

Afterburn: Relaunch

For Concert Band, Grade 2
By Randall D. Standridge

Instrumentation

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|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|
| 1 - Full Score | 4 - Bb Trumpet 1 |
| 8 - Flute | 4 - Bb Trumpet 2 |
| 2 - Oboe | 4 - F Horn |
| 5 - Bb Clarinet 1 | 3 - Trombone 1 |
| 5 - Bb Clarinet 2 | 3 - Trombone 2 |
| 2 - Bb Bass Clarinet | 4 - Euphonium B.C./Bassoon |
| 6 - Eb Alto Saxophone | 2 - Euphonium T.C. |
| 2 - Bb Tenor Saxophone | 4 - Tuba |
| 2 - Eb Baritone Saxophone | |
| 2 - Mallets 1 (Bells) | |
| 2 - Mallets 2 (Xylophone) | |
| 2 - Timpani | |
| 2 - Percussion 1&2: P1: Snare Drum | |
| P2: Bass Drum | |
| 2 - Percussion 3: Crash Cymbals/Tambourine/Suspended Cymbal/Two Woodblocks | |

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Program Notes

Composers change. Let's get that out of the way right off the bat.

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In 2009 (check the year), I wrote a piece titled AFTERBURN, which went on to be my first "hit." At the time I wrote it, I really loved the way it sounded, and I thought, "Good job, Randall!"

However, composers change.

It has been 14 years (check time) since I wrote that piece, and my aesthetic and my educational concerns have changed significantly. While I was always grateful that the piece gave me my real start in the band world, I would always cringe when I heard anyone play it due to the fact that, while it sounded good, it did not engage all of the players in a meaningful way. Sorry Clarinets and Flutes. Sorry Tubas.

Being that the piece was published, I assumed I would never get the opportunity to go back and revisit this work and correct what I now perceived as past mistakes.

How wrong I was.

In 2022, I had the good fortune to regain the rights to all of my works that have been previously published by Grand Mesa Music. The owners had decided to semi-retire, and we were able to create a deal in which I would get back my entire library of works that had previously been in their catalog. Among these, of course, was AFTERBURN.

This new version, AFTERBURN: RELAUNCH, maintains the exact form and melodic contents of the previous version, but it has been significantly re-scored to ensure that the parts are more equitable and engaging for all players. In addition to those, I have added some new textures and countermelodic moments that bring the piece to life in new and unexpected ways.

If you still prefer the old version, do not worry; it will remain in print. However, I am very proud of this new version and very proud of the composer I have become in the intervening years, having found a balance between satisfying my own aesthetic preferences as well as my educator's heart.

Composers change. And, sometimes, it's even for the better.

Peace Love and Music

About the Composer



Randall Standridge (b.1976) received his Bachelor of Music Education from Arkansas State University. During this time, he studied composition with Dr. Tom O'Connor, before returning to Arkansas State University to earn his Master's in Music Composition, studying with Dr. Tom O'Connor and Dr. Tim Crist. From 2001 to 2013, he served as the Director of Bands at Harrisburg High School in Harrisburg, Arkansas.

Mr. Standridge is currently published by Grand Mesa Music, Alfred Music, FJH Music, Wingert-Jones Music, BandWorks Publications, Twin Towers Music, and Northeastern Music Publications. Mr. Standridge has had several of his pieces performed internationally and has had numerous works selected to the J.W. Pepper's Editor's Choice and Bandworld Top 100 lists. His compositions *Snake Charmer*, *Gently Blows the Summer Wind*, and *Angelic Celebrations*, also published, are included in *Teaching Music through Performance in Band* series. He has had several works performed at the Midwest Music Clinic in Chicago, IL. His work *Art(isms)* was premiered by the Arkansas State University Wind Ensemble at the 2010 CBDNA conference in Las Cruces, New Mexico. Mr. Standridge is also a contributing composer for Alfred Music's *Sound Innovations: Ensemble Development* series. His music is gaining recognition as worthwhile literature for concert festivals and performances across the United States and internationally.

