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LIST OF ARTISTS IN CLASSIC MUSIC & HARIKATHA AS ON 20.01.2020

S.No	Name	Type	Grade	Date of Audition	Fee	Remarks
	<u>TOP GRADE - VOCAL</u>					
1	K.Saraswathi Vidyarthi	Vocal	Top	2008	PPGGG	
2	M.Sudharani	Vocal	Top	2009	PPGGG	
3	Dr.P.Rama	Vocal	Top	2010	PPGGG	Also B High Grade in Viola & volin
	<u>TOP GRADE - VIOLIN</u>					
1	Dwaram Durga Prasada Rao	Violin	Top	21/02/00	PPGGG	
2	M.S.N.Murty	Violin	Top	2007	PPGGG	Also 'A' Grade in Vocal & 'A' in Viola
	<u>TOP GRADE - MRIDANAGAM</u>					
1	V.Kamalakar Rao	Mridangam	Top	14/6/1992	PPGGG	
2	V.V.Ramana Murty	Mridangam	Top	2007	Staff	
3	K. Ramesh	Mridangam	Top	2014	PPGGG	
	<u>TOP Grade in Kanjeera</u>					
1	Kesanapalli Gnananandam	Kanjeera	Top	2008	PPGGG	Also 'A' Grade in Mridangam
	<u>TOP GRADE IN NADASWARAM</u>					
1	G. Appanna	Nadaswaram	Top	13/10/2013	PPGGG	

<u>A GRADE - VOCAL</u>						
1	B.A.Narayana	Vocal	A	15/03/01	SCGG	
2	M.S.N.Murthy	Vocal	A	16/03/01	SCGG	
3	K. Kamala Deepthi	Vocal	A	Feb, 2012	SCGG	
<u>A GRADE - VIOLIN</u>						
1	M.Satyanarayana Sharma	Violin	A	Nov '2010	SCGG	Also B-High Grade in Viola
<u>A GRADE - VIOLA</u>						
1	M.S.N.Murthy	Viola	A	03/02/92	SCGG	Also Top Grade in Violin & 'A' in Vocal
<u>A GRADE - VEENA</u>						
1	M.Jogulamba	Veena	A	01/07/87	SCGG	
2	Bandi Shyamala	Veena	A	27/12/1994	SCGG	
3	N.Krishnaveni	Veena	A	24/04/96	SCGG	
4	R.Madhuri Devi	Veena	A	02/08/00	SCGG	
5	Ch.Balasaraswathi	Veena	A	Nov, 2010	SCGG	
6	P. Padma Ravishakar	Veena	A	Feb, 2012	SCGG	
7	Dr. Bh. Kanaka Durga Prasad	Veena	A	Oct, 2016	SCGG	
<u>A GRADE - NADASWARAM</u>						
1	N. Venkata Ramana	Nadaswaram	A	Oct, 2016	SCGG	
<u>A GRADE - MRIDANGAM</u>						
1	Kesanapalli Gnananandam	Mridangam	A	14/05/90	SCGG	Also Top Grade in Kanjeera
2	D.Dharma Rao	Mridangam	A	06/17/94	Staff	
3	M.Ravi	Mridangam	A	Jan, 2010	SCGG	
4	M.Yedukondalu	Mridangam	A	Nov, 2010	SCGG	
5	M. Naga Lakshmi	Mridangam	A	May, 2013	SCGG	

