

THE OLD GRUMBLY BEAR

INSTRUMENTATION

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Full Conductor Score	1	Eb Baritone Saxophone	1
Solo Bb Bass Clarinet	1	1st Bb Trumpet	3
Solo Bassoon	1	2nd Bb Trumpet	3
Solo Eb Baritone Saxophone	1	3rd Bb Trumpet	3
Solo Euphonium BC	1	1st & 2nd F Horns	2
Solo Euphonium TC	1	3rd & 4th F Horns	2
Solo Tuba	1	1st Trombone	2
Flutes & Piccolo	10	2nd Trombone	2
Oboe	2	3rd Trombone	2
1st Bb Clarinet	4	Euphonium (Baritone) BC	2
2nd Bb Clarinet	4	Euphonium (Baritone) TC	2
3rd Bb Clarinet	4	Tuba	4
Bb Bass Clarinet	2	Timpani	1
Bassoon	2	Snare Drum, Triangle	3
1st Eb Alto Saxophone	3	Crash Cymbals, Bass Drum	2
2nd Eb Alto Saxophone	3	Bells	1
Bb Tenor Saxophone	2		

About The Music

The Old Grumbly Bear was originally composed for solo bassoon and symphony orchestra. This concert band arrangement includes parts to feature any one of these solo instruments: Bassoon, Bb Bass Clarinet, Eb Baritone Saxophone, Euphonium (in BC or TC) and Tuba. This charming and humorous music depicts the lumbering antics of a slow moving, grumbly old bear – until the ending, when the bear gathers some momentum!

About The Composer

Julius Fucik (pronounced "FEW-chik") was born in Prague, Czechoslovakia, on July 18, 1872. He studied music at the Prague Conservatory, for a time under the tutelage of Antonin Dvorak. A violinist and bassoonist, Fucik performed with theater orchestras, symphony orchestras, and military bands. For a time he was bassoonist in the band of the 94th Lower Austrian Infantry Regiment, under the baton of Josef Franz Wagner, composer of the famous **Under the Double Eagle March**. In 1897 Fucik commenced a long and successful career as a military band leader, and during this period he was busiest with composing music. His compositions numbered well into the hundreds, in addition to military marches, he was beloved as a composer of light symphonic music, including concert overtures, waltzes, and many marches, the most famous of which is **Entry of the Gladiators**. Fucik died at the age of 44, on September 15, 1916.

Rehearsal and Performance Suggestions

Consider rehearsing the band accompaniment without the soloist until the band is comfortable with the music and able to easily adjust to the various tempo changes indicated. While the soloist is playing, it's important for the band to stay balanced and well in the background. Any of the four repeated sections may be played "once only" if it better suits the capabilities of your soloist.

About the Arranger

St. Louis native Andrew Glover joined the staff of the C. L. Barnhouse Company in October 1998, and serves as a staff composer, arranger, editor, and production manager. Previously, Glover taught instrumental music in public and private schools in the St. Louis area, most recently as Director of Bands at Rosary High School. He received a Bachelor of Music Education degree from Central Methodist College, and did graduate work at Southeast Missouri State University.



As a composer and arranger, Glover has over 150 works to his credit. He began writing music while in high school, and his music has been performed, recorded and broadcast by bands worldwide. He has appeared as a guest conductor and clinician on numerous occasions, and for many years also performed as a euphonium soloist. For four years, he was a member of the Detroit Concert Band, conducted by Leonard B. Smith, and participated in numerous recording sessions with the DCB.

An enthusiast of classic concert band music and history, Glover is involved in new music production at Barnhouse, but also oversees the company's 118-year archive of publications, which are the main source for Barnhouse Archive Editions. He is a member of several music associations, including ASCAP.

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THE OLD GRUMBLY BEAR

JULIUS FUCIK, op. 210

arranged by Andrew Glover

Conductor
012-3350-00

Allegro furioso (♩ = 92)

Solo for Bassoon, Bass Clarinet, Baritone Saxophone, Euphonium, or Tuba
with band accompaniment

Cadenza

picc. bottom notes *ff* *fts. div.*

Flute & Piccolo

Oboes *ff*

1st Bb Clarinet *ff*

2nd & 3rd Bb Clarinets *ff*

Bb Bass Clarinet *ff*

Bassoons *ff*

1st & 2nd Eb Alto Saxophones *ff*

Bb Tenor Saxophone *ff*

Eb Baritone Saxophone *ff*

SOLO *ff* *f* *Cadenza*

1st Bb Trumpet *ff*

2nd & 3rd Bb Trumpets *ff*

1st & 2nd F Horns *ff*

3rd & 4th F Horns *ff*

1st & 2nd Trombones *ff*

3rd Trombone *ff*

Euphonium (Baritone) *ff*

Tuba *ff*

Timpani *ff* F - C - B^b - E^b

Snare Drum Triangle *ff*

Crash Cymbals Bass Drum *ff* *Cym. + B. D.*

Bells *ff*

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Cadenza *Tempo di polka* (♩ = 76) **15** - *picc.*

