## **BRIGHTON SECONDARY SCHOOL**

Established in 1976, the Special Interest Music Centre at Brighton is one of 4 government funded Special Interest Music programs in Adelaide.

Students have the opportunity to study music with students of similar interests, abilities and passion. Special Interest Music (or SIM) students work alongside inzone Core Music students in co-curricular ensembles.

There are currently 25 co-curricular ensembles for students to participate in, from small groups, guitar ensemble and string quartets to the symphony orchestra, concert band, concert choir and big bands.

There is an international music tour every 2 years. Recent destinations have included China, Malaysia, Italy, Austria, Germany, the Czech Republic, Poland (2015 and 2019), Finland and Norway.

The music faculty comprises a dedicated team of highly-skilled classroom, ensemble and instrumental staff striving to inspire students through the best possible music program.

Organizations, partners and supporters:











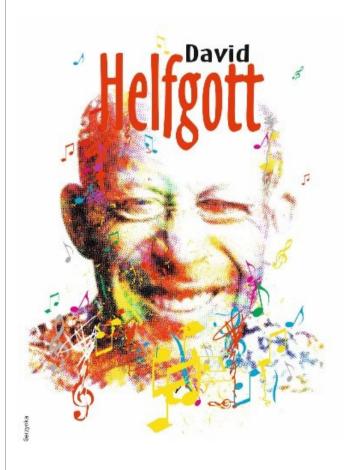




# Polish Community Council of Australia 70th Anniversary

Gala Concert by David Helfgott

featuring Musicians from Brighton Secondary School



Brighton Performing Arts Centre.
305 Brighton Rd North Brighton SA 5048

Friday, 18 June 2021 - 6pm

# Polish Community Council of Australia (PCCA)

PCCA has been operating in multicultural Australia for over 70 years and is one of the oldest and largest ethnic organizations in Australia. PCCA brings together 22 Polish organizations from all Australian states and Australian Capital Territory.

The main tasks of the Council include promoting a positive image of Poland, supporting the activities of the Polish community in Australia, preservation of Polish history, culture and heritage among the Polish community in Australia.

PCCA provides support for member organizations and facilitates their reciprocal partnership. Since its inception PCCA has cooperated with Australian governments of all levels thus contributing to and building multicultural Australia.



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#### OFFICIAL COMMENCEMENT OF THE CELEBRATION:

Marysia Hock - MC

Michał Kołodziejski - HE Ambasador of the Republic of Poland

### **Brighton Secondary School Concert Program**

Julie Guo (piano)

Nocturne in C# minor by Chopin

Emma Richardson (violin), Mattea Osenk (viola) String Duo No.1 in G major, 3rd mvt K423 by Mozart Nicolas Bergoc (piano)

Nocturne in Eb major by Chopin

**Shannon Whitehead** (violin), **Andrew Barrett** (piano) Romance from Concerto Op.22 by Wieniawski

#### **Brighton Secondary School Concert Choir**

Kalkadunga Yurdu by Willam Barton arr. Hamilton (a welcome song that invites people to the campfire to listen, learn and sing)

Prelude Op.28 No.20 by Chopin arr. Barrett Gaude Mater Polonia by Vincent of Kielcz

## **David Helfgott - piano**

Frederic Chopin – Fantasie Impromptu

Frederic Chopin – Ballade No4 in F minor

**Franz Liszt** – Paganini Etude No3 "La Campanella"

Franz Liszt – Hungarian Rhapsody No2

**Richard Addinsell** – Warsaw Concerto (solo piano version)

**David Helfgott** is truly a living legend.

As early as the age of five, David demonstrated a rare gift with his piano-playing ability. Unfortunately, things took a turn for the worse around 1970 when illness overtook his life for more than a decade.

Things finally started to change in the early'80s. David met Gillian and within a year made a triumphant return to the world of classical piano.

In 1996, Shine, inspired by David's life made a tremendous impact on audiences and his life.

David has now toured more than 37 countries to world acclaim and enchanted audiences.

