(Corey's Song - The Roll of Thunder)

- **Danielle** begins by playing thunderstorm sounds on the keyboard (voice 469).
- **Corey** plays the song on the trombone. (plays with his accompaniment, created with Sibelius)
- Aja plays the timpani part on Voice 116

Lansky – "the thing to do with this would be to have unusual sounds playing with the tune."

- Unusual sounds - whistle (343), wind (470), ocarina (344).

Lansky – "My idea would be to have some very delicate far-off high sounds."

Other sounds – 414 Bell Choir, 387 Crystal, Also, birds singing (459).

Need to have CD and CD Player OR IPod to play through amp/speaker with **Corey**. (Excerpt Below)



Corey - Roll of Thunder, Page 2



Roll Of Thunder

by Corey Walker, 2009 PTA Reflections Music Winner

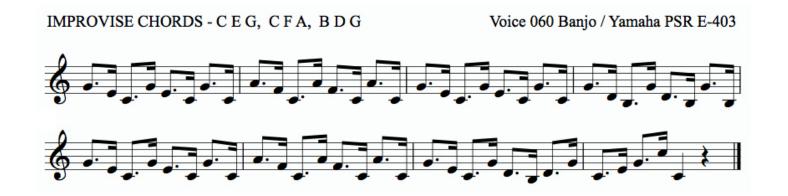


Crystal and Ronnaiona's Song (The Train)

Kelsey reads the Story: We went to the train station to ride the train to the next town. We can hear the train coming in the distance. There are passengers in the boxcars on the train playing a banjo and harmonicas. As the train gets closer, the sound becomes louder and louder. The train comes into the station... then it goes away and disappears into the distance (sound gets softer and softer), without ever stopping at the train station to pick-up more passengers!

- **Crystal and Ronnaiona's** song starts with the train coming down the track.
- Danielle plays the 'train 490 sound', softer then louder while
- Keyboard plays the sound of the train coming down the track **Style-BBShuffle1 STYLE 60, Tempo 100**
- **Crystal and Ronnaiona** start playing the harmonicas.
- ADD **Sam** playing a harmonica sound on the keyboard (CEG on Voice 31, Harmonica)
- **Breiana** or **Arionna** Trumpet 78 (train whistle chord on C-E-G choo, choo) with **Pitch Bend Wheel** (down, up to middle)
- Shakers and other percussion sounds are added to the harmonica sounds.
- Aja can play a banjo part on Voice 060
- Bells (Jaylin and Kelsey) start playing half notes on C and E.
- **Arionna** adds a percussion sound to the mix.
- **Breiana** or **Arionna** Trumpet 78 (train whistle chord on C-E-G choo, choo) with **Pitch Bend Wheel** (down, up to middle)
- Danielle ends with a train sound.

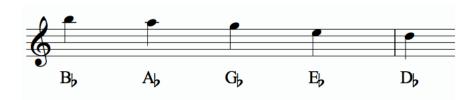
Corey and **Aja** were expecting the train to stop but it keeps going! He pretends to say, "stop, stop!" (Waving his hands in the air, running after the harmonica players.)



(Jaylin's Song - The Sunset)



- Corey conducts the song
- **Danielle and Ronnaiona** play on the bells glisten (slide) the mallets across the black key notes.
- **Jaylin** plays her melody (129 no arpeggio or 103)
- **Arionna and Aja** play on the black keys. **Arionna** 129 (NO arpeggio). Others need to play something different than Jaylin's melody. **Aja** can play G flat and D flat drone on Sound 103.
- **Corey** taps other students to begin playing on the black keys.
- Some students could play the shakers or jingle sticks
- After a couple of minutes, **Corey** taps each student when they should stop playing.
- End the song with **Jaylin** playing her melody, then **Danielle and Ronnaiona** glistening softer and softer over the black key notes on the bells.



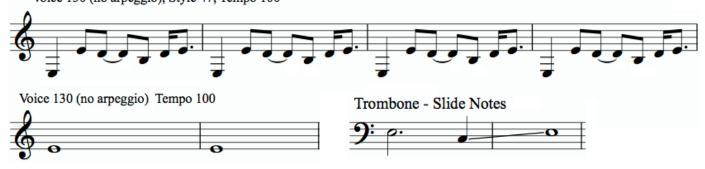
Samuel's Song (Sam)

- Shakers and Jingle Sticks start first, then Sam will start on E's.
- **Danielle** will start on the note E. (Watch notes!)
- **Arionna** can use the shakers, then play the percussion sounds on the keyboard.
- **Breiana and Jaylin** will play starting on the note G.
- Ronnaiona and Arionna will start on the note B.
- **Crystal and Kelsey** Bells will play half notes on the E's.
- **Aja** plays the bass clef line and **Corey** plays starting on E on the trombone. (E-E- E-E-E- E-C- D-E)
- In the middle, everyone will stop except for **Aja** playing whole note E's as we start the drums (Style 047 HipHopGroove, Tempo 100, Voice 130 no arpeggio) **Aja and Sam** play the middle section.
- After 8 counts, **everyone claps** on beats 2 and 4. **Corey** slides (sparingly) on the trombone from E to C.
- They can play this several times, with **Ms. Garrett** improvising on the treble part. Aja ends the section with whole note E's, then everyone will come back in on their original rhythms. After everyone comes in, the **bells** will be playing a different rhythm. (EDE or BAB). We will end the song with **Sam** and **Aja** playing, getting softer, fading out the music.