	<u>A - GRADE DOLU</u>					
1	I.Asiriah	Dolu	A	12/11/07	SCGG	
2	V.V.Rama Rao	Dolu	A	12/11/07	SCGG	
3	Y.A.Satyanarayana	Dolu	A	12/12/07	SCGG	
4	R.Suryanarayana	Dolu	A	Nov, 2010	SCGG	
5	K.Sitaram	Dolu	A	Mar, 2011	SCGG	
6	K. Govida Rao	Dolu	A	Nov, 2012	SCGG	
	<u>A GRADE - SAXOPHONE</u>					
1	I. Manmadha Rao	Saxophone	A	May, 2013	SCGG	
	<u>B HIGH GRADE - VOCAL</u>					
1	M.Jalajakshi	Vocal	B High	27/03/81	RGGG	
2	P.Krishna Murthy	Vocal	B High	1/11/93	RGGG	
3	Mandapaka Sarada	Vocal	B High	30/05/88	RGGG	
4	V.Gouri Rammohan	Vocal	B High	11/12/92	RGGG	
5	A. Srinivasa Raja Rao	Vocal	B High	13/10/1993	RGGG	Transferred from VJA
6	P.V.S.S.Srinivasa Rao	Vocal	B High	14/12/98	RGGG	
7	V.Lalitha Chandrasekhar	Vocal	B High	05/02/03	RGGG	Also B High in duet (sr 12) NFFU 22011.2019
8	Ch.Dhananjaya Naidu	Vocal	B High	12/11/07	RGGG	
9	Srujana Satish	Vocal	B High	May, 2008	RGGG	
10	D.V.Gayatri Kumari	Vocal	B High	15/03/2001	RGGG	Also B High in Violin
11	G.Aruna	Vocal	B High	March, 2010	RGGG	NFFU 21.10.2016
12	B.L.S.Teja	Vocal	B High	Nov, 2010	RGGG	NFFU 21.10.2016
13	P. Suseela Subrahmanyam	Vocal	B High	Nov, 2012	RGGG	
14	I. Jagadamba	Vocal	B High	May, 2013	RGGG	
15	V V Rani	Vocal	B High	May, 2013	RGGG	
16	B.R.V.S. Pavan Kumar Charan	Vocal	B High	May, 2013	RGGG	
17	M.P.S. Ravali	Vocal	B High	May, 2013	RGGG	
18	Ch. Ramya Kiranmayi	Vocal	B High	Oct, 2016	RGGG	

19	S. Srividya	Vocal	B High	22.11.2019	RGGG	
20	R. Kusuma Kumari	Vocal	B High	22.11.2019	RGGG	
21	P. Pavani	Vocal	B High	22.11.2019	RGGG	
<u>B HIGH GRADE - VIOLIN</u>						
1	G.Annaji Rao	Violin	B High	26/04/85	RGGG	
2	Ch.SanyasiRao	Violin	B High	26/04/85	RGGG	NFFU 21.10.2016
3	P.V.Narasimha Rao	Violin	B High	27/07/87	RGGG	NFFU 21.10.2016
4	K.Vedavathi Ganesh	Violin	B High	22/04/96	RGGG	
5	Pantula Rama	Violin	B High	05/02/03	RGGG	Also Top Gr in Vocal & B High in Viola
6	Ch.Lalitha Annapparao	Violin	B High	27/03/04	RGGG	
7	K.V.S. Prasada Rao	Violin	B High	May, 2008	RGGG	
8	S.Jaganmohana Rao	Violin	B High	1/6/1982	RGGG	
9	D.V.Gyatri Kumari	Violin	B High	27/03/2004	RGGG	Also B High in Vocal
10	M. Neeladri Rao	Violin	B High	Feb, 2012	RGGG	
11	M. Sri Ramya	Violin	B High	Oct, 2016	RGGG	
<u>B-HIGH GRADE -VIOLA</u>						
1	Pantula Rama	Viola	B High	28/01/03	RGGG	Also Top in Vocal & B High in Violin
2	M. Satyanarayana Sharma	Viola	B-High	11/01/16	RGGG	Also 'A' Grade in Violin
<u>B HIGH GRADE - VEENA</u>						
1	A.Satya Prasad	Veena	B High	15/04/83	RGGG	
3	V.V.S.Meena Kumari	Veena	B High	05/02/03	RGGG	
4	M.B.T.S.Devi	Veena	B High	March, 2010	RGGG	Also B Gr. In Inst & Lt.Vocal
5	Sayam Sreelatha	Veena	B High	March, 2011	RGGG	
<u>B HIGH GRADE - NADASWARAM</u>						
1	M.Srinivasa Rao	Nadaswaram	B High	24/08/95	RGGG	
2	G.Narayana	Nadaswaram	B High	27/08/96	RGGG	

