

Year and Location

Military Contest

1880 Christchurch	1st	Invercargill Garrison
1881 Oamaru	2	Invercargill Garrison
1882 Christchurch	3	Timaru Artillery
1883 Invercargill	4	Oamaru Garrison
1884 Oamaru	5	Oamaru Garrison
1885 Wellington	6	Oamaru Garrison
1886 Oamaru	7	Invercargill Garrison

1887 and 1888 No contests

1889 Christchurch	8	Oamaru Garrison
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Brass Band contests

A Grade

1890 Dunedin	9	Oamaru Naval Artillery
1891 Dunedin	10th	Oamaru Garrison
1892 Wellington	11	Oamaru Garrison / Christchurch Garrison
1893 Christchurch	12	Invercargill Garrison
1894 Invercargill	13	Kaikorai Brass
1895 Timaru	14	Wellington Garrison
1896 Dunedin	15	Oamaru Garrison
1897 Oamaru	16	Wellington Garrison
1898 Dunedin	17	Wellington Garrison
1899 Palmerston North	18	Wellington Garrison
1900 Christchurch	19	Wellington Garrison
1901 Wanganui	20th	Wanganui Garrison
1902 New Plymouth	21	Wanganui Garrison
1903 Masterton	22	Wellington Garrison
1904 Timaru	23	Wanganui Garrison
1905 Auckland	24	Wanganui Garrison
1906 Hawera	25	Wanganui Garrison
1907 Christchurch	26	Wanganui Garrison
1908 New Plymouth	27	1st Battalion Auckland Regiment
1909 Invercargill	28	Woolston Brass
1910 Dunedin	29	Kaikorai Brass
1911 Palmerston North	30th	Wellington Garrison
1912 Christchurch	31	Wanganui Garrison
1913 Invercargill	32	South Canterbury Regiment Timaru
1914 Auckland	33	South Canterbury Regiment Timaru
1915 Christchurch	34	Woolston Brass

1916 - 1919 No contests during World War I

1920 Dunedin	35	Wanganui Garrison / Kaikorai Brass
1921 Nelson	36	Woolston Brass
1922 Wellington	37	Wellington Watersiders
1923 Dunedin	38	Redfern, Sydney (Aus)
1924 Christchurch	39	Woolston Brass
1925 Auckland	40th	Malvern Tramways (Aus)
1926 Dunedin	41	Wanganui Garrison
1927 Wellington	42	Queen Alexandra's Own
1928 Christchurch	43	Queen Alexandra's Own
1929 Wanganui	44	St Kilda Municipal
1930 Dunedin	45	Woolston Brass

