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Welcome to **YoungBlue Ignite**. We have different packages to suit your students and school's needs. From workshops with DeepBlue musicians, to portable performances, to a full DeepBlue show that features your students. DeepBlue will inspire your young musicians, promote music and the creative industries at your school and can offer unique fundraising opportunities for your arts department. DeepBlue has successfully carried out workshops across Australia that ignites students, teachers and families passion for music.



1 INTERACTIVE STUDENT SHOW

DeepBlue's interactive student show involves a small group of portable and dynamic DeepBlue performers from the string and electronic sections of the orchestra. Performing and educating in an interactive in-school show for students and teachers. This package is designed to be customised to suit your school and can be anything from informal and unplugged to staged and amplified.

The performance is interactive in nature and can feature competitions, discussions and Q&A sessions. The event is high energy, lots of fun and encourages music and the creative industries within your school community by providing an opportunity for young people to access and be inspired by traditional instrumentalists doing things a bit differently. The performance is suitable for all ages and can be worked into the school day e.g. at an assembly or special feature performance.

DETAILS

DURATION: 15-45 minutes

AGES: Primary or High School (can be tailored accordingly)

VENUE: Auditorium or large performance space

TECH: Can be performed acoustic or amplified / wireless depending on venue

PRICE GUIDE: \$2,000 - \$3,000

FUNDRAISING OPTIONS

An option for this fun educational performance is to pass the costs onto families, for example - 300 students pay \$10 each = \$3,000 could be divided into paying DeepBlue as well as fundraising for the school community. Pricing is dependant on details of duration, style of performance and number of performers.





2 INTERACTIVE PUBLIC SHOW

DeepBlue's public show involves putting on your very own high impact DeepBlue show at your school! The package is a great way for your school to put on a school music event that families, teachers and students and your local community will never forget! This package includes our signature ShowStopper workshop for up to 50 young musicians as well as full evening DeepBlue show. If there are more musicians you'd like to include, you can add additional workshops to this package below. This package provides an prosperous fundraising opportunity for your school.

Australia's string rock sensation, DeepBlue is entertainment and performance like nothing else – DeepBlue have been voted nationally as the best audience reaction to a performance by APACA. The performers' exquisite playing, spontaneous energy, precision moves and circus antics delight audiences, young and old. This style of DeepBlue show can also be a feature at your school event for example open days, fetes, and music events!

DETAILS

DURATION:

- 45 - 50 mins (without interval or YoungBlue performance)
- 90 - 120 mins (with interval and YoungBlue performance)

AGES: Family friendly

VENUE: Auditorium or large performance space

TECH: Can be performed acoustic or amplified / wireless depending on venue

PRICE GUIDE: \$3,500 - \$6,000

Pricing is dependant on details of duration, style of performance and number of performers.

FUNDRAISING OPTIONS

This package can be marketed and ticketed to your school community as a full DeepBlue show. Tickets for a full DeepBlue show are usually priced around \$45-50 for adults, \$110-\$120 for families (of 4) with extra children at \$20-\$30.

Once the DeepBlue costs have been covered we have designed this package so your schools music and art programs can benefit from the profits. To maximise fundraising opportunities, this event can also be combined with raffles, bake sales, auctions and other fundraising options.



3 WORKSHOPS

We can tailor workshops to suit your school and your young musicians, allowing students to further engage with DeepBlue's professionals and ideas. The workshop environments allow students to meet and work with DeepBlue members, and in most cases lead to an opportunity to perform onstage with DeepBlue.

MOVEMENT WORKSHOPS

This YoungBlue workshop offers students an opportunity to experience DeepBlue's unique approach to music and performance. In the lead up to the workshop teachers and students will have access to DeepBlue's YoungBlue resources (sheet music, tracks and videos) in order to learn their chosen piece. During the workshop participants will work with DeepBlue musicians to learn how to move, perform, and engage on stage with their instruments, developing their own unique choreography and performance style with the aid of DeepBlue.

DETAILS

DURATION: 1 - 2 hours depending on age and abilities

FOR: Strings, Woodwind, Brass, Guitar and Bass

AGES: 8 - 18 (grouped according to ages, abilities or orchestral / ensemble structures)

EMU WORKSHOPS

This workshop involves a demonstration & explanation of different electronic and analog instruments and how we can electronically manipulate sound. Some of the electronic instruments covered are: Theramin, V-drums, Ableton live, Midi instruments, and effecting & looping live instruments. The demonstration ends with a hands on experience of these instruments. This workshop is designed to allow flexibility within the content to allow it to suit the musicians that would like to take part.

DETAILS

DURATION: 1 - 2 hours depending on age and abilities

FOR: Band instruments and any young musicians that have an interest in this area

AGES: Best suited for ages 12 - 18





CHORALBLUE

ChoralBlue is a unique performance opportunity for choirs at your school. ChoralBlue performers sit scattered in the audience during a DeepBlue show, masquerading as regular audience members. At a pre-arranged moment in the show the singers emerge, flash-mob style, onto the stage to sing with DeepBlue. In the lead up to the performance your choir will have access to DeepBlue's ChoralBlue resources (sheet music and tracks) in order to learn their chosen piece. On the day of the performance the choir will rehearse and workshop with DeepBlue performers on stage.

DETAILS

DURATION: 1 - 1.5 hours

FOR: Choirs or vocal groups

AGES: Any age!

EXAMPLE PUBLIC SHOW & WORKSHOPS PACKAGE

3:00PM - 3:30PM DEEPBLUE SOUNDCHECK AND VIEWING

3:30PM - 5:30PM YOUNGBLUE AND CHORALBLUE WORKSHOPS

5:30PM - 6:30PM EMU WORKSHOP

7:30PM DEEPBLUE SHOW FEATURING STUDENTS

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'Our Junior School girls performed with DeepBlue in concert in February 2008. They diligently learnt their parts and thoroughly enjoyed the experience of playing with "real (young and cool) musicians" in a public concert. The reaction from the crowd was great and the girls said they "felt like rock stars." Our string program here at Somerville House is steeped in classical traditions and I was more than happy to give the girls an experience which was a bit different. In short, I would recommend the DeepBlue experience as a positive one and would certainly involve our girls again'

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