Middle Section - Sam, Aja

Voice 130 (no arpeggio), Style 47, Tempo 100

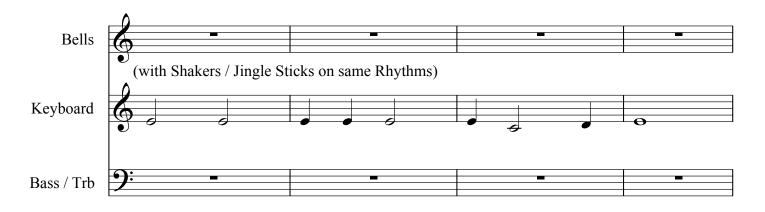


Bells - Part after middle section, Repeat as needed

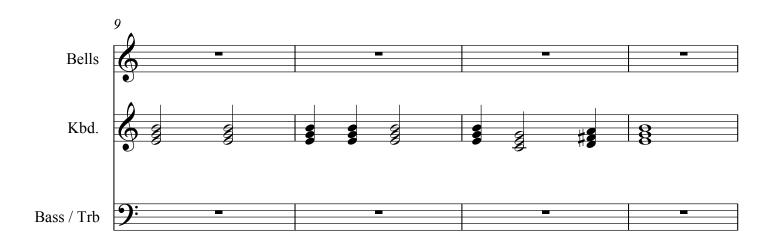


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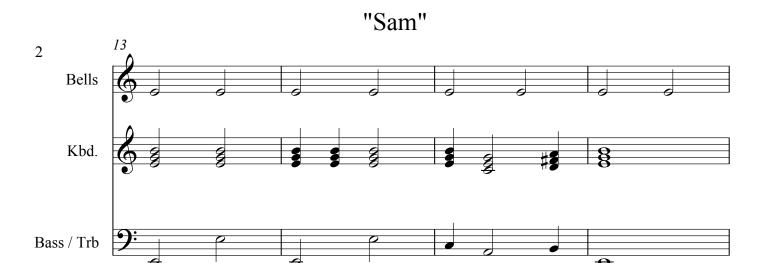
Repeat each phrase as needed..... improvise parts. Middle Section includes Style 47 Hip-Hop Groove, Tempo 100 on a Yamaha PSR E-403 Keyboard.

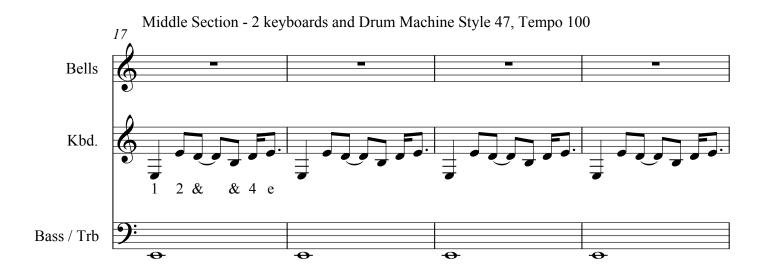






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"Sam"

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Ms. Garrett - Improvise on the keyboard - Students - clap on beats 2 and 4 on middle section







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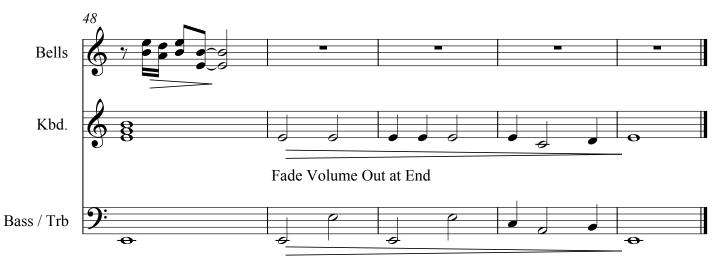




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Arionna's Song - Beauty is the Music Within Me

- **Danielle** conducts taps each student so they know when to start playing.
- **Kelsey Crystal** play first on the Bells D and A.
- Arionna plays the melody VOICE 185 Santur
- **Ronnaiona** can play Voice 90 or 92 high flute sounds on 'A' then 'D' whole notes (Watch notes)
- Others start to play on D's, A's or the melody, or jingle sticks (**Corey** on jingle sticks or soft D's on the trombone)
- Ms. Garrett stops everyone playing except for Arionna (plays part 'B' of her song)
- STUDENTS SING WITH MELODY
- **Danielle continues directing -** taps students to stop playing.
- **Arionna and the bells** play together. The **bell players** end the song by getting softer and softer on the D's and A's.

