

HEA 2026

**Burnside High School, 151 Greers Road, Burnside, Christchurch
27-29 March**

FRIDAY

7.00pm Masterclass with Promenade (featuring a guest baritone singer)

8:00pm Tea, biscuits and tags!

SATURDAY

8.30am **Vocal Warmups - Faculty**

EDUCATION CLASS 1

- 9.00am**
- How To Be A Great Bari Matt Barris
 - Tag-by-numbers - tools for learning tags by ear Will Lynch
 - Marketing your ensemble Will Harris
 - What makes a great warm-up Alex Morris

10.00am **MORNING TEA**

EDUCATION CLASS 2

- 10.30am**
- How To Be A Great Lead Will Lynch
 - Understanding Musicality Alex Morris
 - Learning Music the easy way Matt Barris
 - Lessons from the classroom - working with young people Kieran King

KEYNOTE ADDRESS – Alex Morris

Storytelling Through Music

11.30am
Exploring the art of storytelling through music – how we harness inherent musical devices, melodic contours, and lyric development to create compelling performances.

12.30pm **LUNCH**

EDUCATION CLASS 3

- 2.00pm**
- How To Be A Great Tenor Will Harris
 - You Be The Judge - Musicality Will Lynch
 - Non-verbal communication/rehearsal techniques Matt Barris
 - Vocal Health Hannah Mercer

3.00pm **BIG CHORUS REHEARSAL - Massed Songs**
Sectionals with Promenade / Rehearsal with Alex

4.00pm	MUGG - Embracing The Silliness
5:00pm	DINNER
7.00pm	SATURDAY NIGHT LIVE
9.00pm	TAG TIME / SUPPER
SUNDAY	
9.00am	VOCAL WARM-UPS - Coaching Faculty
9.30am	<p>EDUCATION CLASS 3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● The physics of barbershop Will Harris ● How To Be A Great Bass Kieran King ● Unison and duetting in the chorus setting Andrew Grieve ● Directing through education Will Lynch
10.30am	MORNING TEA
11.00am	<p>Debrief and Reflections</p> <p>Provide feedback on your experience over the weekend and inform the planning of future education events</p>
12.00pm	Wrap up and farewells