3	G.Srinivasa Rao	Nadaswaram	B High	23/08/02	RGGG	
4	N.Abdul Rahman	Nadaswaram	B High	28/03/03	RGGG	
5	P. Dayakar	Nadaswaram	B High	05/02/03	RGGG	NFFU 21.10.2016
6	R.Atchanna	Nadaswaram	B High	July, 2010	RGGG	
7	T.Santosh	Nadaswaram	B High	July, 2011	RGGG	Tranferred from AIR, Hyderabad
8	Y. Ramana Babu	Nadaswaram	B High	May, 2013	RGGG	
	<u>B HIGH GRADE - CLARIONET</u>					
1	G.Srirama Murthy	Clarionet	B High	16/03/01	RGGG	
2	V.Balaram	Clarionet	B High	15/07/03	RGGG	
3	B. Veera Babu	Clarionet	B High	Dec, 2016	RGGG	
	<u>B HIGH GRADE - SAXOPHONE</u>					
1	V.Malleswara Rao	Saxophone	B High	March, 2011	RGGG	
2	S. Srinivas	Saxophone	B High	Dec, 2016	RGGG	
	<u>B HIGH GRADE - MUKHA VEENA</u>					
1	N.Ramajogulu	Mukha Veena	B High	Mar, 2011	RGGG	
	<u>B HIGH GRADE - MRIDANGAM</u>					
1	V.Appala Swamy	Mridangam	B High	24/02/86	RGGG	
2	G.Venkata Rao	Mridangam	B High	01/03/96	RGGG	
3	S.Subrahmanyam	Mridangam	B High	15/03/01	RGGG	
4	M.V.R.Lakshmana Rao	Mridangam	B High	28/01/03	RGGG	
5	R.Srinivasan	Mridangam	B High	28/01/03	RGGG	NFFU 21.10.2016
6	Bh.Krishnamurthy	Mridangam	B High	20/06/64	RGGG	
7	M.Surya Prasad Rao	Mridangam	B High	Nov, 2010	RGGG	
8	P. Aravindan	Mridangam	B High	Feb, 2012	RGGG	NFFU 21.10.2016
9	V.K. Abhijit	Mridangam	B High	07/05/05	RGGG	NFFU 21.10.2016

	<u>B HIGH GRADE - KANJEERA</u>					
1	M. Ravi	Kanjeera	B High	March, 2010	RGGG	2013 (AVSS) Satisfactory Also 'A' Grade in Mridangam
	<u>B HIGH GRADE - MORSING</u>					
	<u>B HIGH GRADE - GHATAM</u>					
1	V.V. Ramu	Ghatam	B High	May, 2013	RGGG	Also B Grade in Mridangam
	<u>B HIGH GRADE - DOLU</u>					
1	N.Chinna Rao	Dolu	B High	20/01/97	RGGG	
2	G.Satti Babu	Dolu	B High	20/08/02	RGGG	
3	M.Lokeswara Rao	Dolu	B High	21/08/02	RGGG	NFFU 21.10.2016
4	K.Somachalam	Dolu	B High	24/04/96	RGGG	
5	T.Srinivasu	Dolu	B High	28/03/04	RGGG	
6	K.Satyanarayana	Dolu	B High	05/04/06	RGGG	
7	R.Sahadevudu	Dolu	B High	May, 2008	RGGG	Also B Grade in Kanjeera
8	V.Parasuramanna	Dolu	B High	May, 2008	RGGG	
9	Ch.Trinadha Rao	Dolu	B High	10/4/2008	RGGG	
10	T.Ramachandraiah	Dolu	B High	May, 2008	RGGG	
11	T.Nagababu	Dolu	B High	March, 2008	RGGG	
12	A.Srinivasulu	Dolu	B High	March, 2008	RGGG	NFFU 21.10.2016
13	S.Sankara Rao	Dolu	B High	July, 2010	RGGG	
14	Ch.Thammayya	Dolu	B High	March, 2010	RGGG	
15	Y.Tata Rao	Dolu	B High	Nov, 2010	RGGG	
16	T.Sekhar	Dolu	B High	March, 2011	RGGG	
17	R. Sudhakar	Dolu	B High	May, 2012	RGGG	
18	M. Purushotham	Dolu	B High	May, 2013	RGGG	
19	R. Srinivasa Rao	Dolu	B High	May, 2013	RGGG	
20	N. Simhachalam	Dolu	B High	Oct, 2016	RGGG	

