

# Pearl®

the best reason to play drums

April 2000

## FREE from Pearl



### award winning FFX505N snare drum worth £442\*

Please take this voucher into any Pearl dealer and claim your free snare drum when you buy 5 or more FFX505N drums



Top players Eric Ward, left (Strathclyde Police Band), and Reid Maxwell (Simon Fraser University Pipe Band, Canada)

### Pearl has 4 finalists in the top 12 at the World Solo Drumming Championships

Pearl are proud to announce that 4 of the top 12 finalists in this year's World Solo Pipe Band Drumming Championships played the Pearl FFX505N pipe band snare drum.

The Pearl finalists included Eric Ward (Strathclyde Police Band), Duncan Millar (Simon Fraser University), Steve Creighton (St. Lawrence O'Toole), and runner-up Reid Maxwell who last year collected the prize for the best drum corps at the World Pipe Band Championships for the Simon Fraser University Pipe Band.

The RSPBA Championships were held at Bathgate, Scotland, on February 26th and are seen as the pinnacle of the individual snare-drumming calendar. The contest has been held annually for over 40 years.

### More competition news:

### Kirkwood top 5 play Pearl

Pearl swept the board at the prestigious Kirkwood Memorial solos held in Chicago on April 8th. At this high-profile north American



Simon Fraser University Pipe Band, Canada

event, run by the International Pipe Band Drummers magazine, the top five solo drummers all played the Pearl FFX505N snare drum. The winners were: Reid Maxwell 1st, Carl Lenny 2nd, Duncan Millar 3rd, Eli Fugate 4th, and Andre Tessier 5th.

### FFX505N now available in 8 colours

Pearl pride themselves on producing a fantastic finish using a thirty-one step technique which is considered the most complex offered within the drum industry today, taking over a week per drum to complete. The difference is immediately noticeable in the polished, glass-like appearance that allows the maple shell's wood grain to show through.

The colours available are: #103 Piano Black, #107 Coral Red, #109 Arctic White, #113 Sheer Blue, #114 Liquid Amber, #122 Black Mist, #125 Teal Mist, #126 Emerald. Pearl can also produce special colours made to your own preference.

### \*Buy 5 or more FFX505N snare drums - get one free!

To celebrate the phenomenal successes that our pipe band drums are already achieving, we are making this special and valuable offer that will get you set up very well for the new season. It's worth £442 RRP and you'll need to hurry because the offer closes on 30th June 2000.



The high performance Pearl FFX505N pipe band snare drum. Its special features include light-weight high-strength components, Maple free-floating shell, top and bottom precision snares with full adjustment, aircraft-quality diecast hoops, multi-position carry hooks, snare guard rails, and Pearl pipe-band heads.

Pearl UK Ltd, Sherbourne Drive, Tilbrook, Milton Keynes, MK7 8AP. Tel: 01908 366941

# Pearl®

This Voucher entitles the holder to ONE FREE FFX505N PIPE BAND SNARE DRUM when five or more FFX505N drums are purchased at the same time

*voucher* valid until 30 June 2000  
notional cash value 0.001p

To the Retailer: Please redeem this voucher according to the terms and conditions and send it with a stamped till receipt, to be received no later than 7th July, to Pearl (UK) Ltd, Sherbourne Drive, Tilbrook, Milton Keynes MK7 8AP

Please complete the details below before redeeming this voucher. Please PRINT:

Voucher holder's name .....  
Address .....  
Postcode .....

Terms and conditions:  
1 This voucher entitles the holder to one free FFX505N pipe band snare drum for every five or more FFX505N snare drums bought in one order from the same retailer.  
2 This offer does not apply to purchases of any other Pearl or competitor product other than stated in condition 1.  
3 The offer is limited to the FFX505N pipe band snare drum.  
4 All orders placed must be delivered by 30 June 2000, subject to availability, to quality. Drums sold or supplied after 30 June 2000 do not qualify for this offer.  
5 This offer can only be redeemed on production of this voucher at participating stores, and completed with the voucher holder's full name and address.  
6 Offer subject to availability.  
7 There is no cash alternative.  
8 Voucher is valid until 30 June 2000.  
9 Damaged, defaced or photocopied vouchers will not be accepted.  
10 Offer is not open to any Pearl employees, or approved-retailers' staff or relatives, and cannot be redeemed against any products other than as stated in condition 1.  
11 Name and address information will be held on a database.  
Please tick this box if you do not want your details to be included on the database