

2018 Holiday Play list – Rev. 11-7--2018

Key		Tune	Play
KT/PT	G	Jingle Bells Start with chorus – Santa Stick, 2 nd time more bells.	3 ½
MK/PT	G	Deck the Halls Tag End by Starter – Decorate instrument/stand during start (playing of Holly and the Ivy 2 X) then 4 Count “potato” upbeat; 2nd time – feature whistles and fiddles	3***
KT/PEG	G	Let it Snow! Tag End by Starter;	2
KT/PT	C	Winter Wonderland	2
PT/PEG	C	Silver Bells Ritard End. HD – walk up C Chord,	3
KT/MK	C	Jingle Bell Rock – all tacet last 2 measures of 6 th line – MK takes it.	3
Dan/MK	C	Parade of the Wooden Soldiers – 4 measure start (snare drum when available) Slide Whistle accents, “Call & response” – last measure of 4 th line, 1 st measure of 5 th line” (high-whistles/fiddles, low – HDs),	2
MK/PEG	C	Santa Claus is Coming to Town – multiple instrument start: triangles, jingle bells, wood clackers, slide whistle. All begin at second line after 4 beat lead-in	3
MK/PEG	D	Rudolph the Red-nosed Reindeer – Santa Stick	2
PT/MK	G	I Saw Three Ships/Christmas is in the Air	As written
ED K/MK	D	Do You Hear What I Hear – 2 measure start. Play 1 st ending twice. Play second ending the 3 rd time. Try to play with dynamic phrasing	3
MK/PEG	D	Jolly Old St. Nicholas/ Pachelbel -8 measure start; play soft/slow! 2 nd time whistles/psaltery featured. 3 rd time more volume Whistles play, 4 th time softer – no whistles 8 measure Tag by Starter	4
CAM/PEG	G	O Come All Ye Faithful - at chorus, start soft, increase volume every 2 measures. End loud. Rit. end	3***
MK/PEG	G	Angels We Have Heard on High 4 measure start. Ritard End	3***
CAM/KT	G	Hark! The Herald Angels Sing - 2nd Time Feature Fiddles	3 ***
PT/LO	Am	What Child is This – 2 nd time, HDs soft (use soft side of hammers). Psalterie/Recorders featured. Play w/expression	3***
MK/CAM	G	Joy to the World –4 measure start. <u>3 bongos between each verse.</u> Tag end by Bass	3
BN/HC	Em	God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen –. guitar start. Play <u>upbeat tempo</u> ; all <u>end abruptly on last note.</u>	4
MK/PT	AM	We Three Kings/Carol of the Bells 45-45: play softly. Measure 76-77 – all rest except MK, CA, PT. Ritard end.	1
MK/PT	D/G	Simple Gifts - 2nd time feature Harmonicas , HD use soft side of hammers 2 nd time. Tag end by Starter	2/1***
MK/LO/Fiddle	D/G	Silent Night Ritard End (Sandi sings 2 nd time in D and 1 st time in G). One measure vamp between keys.	2/2***
MK/KT	D/G	Here We Come/We Wish You a Merry Christmas – 3 beat transition to We Wish. Ritard last 2 measures. All sing last chorus.	2/ 1 ½

Tunes marked with *** -HD/s soften up second time so other instruments can be featured (depending on who is there). Tunes & Carols that people sing need to start with singable tempo – not too fast!