<u>B GRADE - VOCAL</u>						
1	A.S.S.Radha Kumari	Vocal	B	02/08/91	PSGG	
2	Y.Ramana Babu	Vocal	B	Nov, 2008	PSGG	
3	B.V.S.S. Santosh Kiran	Vocal	B	May, 2013	PSGG	
4	B.R.V.S. Pavan Kumar Charan & B.V.S.S. Santosh Kiran	Vocal Duet	B	May, 2013	PSGG	
5	S. Anuradha	Vocal	B	May, 2013	PSGG	
6	K.S.S. Govinda	Vocal	B	Nov, 2016	PSGG	
7	M. Srilatha	Vocal	B	Nov, 2016	PSGG	
8	V. Krishna Mohan	Vocal	B	Nov, 2016	PSGG	
9	T. Manikya Lakshmi	Vocal	B	Nov, 2016	PSGG	NFFU 22.11.2019
<u>B.GRADE - VIOLIN</u>						
1	S. Lakshmi Ganapathi	Violin	B	8/21/2002	PSGG	NFFU 21.10.2016
2	M.P.S. Ravali	Violin	B	May, 2013	PSGG	
3	Ch. Ramya Kiranmayi	Violin	B	May, 2013	PSGG	NFFU 21.10.2016
4	H.Rama Charan	Violin	B		PSGG	
<u>B GRADE - VEENA</u>						
1	P.Padma Prasanna Kumar	Veena	B	20/01/1997	PSGG	
2	P.Padmini Krishna Murty	Veena	B	24/12/1994	PSGG	
3	P.V.S.Lakshmi	Veena	B	08/03/04	PSGG	NFFU 21.10.2016
<u>B GRADE - FLUTE</u>						
1	Sheik Babjee	Flute	B	Nov, 2016	PSGG	
<u>B GRADE - NADASWARAM</u>						
1	N.Ramajogulu	Nadaswaram	B	15/05/97	PSGG	
2	E.Bulli Babu	Nadaswaram	B	06/11/98	PSGG	
3	E.China Adam Saheb	Nadaswaram	B	08/02/02	PSGG	
4	G.Tirupati Rao	Nadaswaram	B	08/03/04	PSGG	NFFU 21.10.2016

5	P.Srinivasa Rao	Nadaswaram	B	Aug, 2009	PSGG	
6	A. Kesava Rao	Nadaswaram	B	May, 2013	PSGG	
7	V. Brahmayya	Nadaswaram	B	May, 2013	PSGG	
8	K. Dilleswara Rao	Nadaswaram	B	May, 2013	PSGG	
9	P. Bhaskar Rao	Nadaswaram	B	May, 2013	PSGG	
10	K. Eswaraiah	Nadaswaram	B	May, 2013	PSGG	
11	K. Sampath Rao	Nadaswaram	B	May, 2013	PSGG	
12	G. Santha Rao	Nadaswaram	B	May, 2013	PSGG	
13	N. Dhuryodhana	Nadaswaram	B	May, 2013	PSGG	
14	R. Bhima Rao	Nadaswaram	B	May, 2013	PSGG	
	<u>B GRADE - SAXOPHONE</u>					
1	K.Sagar	Saxophone	B	Aug, 2009	PSGG	NFFU 21.10.2016
	<u>B GRADE - MRIDANGAM</u>					
1	G.Venkatesh	Mridangam	B	03/03/04	PSGG	Also B High in Morsing NFFU 21.10.2016
2	P.Ramesh	Mridangam	B	05/04/06	PSGG	
3	A.Ananda Srihari	Mridangam	B	AIR I Prize'09	PSGG	NFFU 21.10.2016
4	V.V.Ramu	Mridangam	B	01/07/01	PSGG	Also B High in Ghatam
5	M.K.R. Prasad	Mridangam	B	01/12/10	PSGG	Transferred from VJA NFFU 10.11.2016
6	B. Durga Srinivas Sarma	Mridangam	B	Feb, 2013	PSGG	
7	V. Sree Jayadeep Sharma	Mridangam	B	Oct, 2016	PSGG	
8	P.Suresh Kumar	Mridangam	B	Oct, 2016	PSGG	
9	K. Sai Krishna	Mridangam	B	Oct, 2016	PSGG	
10	V. Sai Sreekar	Mridangam	B	AIR 1st Prize Winner'2018	PSGG	
	<u>B GRADE - KANJEERA</u>					