In addition to his career as a composer, Mr. Standridge is the Marching Band Editor for Grand Mesa Music Publishers. He is in demand as a conductor, clinician, drill designer, composer, and music arranger for the marching arts. He is also a freelance artist, photographer, and writer. He lives in Jonesboro, AR, with his family. For more information about Mr. Standridge, visit his website at: www.randallstandridge.com

Score
Grade 2

Duration: 3:20

Afterburn: Relaunch

Randall D. Standridge
(ASCAP)

Soaring! $\text{♩} = 152$

3

Flute/Picc.

Oboe (Opt. Fl.2)

Bassoon

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Bass Clarinet

E♭ Alto Saxophone

B♭ Tenor Saxophone

E♭ Baritone Saxophone

B♭ Trumpet 1

B♭ Trumpet 2

Horn in F

Trombone

Euphonium

Tuba

Mallets 1 Bells

Mallets 2 Xylophone

Tune: E, G, B, D- (hard mallets)

Timpani

S.D. > > > >
B.D. > > >
Crash Cymbals
Sus. Cym.

Percussion 1&2
P1: Snare Drum/Triangle
P2: Bass Drum

P3: Crash Cym./Tambourine
P4: Sus. Cym./Hi-Hat/
Sleigh Bells

1 2 3 4 5 6

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Afterburn: Relaunch - Score

11

Fl.

Ob.

Bsn.

B♭ Cl. 1

B♭ Cl. 2

B. Cl.

A. Sx.

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

B♭ Tpt. 1

B♭ Tpt. 2

Hn.

Tbn.

Euph.

Tuba

Mal. 1

Mal. 2

Timp.

Perc. 1&2

Perc. 3&4

Fl.

Ob.

Bsn.

B♭ Cl. 1

B♭ Cl. 2

B. Cl.

A. Sx.

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

B♭ Tpt. 1

B♭ Tpt. 2

Hn.

Tbn.

Euph.

Tuba

Mal. 1

Mal. 2

Tim.

Perc. 1&2

Perc. 3&4

Afterburn: Relaunch - Score

22

Musical score for Afterburn: Relaunch, page 4, measure 22. The score includes parts for Flute (Fl.), Oboe (Ob.), Bassoon (Bsn.), B♭ Clarinet 1 (B♭ Cl. 1), B♭ Clarinet 2 (B♭ Cl. 2), Bass Clarinet (B. Cl.), Alto Saxophone (A. Sx.), Tenor Saxophone (T. Sx.), Bass Saxophone (B. Sx.), B♭ Trumpet 1 (B♭ Tpt. 1), B♭ Trumpet 2 (B♭ Tpt. 2), Horn (Hn.), Trombone (Tbn.), Euphonium (Euph.), Tuba (Tuba), Mallets 1 (Mal. 1), Mallets 2 (Mal. 2), Timpani (Timp.), Percussion 1&2 (Perc. 1&2), and Percussion 3&4 (Perc. 3&4). The score shows various dynamics like *mf*, *mp*, *f*, and *p* across multiple staves. Measure 22 starts at *mf* for Flute, Ob., Bsn., B♭ Cl. 1, B♭ Cl. 2, Bass Clarinet, A. Sx., T. Sx., B. Sx., B♭ Tpt. 1, B♭ Tpt. 2, Hn., Tbn., Euph., Tuba, Mal. 1, and Mal. 2. It transitions to *mf* for Bsn., B♭ Cl. 1, B♭ Cl. 2, Bass Clarinet, A. Sx., T. Sx., B. Sx., B♭ Tpt. 1, B♭ Tpt. 2, Hn., Tbn., Euph., Tuba, Mal. 1, and Mal. 2. Measure 22 ends at *mf* for Timp., *f* for Perc. 1&2, *p* for Perc. 1&2, *f* for Perc. 1&2, *mf* for Perc. 3&4, *Triangle* for Perc. 1&2, *Tambourine* for Perc. 3&4, and *mp* for Perc. 3&4.

Afterburn: Relaunch - Score

5

30

Fl.

Ob.

Bsn.

B♭ Cl. 1

B♭ Cl. 2

B. Cl.

A. Sx.

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

B♭ Tpt. 1

B♭ Tpt. 2

Hn.

Tbn.

Euph.

Tuba

Mal. 1

Mal. 2

Timp.

