Jazz Piano: GRADE 5

THREE TUNES*

One chosen by the candidate from each of the three lists (Blues, Standards, and Contemporary Jazz), all published by ABRSM in *Jazz Piano Pieces, Grade 5*:

BLUES

- 1 ALL BLUES Miles Davis, arr. Richard Michael
- 2 CROSSOVER BLUES Pete Saberton
- 3 LEMON CORNETTE Nikki Iles
- 4 THAT MONDAY MORNING FEELING Roland Perrin
- 5 JAMMING WITH JOOLS Brian Priestley

STANDARDS

- 1 CHRISTOPHER COLUMBUS Leon Berry, arr. Martin Litton
- 2 BLUE BOSSA Kenny Dorham, arr. Eddie Harvey
- 3 OLEO Sonny Rollins, arr. Phil Peskett
- 4 34SKIDOO Bill Evans, arr. Nikki Iles
- 5 TAKE THE 'A' TRAIN Billy Strayhorn, arr. Eddie Harvey & Nikki Iles

CONTEMPORARY JAZZ

- 1 AN OSCAR FOR OSCAR Richard Michael
- 2 SO LONG Chris Batchelor
- 3 MAMBO COUNTRY Terry Seabrook
- 4 WALTZ FOR AUTUMN Terry Seabrook
- 5 CHOPS Chris Batchelor

SCALES, ARPEGGIOS AND BROKEN CHORDS*

From memory, straight 8s or swing, as directed by the examiner:

SCALES in similar motion with hands together one octave apart, and with each hand separately, in the following forms:

Dorian on B and F; Mixolydian on E and Bb; Lydian on F, C, D and Ab; A and Eb majors (*two octaves*)

Major pentatonic on D and Bb; Minor pentatonic on B and G (two octaves)

Blues scales on A, F# and G (one octave)

Chromatic scales beginning on any note named by the examiner (two octaves)

ARPEGGIOS

The common chords of E and Alp majors, F# and F minors, in root position only, in similar motion with hands together one octave apart, and with each hand separately (two octaves)

BROKEN CHORDS

Formed from the chords of D7, F7, B\,7, Em7, Bm7 and Dm7, with each hand separately

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