1931		Contest cancelled due to Napier earthquake
1932 Wellington	46	Port Nicholas Silver
1933 Dunedin	47	Woolston Brass
1934 Wellington	48	Palmerston North Garrison
1935 Timaru	49	St Kilda Municipal
1936 New Plymouth	50th	Cairns Citizens' (Aus)
1937 Nelson	51	Wanganui Garrison
1938 Palmerston North	52	Port Nicholas Silver
1939 Christchurch	53	Woolston Brass
1940 Wellington	54	St Kilda Municipal
1941 - 1945		No contests during World War II
1946 Christchurch	55	Wellington Watersiders
1947 Wanganui	56	Wanganui Garrison
1948 Dunedin	57	St Kilda Municipal/ Wellington Watersiders
1949 Auckland	58	St Kilda Municipal
1950 Christchurch	59	Woolston Brass
1951 Wellington	60th	Hawera Municipal
1952 Dunedin	61	Kaikorai Brass
1953 Wanganui	62	Kaikorai Brass
1954 Christchurch	63	Kaikorai Brass
1955 Auckland	64	St Kilda Municipal
1956 Invercargill	65	Woolston Brass
1957 Napier	66	Auckland Metropolitan Fire Brigade
1958 Dunedin	67	St Kilda Municipal
1959 Wellington	68	Queen Alexandra's Own
1960 Christchurch	69	Auckland Metropolitan Fire Brigade
1961 Auckland	70th	Waitemata Silver
1962 Dunedin	71	St Kilda Municipal
1963 Wellington	72	St Kilda Municipal
1964 Christchurch	73	Roslyn Mills Kaikorai
1965 Auckland	74	Roslyn Mills Kaikorai
1966 Dunedin	75	St Kilda Municipal
1967 Wellington	76	Skellerup Woolston
1968 Christchurch	77	St Kilda Municipal
1969 Rotorua	78	Roslyn Mills Kaikorai/Onslow Brass
1970 Dunedin	79	Roslyn Mills Kaikorai/St Kilda Municipal
1971 Wanganui	80th	Skellerup Woolston
1972 Christchurch	81	Skellerup Woolston
1973 Wellington	82	Invercargill Garrison
1974 Dunedin	83	Skellerup Woolston
1975 Auckland	84	Skellerup Woolston
1976 Christchurch	85	Skellerup Woolston
1977 Wellington	86	Turrells- Onehunga
1978 Dunedin	87	Skellerup Woolston
1979 Hamilton	88	Skellerup Woolston
1980 Christchurch	89	Continental Airlines Auckland Brass
1981 Wellington	90th	Evening Post Onslow
1982 Dunedin	91	Skellerup Woolston
1983 Auckland	92	Continental Airlines Auckland Brass
1984 Nelson	93	Skellerup Woolston

1985 Wanganui	94	Skellerup Woolston
1986 Dunedin	95	Continental Airlines Auckland Brass
1987 Auckland	96	Skellerup Woolston
1988 Christchurch	97	Skellerup Woolston
1989 Wellington	98	Continental Airlines Auckland Brass
1990 Dunedin	99	Wormald Brass
1991 Christchurch	100th	Continental Airlines Auckland Brass
1992 Auckland	101	Trust Bank Otago St Kilda
1993 Wanganui	102	Skellerup Woolston
1994 Invercargill	103	Skellerup Woolston
1995 Rotorua	104	Fosters Continental Airlines Auckland Brass
1996 Christchurch	105	Foster's Auckland Brass
1997 New Plymouth	106	Trust Bank Woolston Brass
1998 Dunedin	107	Dalewool Auckland Brass
1999 Auckland	108	Waitakere City Brass
2000 Christchurch	109	Woolston Brass
2001 Wanganui	110th	Woolston Brass
2002 Invercargill	111	Woolston Brass
2003 Rotorua	112	Dalewool Auckland Brass
2004 Christchurch	113	Dalewool Auckland Brass
2005 Wellington	114	Göthenburg Band, Sweden
2006 Dunedin	115	Woolston Brass
2007 North Shore	116	Brisbane Excelsior Band, Aus
2008 Christchurch	117	Brisbane Excelsior Band, Aus
2009 Napier	118	Woolston Brass
2010 Dunedin	119	Woolston Brass
2011 North Shore	120th	Woolston Brass
2012 Timaru	121	Woolston Brass
2013 New Plymouth	122	Wellington Brass
2014 Invercargill	123	Wellington Brass
2015 Rotorua	124	Wellington Brass
2016 Napier	125	Wellington Brass
2017 Wellington	126	Brisbane Excelsior Band, Aus
2018 Blenheim	127	Wellington Brass
2019 Hamilton	128	Wellington Brass
2020 Christchurch	Contest cancelled due to world-wide pandemic	
2021 Christchurch	129	Wellington Brass
2022 Wellington	130th	Wellington Brass
2023 Dunedin	131	Wellington Brass
2024 Auckland	132	Wellington Brass
2025 Christchurch	133	Wellington Brass