Perc. 1&2

Perc. 3&4

25 26 27 28 29 30

Afterburn: Relaunch - Score

Fl.

ob.

Bsn.

B♭ Cl. 1

B♭ Cl. 2

B. Cl.

A. Sx.

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

B♭ Tpt. 1

B♭ Tpt. 2

Hn.

Tbn.

Euph.

Tuba

Mal. 1

Mal. 2

Tim.

Perc. 1&2

Perc. 3&4

The score consists of six systems of music, each with two staves. The instruments in each system are: Flute, Oboe, Bassoon, Clarinet 1, Clarinet 2, Bass Clarinet, Alto Saxophone, Tenor Saxophone, Bass Saxophone, Bass Trombone, Horn, Tuba, Euphonium, Timpani, Percussion 1 & 2, and Percussion 3 & 4. Measure 31 starts with a rest for most instruments. Measures 32 and 33 show various rhythmic patterns with grace marks. Measures 34 and 35 feature sustained notes with grace marks. Measure 36 concludes the section.

Afterburn: Relaunch - Score

7

38

Fl.

Ob.

Bsn.

B♭ Cl. 1

B♭ Cl. 2

B. Cl.

A. Sx.

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

B♭ Tpt. 1

B♭ Tpt. 2

Hn.

Tbn.

Euph.

Tuba

Mal. 1

Mal. 2

Tim.

Perc. 1&2

Perc. 3&4

Cr. Cyms.

Afterburn: Relaunch - Score

Fl.

ob.

Bsn.

B♭ Cl. 1

B♭ Cl. 2

B. Cl.

A. Sx.

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

B♭ Tpt. 1

B♭ Tpt. 2

Hn.

Tbn.

Euph.

Tuba

Mal. 1

Mal. 2

Tim.

Perc. 1&2

Perc. 3&4

43 44 45 46 47 48

52

Fl.

Ob.

Bsn.

B. Cl. 1

B. Cl. 2

B. Cl.

A. Sx.

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

B. Tpt. 1

B. Tpt. 2

Hn.

Tbn.

Euph.

Tuba

Mal. 1

Mal. 2

Timp.

Perc. 1&2

Perc. 3&4

ff

mf

>

>>

p

Hi-Hat

(1-6)

(2)

(3)

49 50 51 52 53 54 55

Afterburn: Relaunch - Score

60

Fl.

Ob.

Bsn.

B. Cl. 1

B. Cl. 2

B. Cl.

A. Sx.

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

B. Tpt. 1

B. Tpt. 2

Hn.

Tbn.

Euph.

Tuba

Mal. 1

Mal. 2

Timp.

Perc. 1&2

Perc. 3&4

(4)

(5)

(6)

56

57

58

59

60

61

Afterburn: Relaunch - Score

11

Fl.

Ob.

Bsn.

B♭ Cl. 1

B♭ Cl. 2

B. Cl.

A. Sx.

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

B♭ Tpt. 1

B♭ Tpt. 2

Hn.

Tbn.

Euph.

Tuba

Mal. 1

Mal. 2

Tim.

Perc. 1&2

Perc. 3&4

72

Ft.

Ob.

Bsn.

B♭ Cl. 1

B♭ Cl. 2

B. Cl.

A. Sx.

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

B♭ Tpt. 1

B♭ Tpt. 2

Hn.

Tbn.

Euph.

Tuba

Mal. 1

Mal. 2

Tim.

Perc. 1&2

Perc. 3&4

This musical score page shows a section from measure 68 to measure 73. The instrumentation includes Flute, Oboe, Bassoon, B♭ Clarinet 1, B♭ Clarinet 2, Bass Clarinet, Alto Saxophone, Tenor Saxophone, Bass Saxophone, B♭ Trumpet 1, B♭ Trumpet 2, Horn, Trombone, Euphonium, Tuba, and two Percussionists. Measures 68-70 show woodwind entries with dynamic markings like *f*, *subito mp*, and *p*. Measure 71 features a dynamic range from *p* to *mf*, with a melodic line in the brass. Measures 72-73 introduce a rhythmic pattern in the brass section, with Percussion 1&2 playing eighth-note patterns and Percussion 3&4 providing bass support. A 'Sleigh Bells' effect is indicated at the end of measure 72. Measures 72 and 73 conclude with a dynamic of *ff*.