Fl./ Picc. *mp*

Oboes *mp*

1st Bb Clar. *mp*

2nd/3rd Bb Clars. *mp*

Bb Bass Clar. *mf* *p*

Bsns. *mf* *p*

1st/2nd Eb Alto Saxs. *mf* *p*

Bb Tenor Sax. *mf* *p*

Eb Bari. Sax. *mf* *p*

SOLO *mf* *playfully*

1st Bb Trpt. *mf* *p*

2nd/3rd Bb Trpts. *mf* *p*

1st/2nd F Hrns. *mf* *p*

3rd/4th F Hrns. *mf* *p*

1st/2nd Trombs. *mf* *p*

3rd Tromb. *mf* *p*

Euph. (Bar.) *p*

Tuba *mf* *p*

Timp. *mf* *p*

Sn. Dr. Tri. *mf* *p*

Cr. Cym. Bass Dr. *mf* *p*

Bells *p*

Fl./ Picc.

Oboes

1st Bb Clar.

2nd/3rd Bb Clars.

Bb Bass Clar.

Bsns.

1st/2nd Eb Alto Saxs.

Bb Tenor Sax.

Eb Bari. Sax.

SOLO

1st Bb Trpt.

2nd/3rd Bb Trpts.

1st/2nd F Hrns.

3rd/4th F Hrns.

1st/2nd Trombs.

3rd Tromb.

Euph. (Bar.)

Tuba

Timp.

Sn. Dr. Tri.

Cr. Cym. Bass Dr.

Bells

23

23

mp

32 *Affrettando* *stent.*
+ *picc.*

Fl./ Picc.
Oboes
1st Bb Clar.
2nd/3rd Bb Clars.
Bb Bass Clar.
Bsns.
1st/2nd Eb Alto Saxes.
Bb Tenor Sax.
Eb Bari. Sax.
SOLO
1st Bb Trpt.
2nd/3rd Bb Trpts.
1st/2nd F Hrns.
3rd/4th F Hrns.
1st/2nd Trombs.
3rd Tromb.
Euph. (Bar.)
Tuba
Timp.
Sn. Dr. Tri.
Cr. Cym. Bass Dr.
Bells

mf *f* *p*

1. 2. 32 *Affrettando* *stent.*
mf lazily

S. D. *mf* *f* *p*

40 *Affret.* *stent.*
+ picc.

- picc.

Fl./ Picc. *p* *f* *mf* *ff*

Oboes *p* *f* *mf* *ff*

1st Bb Clar. *p* *f* *mf* *ff*

2nd/3rd Bb Clars. *p* *f* *mf* *ff*

Bb Bass Clar. *p* *f* *p* *ff*

Bsns. *f* *p* *ff*

1st/2nd Eb Alto Saxs. *f* *p* *ff*

Bb Tenor Sax. *f* *p* *ff*

Eb Bari. Sax. *p* *f* *ff*

SOLO *mf*

40 *Affret.* *stent.*

1st Bb Trpt. *p* *f* *ff*

2nd/3rd Bb Trpts. *p* *f* *ff*

1st/2nd F Hrns. *f* *p* *ff*

3rd/4th F Hrns. *f* *p* *ff*

1st/2nd Trombs. *p* *f* *ff*

3rd Tromb. *p* *f* *ff*

Euph. (Bar.) *p* *f* *p* *ff*

Tuba *f* *p* *ff*

Timp. *p* *f* *ff*

Sn. Dr. Tri. *f* *ff*

Cr. Cym. Bass Dr. *f* *ff*

Bells *p* *f* *ff*

Trio
poco meno mosso

53 Adagio (♩ = 76)

FL/
Picc.

Oboes

1st Bb
Clar.

2nd/3rd
Bb Clars.

Bb Bass
Clar.

Bsns.

1st/2nd Eb
Alto Saxs.

Bb Tenor
Sax.

Eb Bari.
Sax.

mf *ff* *f* *mp* *p*

1. 2.

Trio
poco meno mosso

53 Adagio (♩ = 76)

SOLO

1st Bb
Trpt.

2nd/3rd
Bb Trpts.

1st/2nd
F Hrns.

3rd/4th
F Hrns.

1st/2nd
Trombs.

3rd
Tromb.

Euph.
(Bar.)

Tuba

Timp.

Sn. Dr.
Tri.

Cr. Cym.
Bass Dr.

Bells

mf *ff* *f* *mp dolce* *p*

1. 2.