

WEST OF ENGLAND REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS 2022

SECTION 1

The Centaur, Cheltenham Racecourse

Saturday 2nd April

Test piece: Spectrum (Gilbert Vinter)

Adjudicators: Dr Robert Childs & Alan Morrison

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PLACING

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An uneven ariel but the teams settle well and some drive appears.

Red generates some excitement without being hard in sound. The lower end shows some depth. Some untidiness does occur in rhythms and ensemble. Basses unwell into transition which works well.

Orange Good sounds here with colourful notes and secure entries finding much of the detail.

Yellow a little untidy to start. Rhythm almost impeccable. Basses don't really link seamlessly. Perc adds colour and it is a good ending.

Green This has flow with a sweet top and good solo contributions. Good link to Affettuoso. Tuning is not exact in some parts and it could perhaps have more space but it has musicality.

Blue a lively tempo and not all entries are safe + secure. Links don't always work smoothly but it is all there. The tempo hums a little.

Indigo not quite together - cymbal loose. PPP not always together and some precision is lost.

Purple not always balanced but you create the darkness. Recap not together but a well organised ending.

A very spirited performance that explored the changing character and colours. Not always precise and controlled but a commendable reading.

Signature:

Alan Morrison

Date:

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Together to start but the accel was a bit uneven - cymbals rather loud. but good tempo
Red Several small issues with pitching and ensemble.

Orange Rather loud basses in the transition.
Good general style if a little loud. at times
Yellow

Untidy to start and small issues in euph solo. Well played at 160, dramatic close.

Green
Great tempo - good sop. Nice bass sound - fine solo all round.

Blue
Good tempo - fine euph solos (less vibrato).
Good cornets 232 - 240. Some of the dynamics are a little loud.

Indigo
Brisk, and at times scrappy. Some good detail.

Purple
Quite loud percussion - but generally a fine picture - fine close.

A spirited performance - with lots of excitement but quite a few clips and claps.

Signature: Dr RMC Date: 2/4/22