1	R.Sahadevudu	Kanjeera	B	15/03/01	PSGG	Also B gr in Dolu
2	K.Ramesh	Kanjeera	B	23/05/06	PSGG	Also Top Grade in Mridangam
3	V. Parasuraamanna	Kanjeera	B	May, 2013	PSGG	Also B High Grade in Dolu
	<u>B GRADE - DOLU</u>					
1	R.Suribabu	Dolu	B	23/01/97	PSGG	
2	K.Neelayya	Dolu	B	16/01/01	PSGG	
3	T.Naga Simhachalam	Dolu	B	14/03/01	PSGG	
4	N.Govinda Rao	Dolu	B	14/03/01	PSGG	
5	N.Bhujanga Rao	Dolu	B	22/08/02	PSGG	
6	L.Chinnavadu	Dolu	B	23/05/06	PSGG	
7	R.Venkateswara Rao	Dolu	B	Aug, 2009	PSGG	
8	Ch.Arjuna Rao	Dolu	B	Aug, 2009	PSGG	
9	R.Sudhakar	Dolu	B	Aug, 2009	PSGG	
10	R.Srinivasa Rao	Dolu	B	March, 2010	PSGG	
11	A. Ramayya	Dolu	B	July, 2016	PSGG	
12	P.Chinna Rao	Dolu	B	July, 2016	PSGG	
13	T. Dora Babu	Dolu	B	July, 2016	PSGG	
14	Ch. Santosh Kumar	Dolu	B	July, 2016	PSGG	
15	P. Chitti Raju	Dolu	B	July, 2016	PSGG	
16	A. Bheemeswara Rao	Dolu	B	July, 2016	PSGG	
	<u>A GRADE - HARIKATHA</u>					
1	Dharmapuri Samba Murty	Harikatha	A	Nov, 2008	SCGG	
	<u>B HIGH GRADE - HARIKATHA</u>					
1	Puranam Vijaya Lakshmi	Harikatha	B High	March, 2010	RGGG	
2	K.Jejinarayana	Harikatha	B High	March, 2010	RGGG	Also 'B' in Lt Vocal
3	B.Yetiraju	Harikatha	B High	March, 2010	RGGG	

4	Y.Sikhamani	Harikatha	B High	March, 2010	RGGG	
5	K.Nirmala	Harikatha	B High	Nov, 2010	RGGG	
	<u>B GRADE - HARIKATHA</u>					
1	S.Sundaranarayana	Harikatha	B	10/05/88	PSGG	
2	B.Ranga Rao	Harikatha	B	09/05/88	PSGG	
3	Baru Krishna Murthy	Harikatha	B	27/06/96	PSGG	
4	P.Satya Lingam	Harikatha	B	27/06/96	PSGG	
5	Tanuku Prabhakara Rao	Harikatha	B	12/08/00	PSGG	
6	K.Harinatha Baba	Harikatha	B	02/07/09	PSGG	
7	L.Lakshmi Subba Raju	Harikatha	B	2/7/2009	PSGG	
8	K.Kalyani	Harikatha	B	10/07/09	PSGG	
9	Turaga Jyothi Kumari	Harikatha	B	10/03/15	PSGG	
10	Dusi Anuradha	Harikatha	B	10/03/15	PSGG	
11	Thota Tulasi	Harikatha	B	10/03/15	PSGG	
12	Mantha Nagamani	Harikatha	B	10/03/15	PSGG	
	<u>NON-PERFORMING ARTISTS</u>					
1	Arundhati Sarcar	Vocal	Top	16/09/1998		
2	M.Jogulamba	Vocal	A	20/04/1985		
3	Korrapati Basaviah	Dolu	Top	06/30/05		
4	V.S.Chakravarthi	Mridangam	B	14/03/2001		
5	K.Prasanna Kumar	Mridangam	B	Air I Prize		
6	Y.V.M.S.R.Prasad	Harikatha	B	25/10/02		
7	M.Venkata Rao	Vocal	B	14/03/01		
8	Kokkonda Subrahmanya Sarma	Violin	B High	05/27/74		
9	V.Balasubrahmanyam	Vocal	B	Aug, 2009		
10	D.China Babu	Harikatha	B High	24/06/91		
11	V.Jagga Rao	Clarrionet	B High	Nov, 2010		
	<u>LIST OF EXPIRED ARTISTS</u>					

1	T.Padmini	Veena	A	19/05/88		
2	Pendem Dharma Rao	Harikatha	B High	Nov, 2008		
3	K.Lakshmi Kantam	Harikatha	B			
4	Sheik China Mastan	Nadaswaram	B	01/03/96		
5	Sheik China Mastan & (Rehman)	Nadaswaram Duet	B High	22/04/96		
6	R.Venkata Rao	Dolu	BH	May, 2008		
7	K.Veerabhadra Rao	Nadaswaram	B	08/07/90		
8	Duvva Appa Rao	Harikatha	B	10/03/15		
	<u>Transferred to Other Stations</u>					
1	M.Sridhar	Mridangam	A	28/03/04		Trfd to AIR,VJA
2	M.Sridhar	Ghatam	B	04/04/06		Trfd to AIR,VJA

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