

The Hornpipe Collection



The Trumpet Hornpipe (traditional)

Musical score for The Trumpet Hornpipe in G major, 4/4 time. The score consists of five staves of music. Chord symbols are placed above the notes: G, G, D7, D7, G, D, A7, D, G, C, Am, D7, G, G7, C, Cm, D7, G.

Analytical look at the A part of the music. The top staff shows the melody with chord symbols G, G7, C, Cm. The bottom staff shows the fingering for the trumpet: 5 5 5 5 | 3 3 3 3 | 2 2 2 2 | 1 1 1 1.

This is the original setting of The Trumpet Hornpipe. It's not clear where the version usually played now came from, with the chromatic run (see left), possibly the Captain Pugwash TV programme. Below is an analytical look at the A part, with various musical patterns outlined.

Analysis of the A part of the music, divided into four numbered sections:

- 1**: Lead-in note (G), Rhythmic pattern (triplets), Repeated (triplets), G arpeggio (GBD).
- 2**: Rhythmic pattern (triplets), Repeated (triplets), D7 arpeggio (DF#AC).
- 3**: 1st phrase repeated with variation at end.
- 4**: Pattern (D, A7), Repeated (D).

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