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Brass Band contests	B Grade
1907 Christchurch	Masterton Municipal
1908 New Plymouth	Ashburton Temperance
1909 Invercargill	Petone Municipal
1910 Dunedin	Nelson Garrison
1911 Palmerston North	Wellington Tramways
1912 Christchurch	(NI) Gisborne City (SI) Lyttelton Marine
1913 Invercargill	Dominion (Invercargill)
1914 Auckland	Invercargill Hibernian
1915 Christchurch	9th Hawkes Bay Regiment
1916 - 1919	No contests during World War I
1920 Dunedin	Wellington Watersiders
1921 Nelson	(NI) Dannevirke Municipal (SI) South Canterbury Mounted (Ashburton)
1922 Wellington	Palmerston North Municipal
1923 Dunedin	Runanga Brass
1924 Christchurch	(NI) Queen Alexandra's Own (SI) Christchurch Tramways
1925 Auckland	Otago Artillery
1926 Dunedin	Greymouth Municipal
1927 Wellington	1st Otago Mounted (Oamaru)
1928 Christchurch	Wellington Central Mission
1929 Wanganui	Ashburton Silver
1930 Dunedin	Oamaru Municipal
1931	Contrest cancelled due to the Napier Earthquake
1932 Wellington	Oamaru Municipal
1933 Dunedin	Hastings Citizens
1934 Wellington	Wellington Artillery
1935 Timaru	Greymouth Municipal
1936 New Plymouth	Greymouth Municipal
1937 Nelson	Wellington Tramways
1938 Palmerston North	Ashburton Silver
1939 Christchurch	Ashburton Silver
1940 Wellington	Wellington Boys' Institute
1941 - 1945	No contests during World War II
1946 Christchurch	Hawera Municipal
1947 Wanganui	Nelson Garrison
1948 Dunedin	Auckland Watersiders
1949 Auckland	Wellington Boys' Institute
1950 Christchurch	Nelson Garrison
1951 Wellington	Invercargill Civic
1952 Dunedin	Wellington Boys' Institute
1953 Wanganui	Timaru Municipal Band
1954 Christchurch	Timaru Municipal Band
1955 Auckland	Hamilton Citizens Band
1956 Invercargill	3rd Armoured Regiment (Christchurch)
1957 Napier	Napier City
1958 Dunedin	Lower Hutt Civic

1959 Wellington	Palmerston North City
1960 Christchurch	Hawera Municipal
1961 Auckland	Hawera Municipal
1962 Dunedin	Christchurch Fire Brigade
1963 Wellington	Invercargill Garrison
1964 Christchurch	Addington Workshops
1965 Auckland	Onslow Brass
1966 Dunedin	Christchurch Fire Brigade
1967 Wellington	Lower Hutt Civic
1968 Christchurch	Lower Hutt Civic
1969 Rotorua	Mt Roskill Municipal
1970 Dunedin	Invercargill Garrison
1971 Wanganui	New Plymouth City Brass
1972 Christchurch	City of Rotorua Municipal
1973 Wellington	Takapuna City Silver
1974 Dunedin	Takapuna City Silver
1975 Auckland	Hawera Municipal
1976 Christchurch	Blenheim Municipal Band
1977 Wellington	Blenheim Municipal Band
1978 Dunedin	Tenderkist Wanganui
1979 Hamilton	Rotorua Municipal Band
1980 Christchurch	New Lynn Citizens Band
1981 Wellington	Rotorua Municipal Band
1982 Dunedin	Addington Workshops Band/Takapuna City Band
1983 Auckland	Hamilton Citizens Band
1984 Nelson	Glenorchy City, Aus
1985 Wanganui	Mt Roskill Municipal
1986 Dunedin	New Plymouth City Brass
1987 Auckland	Addington Workshops Band
1988 Christchurch	St Mary's District, Aus
1989 Wellington	Telecom Hamilton
1990 Dunedin	Mt Roskill Municipal
1991 Christchurch	Blenheim Municipal Band
1992 Auckland	New Plymouth City Brass
1993 Wanganui	Waikato Times Hamilton Brass
1994 Invercargill	Auckland City Brass
1995 Rotorua	New Plymouth City Brass
1996 Christchurch	Band of the CNMWC Regiment
1997 New Plymouth	TranzRail Brass
1998 Dunedin	Band of the CNMWC Regiment
1999 Auckland	Band of the CNMWC Regiment
2000 Christchurch	New Plymouth City Brass
2001 Wanganui	Marlborough District Brass
2002 Invercargill	Marlborough District Brass
2003 Rotorua	North Shore Brass
2004 Christchurch	Trust Porirua City Brass
2005 Wellington	Pelorus Trust Wellington Brass
2006 Dunedin	Addington Brass
2007 North Shore	Pelorus Trust Wellington Brass
2008 Christchurch	Pelorus Trust Wellington Brass

