Instrument/Grade	Competed 2021	Competed 2022	Totals	
Open Piper	5	7	Pipers 265	
G1 Piper	14	26		
G2 Piper	15	26		21+ sanctioned solo contests >2300 individual solo results  ~equal to 2020 registration
G3 Piper	48	68		
G4 Piper	84	138		
G1 Side Drum	3	2	Side Drummers 47	
G2 Side Drum	3	2		
G3 Side Drum	10	13		
G4 Side Drum	26	30		
Novice Tenor	12	16	Tenors 20	
Inter. Tenor	7	4		
Novice Bass	3	6	Bass 13	
Inter. Bass	5	7		
Total Soloists Competing*			345	

<sup>\*</sup>as of contests entered by early Oct; if soloists compete in more than 1 instrument, they are counted multiple times here. Local Events (G5) not included.

## 2022 Solo Registrar Accomplishments

- Solo results posted to website and updated in database
- Increased individuals getting e-mails via R2 via direct outreach as people registered
- R2 updates
  - · Easier to use interface
  - · Better checking of grade levels
- · Solo sheet generation program
  - Implemented program to generate soloist sheets for contests based on R2 registration successfully deployed at online and in-person games (including Pleasanton, Pipes & Pubs, & Seaside)
  - Return via e-mail speeds posting of results and large cost savings
- Music Board report
  - Continued work on music board report from solo results
  - Collaboration with Music Board for mid-season grading questions
- Soloist Support Tent @ Pleasanton (sponsored by NB)

## 2023 Solo Registrar Goals

- Solo sheets
  - Deploy solo sheet as executable for games organizers to run
  - · Add summary sheet and bands
  - Fix remaining issues- check boxes for instruments, etc.
- Soloist information
  - Update how-to guides for updated R2
  - Soloist Support Tent- Create how-to and encourage games to have tent
  - · Hold 2023 Registration information session
  - Improve awareness of the WUSPBA/Soloist link why do you have to pay dues? What does it get you? Why do we regulate grades? Etc.
- Database improvements
  - Improve usability of database for faster and more accurate results processing
  - Prototype for future development of cloud-based integrated system
- Work with OSPGO and Branch Chairs to ensure games have Steward and sheets are filled out properly

## Solo Registration 2023

- Registration for 2023 opens in December
  - Registration is through the R2 system (instructions: wuspba.org/how-to-join) -- system is updated so I will update instructions ASAP
  - The cost is \$27.00, after January 15th it goes to \$37.00.
  - If you have any questions or problems (forgot username ID and/or password) don't hesitate to contact me (via email preferable solo-registrar@wuspba.org).
- If you are planning on expanding your solo competition instrument repertoire, please contact the Solo Registrar so that your results are properly processed.
- If you are NEW, you must register for Grade 4/5/novice unless otherwise approved.
- Results from solo competition and overall standings are posted on the wuspba.org website!
  - If you spot any errors, please contact me.

## Not getting WUSPBA e-mails?

