

PERFORMANCE OPPORTUNITY 1 January 2019



PERFORMANCE VHPBA PIPES DRUMS

Victorian Highland Pipe Band Association constantly seeks to engage with event promoters to secure performance opportunities for its members – from solo and small group requirements to band and massed band presentations.

VHPBA council has a proactive approach to generating income opportunities based on a price per player formula with the band/s or player receiving payment.

Bands and individual players interested in this participating in initiative are invited to register with the secretary by emailing secretary@pipebandsvic.com to enable establishment of the database.

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Maryborough Highland Gathering on 1 January 2019.

Maryborough Highland Society has held its New Year's Day Highland Gathering since 1857 and hosted the first Australian championships in 1961. The society will also be hosted the Pipe Bands Australia Diamond Jubilee year Australian Championships in 2020.

An invitation has again been extended for VHPBA Performance Pipes Drums to be part of the 2019 gathering which will included a drum major solo flourish competition. VHPBA Performance Pipes Drums will act as "duty band" for that event.

The repertoire list will be provided shortly.

This is an excellent opportunity for bands unable to raise numbers on New Year's Day but with a few players who may be available to join in celebrations and launch the new member performance concept.

Players and bands interested in being part of the band performance or seeking further information are requested to contact the secretary Ross Connolly or vice-principal dress and drill Chris Earl by 31 October.

Places are limited to ensuring a balanced band.