2009 Napier	Brass Wanganui
2010 Dunedin	Brass Wanganui
2011 North Shore	Hutt City Brass
2012 Timaru	Eastern Bay of Plenty Brass
2013 New Plymouth	Hamilton City Brass
2014 Invercargill	The Devon Hotel New Plymouth Brass Band
2015 Rotorua	Eastern Bay of Plenty Brass
2016 Napier	Hamilton City Brass
2017 Wellington	Hamilton City Brass
2018 Blenheim	Brass Whanganui
2019 Hamilton	Nelson City Brass
2020 Christchurch	Contest cancelled due to world-wide pandemic
2021 Christchurch	Brass Whanganui
2022 Wellington	Auckland City Brass
2023 Dunedin	Hutt City Brass
2024 Auckland	Tupou College, Tonga
2025 Christchurch	St Kilda Brass

Year and Location

Brass Band contests	C Grade
1915 Christchurch	New Brighton Marine
1916 - 1919	No contests during Wold War I
1920 Dunedin	
1921 Nelson	
1922 Wellington	
1923 Dunedin	
1924 Christchurch	
1925 Auckland	Ponsonby Boys Band
1926 Dunedin	Roxburgh Brass
1927 Wellington	
1928 Christchurch	Mosgiel Brass
1929 Wanganui	
1930 Dunedin	Maniototo Brass
1931	Contest cancelled due to Napier earthquake
1932 Wellington	Rangiora Brass
1933 Dunedin	St Joseph's Orphanage
1934 Wellington	
1935 Timaru	
1936 New Plymouth	
1937 Nelson	
1938 Palmerston North	
1939 Christchurch	
1940 Wellington	West Coast Regiment (Wanganui)
1941 - 1945	No contests during Wold War II
1946 Christchurch	Auckland Watersiders Junior
1947 Wanganui	Hawera Municipal Auxiliary
1948 Dunedin	Crichton Cobber's Club (Christchurch)
1949 Auckland	Auckland City Silver
1950 Christchurch	Christchurch Municipal
1951 Wellington	Christchurch Municipal
1952 Dunedin	Masterton Municipal
1953 Wanganui	Wellington Tramways
1954 Christchurch	Masterton Municipal
1955 Auckland	<i>No C Grade bands at the contest</i>
1956 Invercargill	Napier City
1957 Napier	Addington Workshops Band
1958 Dunedin	Gore Municipal
1959 Wellington	Caversham-Green Island Band
1960 Christchurch	Petone Municipal
1961 Auckland	Mt Roskill Municipal
1962 Dunedin	Oamaru Garrison
1963 Wellington	Blenheim Municipal
1964 Christchurch	New Plymouth City
1965 Auckland	Te Awamutu Municipal
1966 Dunedin	Woolston Brass Auxiliary
1967 Wellington	Skellerup Woolston Auxiliary
1968 Christchurch	Papatoetoe Muniicpal
1969 Rotorua	Takapuna City Silver

