2026 SYMPHONIC ENSEMBLES SCHEDULE

Semester 2, 2026

*Please note this is subject to change

*All rehearsals in Kenneth Myer Auditorium unless stated otherwise

As of 13/7/26

SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

PROGRAM #3:	
Fri 31 Jul	REHEARSAL 4.30 - 7pm
Mon 3 Aug	REHEARSAL 4.30 - 7pm (Cello sectional only)
Tue 4 Aug	REHEARSAL 4.30 - 7pm (All other sectionals)
Thu 6 Aug	REHEARSAL 4.30 - 7pm
Fri 7 Aug	REHEARSAL 4.30 - 7pm
Tue 11 Aug	REHEARSAL 4.30 - 7pm
Thu 13 Aug	REHEARSAL 4.30 - 7pm
Tue 18 Aug	REHEARSAL 4.30 - 7pm
Thu 20 Aug	REHEARSAL 4.30 - 7pm
Fri 21 Aug	REHEARSAL 4.30 - 7pm
Sat 22 Aug	REHEARSAL 10am - 12.30pm
Sun 23 Aug	REHEARSAL 10.30am - 1.30pm, CONCERT 5pm (Hamer Hall)

PROGRAM #4:	
Tue 8 Sep	REHEARSAL 4.30 - 7.30pm
Thu 10 Sep	REHEARSAL 4.30 - 7.30pm
Fri 11 Sep	REHEARSAL 4.30 - 7.30pm
Tue 15 Sep	REHEARSAL 4.30 - 7pm (Sectionals)
Thu 17 Sep	REHEARSAL 4.30 - 7.30pm
Fri 18 Sep	REHEARSAL 4.30 - 7.30pm
Tue 22 Sep	REHEARSAL 4.30 - 7pm
Thu 24 Sep	REHEARSAL 4.30 - 7pm (in PMS)
Sat 26 Sep	REHEARSAL 10am - 12.30pm
Sun 27 Sep	REHEARSAL 10.30am - 1.30pm, CONCERT 5pm (Hamer Hall)

COMPOSITION READING:	
Fri 9 Oct	Composition Reading 4.30 - 7.30pm

Semester 2 University Holidays	
Fri 25 Sep	Grand Final Eve
Mon 28 Sep - Sun 4 Oct	Mid-semester break
Tue 3 Nov	Melbourne Cup Day holiday

WIND SYMPHONY

PROGRAM #3:	
Mon 27 Jul	REHEARSAL 1 - 3.30pm
Wed 29 Jul	REHEARSAL 1 - 3.30pm
Mon 3 Aug	REHEARSAL 1 - 3.30pm
Wed 5 Aug	REHEARSAL 1 - 3.30pm
Mon 10 Aug	REHEARSAL 1 - 3.30pm
Wed 12 Aug	REHEARSAL 1 - 3.30pm
Fri 14 Aug	REHEARSAL 4.30 - 7pm
Sun 16 Aug	REHEARSAL 11am - 2pm, CONCERT 5pm (MRC)
Wed 26 Aug	Melba Hall short rehearsal 1 - 2pm
Mon 31 Aug	Melba Hall Lunchtime Series Concert, 1.10pm

COMPOSITION READING:	
Wed 9 Sep	Composition Reading 1 - 3.30pm

PROGRAM #4:	
Mon 14 Sep	REHEARSAL 1 - 3.30pm
Wed 16 Sep	REHEARSAL 1 - 3.30pm
Mon 21 Sep	REHEARSAL 1 - 3.30pm
Wed 23 Sep	REHEARSAL 1 - 3.30pm
Mon 5 Oct	REHEARSAL 1 - 3.30pm
Wed 7 Oct	REHEARSAL 1 - 3.30pm
Mon 12 Oct	REHEARSAL 1 - 3.30pm
Wed 14 Oct	REHEARSAL 11.30-12.30 & 2.30-4pm CONCERT 1pm & 7.30pm (MRC)

PHILHARMONIC ORCHESTRA

PROGRAM #1:	
Tue 11 Aug	VIOLIN SECTIONALS 5 - 7pm
Thu 13 Aug	VIOLIN SECTIONALS 5 - 7pm
Tue 25 Aug	REHEARSAL 4.30 - 7pm
Thu 27 Aug	REHEARSAL 4.30 - 7pm
Fri 28 Aug	REHEARSAL 4.30 - 7pm
Tue 1 Sep	REHEARSAL 4.30 - 7pm
Wed 2 Sep	REHEARSAL 4.30pm, CONCERT 7pm (KMA)

PROGRAM #2:	
Tue 22 Sep	VIOLIN SECTIONALS 5 - 7pm
Thu 24 Sep	VIOLIN SECTIONALS 5 - 7pm
Tue 6 Oct	REHEARSAL 4.30 - 7pm
Thu 8 Oct	REHEARSAL 4.30 - 7pm
Tue 13 Oct	REHEARSAL 4.30 - 7pm
Thu 15 Oct	REHEARSAL 4.30 - 7pm
Fri 16 Oct	REHEARSAL 4.30pm, CONCERT 7pm (KMA)

CONCERT BAND

PROGRAM #3:	
Mon 27 Jul	REHEARSAL 4 - 6.30pm
Wed 29 Jul	REHEARSAL 4 - 6.30pm
Mon 3 Aug	REHEARSAL 4 - 6.30pm
Wed 5 Aug	REHEARSAL 4 - 6.30pm
Mon 10 Aug	REHEARSAL 4 - 6.30pm (Student-led sectionals)
Wed 12 Aug	REHEARSAL 4 - 6.30pm
Mon 17 Aug	REHEARSAL 4 - 6.30pm
Wed 19 Aug	REHEARSAL 4 - 6.30pm
Mon 24 Aug	REHEARSAL 4 - 6.30pm
Wed 26 Aug	REHEARSAL 4.30pm, CONCERT 7pm
Thu 27 Aug	Guest performance at VSMF Hawthorn Town Hall , times tbc

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Mon 7 Sep	REHEARSAL 4 - 6.30pm
Wed 9 Sep	REHEARSAL 4 - 6.30pm
Mon 14 Sep	REHEARSAL 4 - 6.30pm
Wed 16 Sep	REHEARSAL 4 - 6.30pm
Mon 21 Sep	REHEARSAL 4 - 6.30pm
Wed 23 Sep	REHEARSAL 4 - 6.30pm
Mon 5 Oct	REHEARSAL 4 - 6.30pm
Wed 7 Oct	REHEARSAL 4.30pm, CONCERT 7pm