Afterburn: Relaunch - Score

13

Fl.

Ob.

Bsn. *mf*

B♭ Cl. 1

B♭ Cl. 2

B. Cl.

A. Sx. *mf*

T. Sx. *mf*

B. Sx.

B♭ Tpt. 1

B♭ Tpt. 2

Hn. *mf*

Tbn. *mf*

Euph.

Tuba

Mal. 1

Mal. 2

Timp.

Perc. 1&2

Perc. 3&4

Afterburn: Relaunch - Score

80

Fl.

ob.

Bsn.

B♭ Cl. 1

B♭ Cl. 2

B. Cl.

A. Sx.

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

B♭ Tpt. 1

B♭ Tpt. 2

Hn.

Tbn.

Euph.

Tuba

Mal. 1

Mal. 2

Timp.

Perc. 1&2

Perc. 3&4

80

81

82

83

84

85

88

Fl.

Ob.

Bsn.

B. Cl. 1

B. Cl. 2

B. Cl.

A. Sx.

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

B. Tpt. 1

B. Tpt. 2

Hn.

Tbn.

Euph.

Tuba

Mal. 1

Mal. 2

Timp.

Perc. 1&2

Perc. 3&4

86

87

88

89

90

91

Afterburn: Relaunch - Score

94

Fl.
 Ob.
 Bsn.
 B_b Cl. 1
 B_b Cl. 2
 B. Cl.
 A. Sx.
 T. Sx.
 B. Sx.
 B_b Tpt. 1
 B_b Tpt. 2
 Hn.
 Tbn.
 Euph.
 Tuba
 Mal. 1
 Mal. 2
 Timp.
 Perc. 1&2
 Perc. 3&4

cresc.
 cresc.
 mf cresc.
 mp
 cresc.
 f

92 93 94 95 96 97

102

Fl. *f*

Ob. *f*

Bsn. *fp*

B♭ Cl. 1 *fp*

B♭ Cl. 2 *fp*

B. Cl.

A. Sx. *fp*

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

B♭ Tpt. 1 *fp*

B♭ Tpt. 2 *fp*

Hn. *fp*

Tbn. *fp*

Euph. *fp*

Tuba *fp*

Mal. 1 *f*

Mal. 2 *f*

Tim. *fp*

Perc. 1&2 *f*

Perc. 3&4

>) or decrescendos (*)>). Measure numbers 98 through 103 are indicated along the bottom of the page."/>

Afterburn: Relaunch - Score

Fl.

ob.

Bsn.

B♭ Cl. 1

B♭ Cl. 2

B. Cl.

A. Sx.

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

B♭ Tpt. 1

B♭ Tpt. 2

Hn.

Tbn.

Euph.

Tuba

Mal. 1

Mal. 2

Tim.

Perc. 1&2

Perc. 3&4

(3) (4) (5) (6)

104 105 106 107 108 109

Afterburn: Relaunch - Score

19

110

Fl.

Ob.

Bsn.

B♭ Cl. 1

B♭ Cl. 2

B. Cl.

A. Sx.

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

B♭ Tpt. 1

B♭ Tpt. 2

Hn.

Tbn.

Euph.

Tuba

Mal. 1

Mal. 2

Timpani

Perc. 1&2

Perc. 3&4

110

111

112

113

114

115

Afterburn: Relaunch - Score

118

Fl.

Ob.

Bsn.

B♭ Cl. 1

B♭ Cl. 2

B. Cl.

A. Sx.

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

B♭ Tpt. 1

B♭ Tpt. 2

Hn.

Tbn.

Euph.

Tuba

Mal. 1

Mal. 2

Tim.

Perc. 1&2

Perc. 3&4

116 117 118 119 120 121

Afterburn: Relaunch - Score

21

Fl.

Ob.

Bsn.

B♭ Cl. 1

B♭ Cl. 2

B. Cl.

A. Sx.

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

B♭ Tpt. 1

B♭ Tpt. 2

Hn.

Tbn.

Euph.

Tuba

Mal. 1

Mal. 2

Timp.

Perc. 1&2

Perc. 3&4

122

123

ff

124

125

p

126

(Ch.)