1970 Dunedin	City of Rotorua Municipal
1971 Wanganui	City of Rotorua Municipal
1972 Christchurch	City of Porirua Municipal
1973 Wellington	Palmerston North Brass
1974 Dunedin	Woolston Workingmens' Club
1975 Auckland	Gisborne Civic/Lower Hutt Municipal
1976 Christchurch	New Lynn Citizens'
1977 Wellington	Upper Hutt Municipal Band
1978 Dunedin	Ashburton Municipal Band
1979 Hamilton	Royal Regiment NZ Artillery
1980 Christchurch	Tuggerath Lakes District Band, Aus
1981 Wellington	Royal Regiment NZ Artillery
1982 Dunedin	Timaru Municipal Band
1983 Auckland	Te Awamutu Brass/ Westport Municipal
1984 Nelson	Mt Roskill Municipal
1985 Wanganui	Masterton Municipal
1986 Dunedin	Masterton Municipal
1987 Auckland	Hastings Citizens Band
1988 Christchurch	Wanganui Garrison Band
1989 Wellington	Wanganui Garrison Band
1990 Dunedin	Kaikorai Band
1991 Christchurch	North Shore Brass
1992 Auckland	Woolston WMC Silver Band
1993 Wanganui	Smiths Locksmiths Howick Brass
1994 Invercargill	Timaru Municipal Band
1995 Rotorua	Concept Brass
1996 Christchurch	St Paul's Tihoi Concert Brass
1997 New Plymouth	Tasman Eastern Bay of Plenty Brass
1998 Dunedin	Hawera Municipal Band
1999 Auckland	Timaru Municipal Band
2000 Christchurch	Fifeshire Nelson City Brass
2001 Wanganui	Willoughby City Junior Brass, Aus
2002 Invercargill	Timaru Municipal Band
2003 Rotorua	Timaru Municipal Band
2004 Christchurch	Woolston Junior Band
2005 Wellington	Eastern Bay of Plenty Brass
2006 Dunedin	Tauranga City Brass
2007 North Shore	Eastern Bay of Plenty Brass
2008 Christchurch	Te Awamutu Brass
2009 Napier	Levin & Districts Brass
2010 Dunedin	Auckland City Brass
2011 North Shore	Papakura RSA Brass
2012 Timaru	Papakura RSA Brass
2013 New Plymouth	Smiths Locksmiths Howick Brass
2014 Invercargill	Te Awamutu Brass
2015 Rotorua	Palmerston North Brass
2016 Napier	Nelson City Brass
2017 Wellington	Nelson City Brass
2018 Blenheim	Howick Brass
2019 Hamilton	Tauranga City Brass

2020 Christchurch	Contest cancelled due to world-wide pandemic
2021 Christchurch	Woolston Concert Brass
2022 Wellington	Upper Hutt Brass
2023 Dunedin	Woolston Concert Brass
2024 Auckland	Matamata Brass
2025 Christchurch	Levin & Districts Brass

Year and Location

Brass Band contests	D Grade
1950 Christchurch	Masterton Municipal
1951 Wellington	Dunedin Watersiders
1952 Dunedin	Caversham Citizens
1953 Wanganui	Portland Boys, Aus
1954 Christchurch	Sumner Silver
1955 Auckland	Te Awamutu Municipal
1956 Invercargill	Dunedin Ladies Band
1957 Napier	New Plymouth City
1958 Dunedin	Petone Municipal
1959 Wellington	New Lynn Citizens
1960 Christchurch	Otahuhu Railway Workshops
1961 Auckland	St John Ambulance (Gisborne)
1962 Dunedin	St Kilda Municipal Auxiliary
1963 Wellington	Woolston Brass Auxiliary
1964 Christchurch	St Kilda Municipal Auxiliary
1965 Auckland	Tauranga Fire Brigard
1966 Dunedin	Waimate Silver
1967 Wellington	Takapuna City Silver
1968 Christchurch	Motueka Municipal Band
1969 Rotorua	Masterton Municipal / Taupo Citizens
1970 Dunedin	Port Chalmers Marine Band
1971 Wanganui	City of Porirua Municipal
1972 Christchurch	Dannevirke Municipal
1973 Wellington	Balclutha Brass
1974 Dunedin	Greymouth Municipal
1975 Auckland	Taupo Citizens' Silver
1976 Christchurch	Westport Municipal Band
1977 Wellington	Westport Municipal Band
1978 Dunedin	Port Chalmers Marine Band
1979 Hamilton	Tauranga Municipal Band
1980 Christchurch	Newcastle Police Boys Band, Aus
1981 Wellington	Ellesmere Brass
1982 Dunedin	Mosgiel Municipal Band
1983 Auckland	Whakatane Citizens Band
1984 Nelson	Kumeu Citizens Band
1985 Wanganui	Marton Municipal
1986 Dunedin	Rangiora Brass
1987 Auckland	Feilding Municipal Band
1988 Christchurch	Band of the CNMWC Regiment
1989 Wellington	Cambridge Brass
1990 Dunedin	Gore Town & Country Club Brass
1991 Christchurch	Motueka Municipal Band
1992 Auckland	Whangarei Municipal Band
1993 Wanganui	St Paul's Tihoi Concert Brass
1994 Invercargill	Kaiapoi Brass
1995 Rotorua	Whakatane Citizens Band
1996 Christchurch	Timaru Junior Band
1997 New Plymouth	Timaru Junior Band

