

Instrumentation

Mithril offers two pre-packaged high energy performances: a general "Celtic Pops" concert that includes arrangements appropriate for any time of year and a "Celtic Christmas" concert with arrangements geared toward the winter season.

Mithril provides all arrangements as part of the performance contract. Therefore, an orchestra will only need to purchase or rent a small portion of music to accompany Mithril's repertoire.

General Celtic Pops...

Banish Misfortune Jig Set

(Kesh Jig, Haste to the Wedding, Banish Misfortune)

2 fl (picc), 2 ob, 2 cl in A, 2 bsn, 2 horns in F, timpani, perc., strings

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harp, strings

The Gravel Reels

(Tommy Coen's, Come West Along the Road, The Gravel Walks)

2 fl (picc), 2 ob, 2 cl in A, 2 bsn, 2 horns in F, 2 tpt in Bb, 3 tbn, tuba, timpani, strings

The Kiss Jigs

(Merrily Kiss the Quaker's Wife, A Fig for a Kiss, The Choice Wife)

2 fl (picc), 2 ob, 2 cl in A, 2 bsn, 2 horns in F, 2 tpt in Bb, 3 tbn, tuba, timpani, percussion, strings

The Wounded Hussar

harp, strings

The Celtic Silk Road

2 fl (picc), 2 ob, 2 cl in A, 2 bsn, 2 horns in F, 2 tpt in Bb, 3 tbn, tuba, timpani, percussion, strings

Greensleeves

(Greensleeves, Ships Are Sailing)

2 fl (picc), 2 ob, 2 cl in A, 2 bsn, 2 horns in F, 2 tpt in Bb, 3 tbn, tuba, timpani, percussion, strings

Celtic Christmas...

Christmas Jigs

(I Saw Three Ships, As I Sat on A Sunny Bank, The Gooding Carol)

2 fl (picc), 2 ob, 2 cl in A, 2 bsn, 2 horns in F, strings

Winter's Day

harp, strings

Christmas Reels

(Christmas Eve, New Christmas, Gravel Walks)

2 fl (picc), 2 ob, 2 cl in A, 2 bsn, 2 horns in F, 2 tpt in Bb, 3 tbn, tuba, timpani, strings

Merry Christmas Jigs

(Merry Christmas Jig, Master's in This Hall, All Around the Holly Tree)

percussion (triangle, tambourine), strings

Wexford Carol

flute, oboe, clarinet in Bb, bassoon, harp, strings

Greensleeves Set

(Greensleeves, What Reel is This?, God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen)

2 fl (picc), 2 ob, 2 cl in A, 2 bsn, 2 horns in F, 2 tpt in Bb, 3 tbn, tuba, timpani, percussion (djembe), harp, strings

Blarney Pilgrim, John Ryan's Polka

2 fl (picc), 2 ob, 2 cl in A, 2 bsn, 2 horns in F, 2 tpt in Bb, 3 tbn, tuba, timpani, percussion (crash cymbal, tambourine, castanets), strings