 3 audience members)
Performer \$29 ea*	x	\$	
Extra Audience \$5 ea	x	\$	
Teacher Tickets FREE	x	\$ 0	
		Total \$	

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Total Amount \$ Signature

* Cheques payable to Bernies Music Land

BERNSTEIN® MASTERCLASS

**Want to do better in your piano exams?
Get more from your piano lessons?
Then participate in a BERNSTEIN® Masterclass!**

Who is it for?

Bernstein Masterclass Series is a fantastic performance and learning experience for young piano students. It is design for students age 8 to 16, who are preparing for exams and recitals.

How does it work?

Students prepare one piece of up to 5 minutes to perform in front of a small, encouraging audience. The guest teacher will then offer valuable feedback and constructive criticism to help the student improve their playing. Participates are also able to hear and observe other student's performances.

What are the benefits?

When students participate in the Masterclass session, they receive great advice to help develop their skills, plus the rare opportunity to play for a renowned pianist/educator, and valuable performance experience to help curb nerves for future performances. Students also broaden their knowledge of other repertoire outside of their own pieces by observing other student performances, which is a vital help to their future studies. Students receive a participation certificate to acknowledge the experience. Participants may be invited to compete in the National Final of the Bernstein Piano Competition on Sunday 7th October, 2018.



Please note (Conditions):

- Due to copyright laws, performers must only use an original copy of music.
 - No photography or video footage allowed.
 - Enrolments close 7 days prior unless already full.
 - One Masterclass entry per student per year.
- Students can "waitlist" for a second Masterclass should space become available.

NATIONAL BERNSTEIN® PIANO COMPETITION

SINCE 1988

Sunday 7th October, 2018

Recorded live for Broadcast on selected radio stations

The National BERNSTEIN® Competition is Australia's longest running sponsored piano competition. It is designed to encourage young piano students and provide a friendly, yet competitive environment for students to excel in piano performance. Excellent cash prizes totalling \$1000 with beautiful trophies are presented in all sessions.

Senior 1st Prize \$500

Junior 1st Prize \$300

The National Final of the Bernstein Competition is held at Bernies Music Land in Ringwood, Victoria and includes finalists selected from Melbourne, Sydney, Perth, Brisbane and Shepparton Regional BERNSTEIN® Masterclasses and heats.

Students wishing to compete must participate in a Masterclass sessions and may be invited in writing a week or two after the Masterclass. The minimum standard for participation in the National BERNSTEIN® Competition is:

Under 12: grade 3 AMEB or equivalent
13-16 years: grade 5 AMEB or equivalent

Audience entry is free and bookings are essential.
To enquire or book, please phone (03) 9872 5122.

Please note: Past 1st place division winners are not eligible to participate



2017 Bernstein Competition Senior winner & adjudicators

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