1998 Dunedin	Ascot Park Hotel Auxiliary Band
1999 Auckland	Tauranga City Brass
2000 Christchurch	Woolston Junior Band
2001 Wanganui	Woolston Junior Band
2002 Invercargill	Ascot Park Hotel Auxiliary Band
2003 Rotorua	Dalewood Junior Band
2004 Christchurch	Dalewood Junior Band
2005 Wellington	Levin & Districts Brass
2006 Dunedin	Roxburgh Pioneer Energy Brass
2007 North Shore	Papakura City Brass
2008 Christchurch	Roxburgh Pioneer Energy Brass
2009 Napier	Rangiora Brass
2010 Dunedin	Rangiora Brass
2011 North Shore	Cambridge Brass
2012 Timaru	Cambridge Brass
2013 New Plymouth	Matamata Brass
2014 Invercargill	Rangiora Brass
2015 Rotorua	Kumeu Brass
2016 Napier	Kumeu Brass
2017 Wellington	Roxburgh Pioneer Energy Brass
2018 Blenheim	Roxburgh Pioneer Energy Brass
2019 Hamilton	Matamata Brass
2020 Christchurch	Contest cancelled due to world-wide pandemic
2021 Christchurch	Matamata Brass
2022 Wellington	North Shore Brass Academy
2023 Dunedin	Rangiora RSA Club Band
2024 Auckland	Maamaloa Brass Band
2025 Christchurch	New Brighton Silver Band

Year and Location

Brass Band contests	Youth Grade
2005 Wellington	Pelorus Trust Wellington Youth Brass
2006 Dunedin	Pelorus Trust Wellington Youth Brass
2007 North Shore	Pelorus Trust Wellington Youth Brass
2008 Christchurch	<i>No contest in this grade</i>
2009 Napier	Pelorus Trust Wellington Youth Brass
2010 Dunedin	Nelson Vivace Youth Brass
2011 North Shore	<i>No contest in this grade</i>
2012 Timaru	Nelson Vivace Youth Brass
2013 New Plymouth	Nelson Youth Brass
2014 Invercargill	Nelson City Brass Academy
2015 Rotorua	Takapuna Grammar School Brass
2016 Napier	<i>No contest in this grade</i>
2017 Wellington	Marlborough First Class Brass
2018 Blenheim	Nelson City Brass Academy
2019 Hamilton	North Shore Youth Band
2020 Christchurch	Contest cancelled due to world-wide pandemic
2021 Christchurch	Buzzing Brass Wellington Youth
2022 Wellington	Auckland City Youth Brass
2023 Dunedin	<i>No contest in this grade</i>
2024 Auckland	Auckland Seventh-day Adventist High School
2025 Christchurch	Box Hill Academy Brass, Aus