



# Collaborative Songwriting - Every Child's A Winner

Collaborative songwriting is a rich source of learning and fully inclusive. Every child here, and those who couldn't attend, has gained. Take a look at our keyboard of skills (left) to see how.

We are very grateful to Anna Page, who ran two songwriting workshops \ for teachers. Anna is a musician with an MA in songwriting and runs courses locally.

She and local musician Jamie Harris put songwriting support into local schools who needed a little extra help, for instance putting chords to arrangements and a cd to learn from.

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# SUMMER DAYS

## SCHOOL SONGWRITING COMPETITION

WED<sup>3</sup> JULY 2019

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## Welcome

This is our 4th Annual Songwriting Competition where schools create a song, and this year's theme is **Summer**.

We are very grateful for so much support to make this incredible event happen at the White Rock Theatre.

Special mentions go to:

**You** for coming

All the schools, teachers, assistants and children involved

**Hastings Direct** for making it happen

**Hastings Lions • Hastings Round Table • Blue Spark Foundation**

**Roy Hudson Trust • Lucy Tate Trust** for providing songwriting support and making sure everyone who wants to can attend.

**Replay Music Stores** for supplying the winners prizes.

**Ann Rachlin & Iain Kerr** for their support.

**Jamie Harris and Anna Page** for songwriting training and input.

**Dan Sherwood** for photography.

**Felix Mooncie**, from Hastings Academy, for videography.

And last but not least all our volunteers.

## Judges

Will either of last year's winners, Silverdale and Guestling Bradshaw retain their titles? Deciding will be our Judges:

**Emma Anderson**

Emma is a songwriter, guitarist and singer. She was in the Britpop band *Lush* in the 1990s.

**Frank Moon**

Frank Moon is a composer and multi-instrumentalist. Much of his work is for the stage - dance and theatre.

**Helen Sharpe**

Helen is a sultry jazz singer her band *Helen Sharpe and The Soulshine Band* plays uplifting disco classics. She's also a children's choir leader.

**Marie White**

Marie is a singer/songwriter who has just returned from performing at Glastonbury, where she won the Emerging Talent Competition.

Your **compère** for the night is **Jonny Morris**

**6pm**

1 Guestling Bradshaw CE Primary School

2 Silverdale Primary Academy

3 All Saints CE Junior Academy

4 The Baird Primary Academy

5 Christ Church CE Primary Academy

6 Cold Hearted (Hastings Academy)

7 Ore Village Primary Academy

8 Purely Grey (Hastings Academy)

9 Robsack Wood Primary Academy

10 St Thomas CE Primary School

11 Westfield School

12 tbc (Hastings Academy)

**7.15pm**

A break while the judges make their decision for

Best Inspiring Lyrics

Most Compelling Lyric Line

Best Arrangement

Catchiest Chorus

Best Performance

Winner (Primary, Secondary)

**7.45pm** Raffle

**7.55pm** Awards

**8.15pm** Overall Winners Performance

**8.30pm** Finish

A big raffle thank you to: **Brewers** who always provide a large tin of paint, the colour of your choice. Great for covering up handprints in the children's bedroom! Also, **Trinity Wholefoods** who always give a wholesome hamper. You could have a go at songwriting yourself with local teacher **Anna Page**. And more lovely prizes including **Kid Kapachi** posters by **Electric Wizard Prints** and **Wow & Flutter** vouchers.