

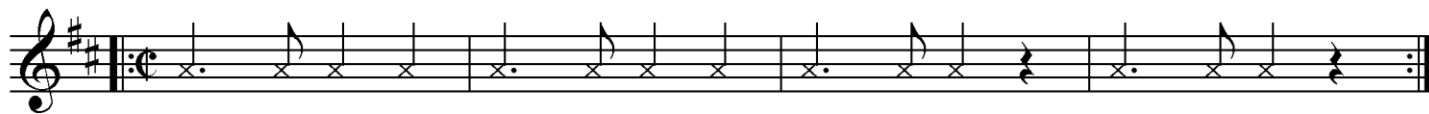
This Is Our Carnival

Isle of Wight Mardi Gras 2021

Jo Downs

♩=106

Percussion intro

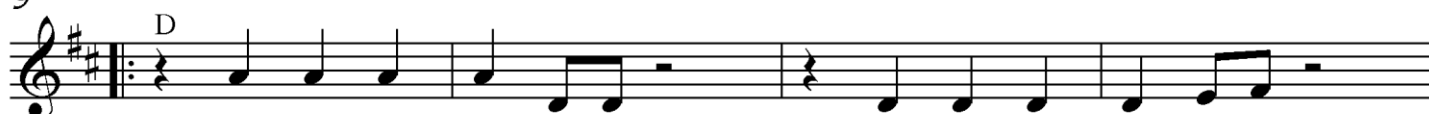


Chanted call and body percussion/Samba band response



Tell the sto - ry (Tell the sto - ry) Car - ni-val (Car - ni-val)

Chorus



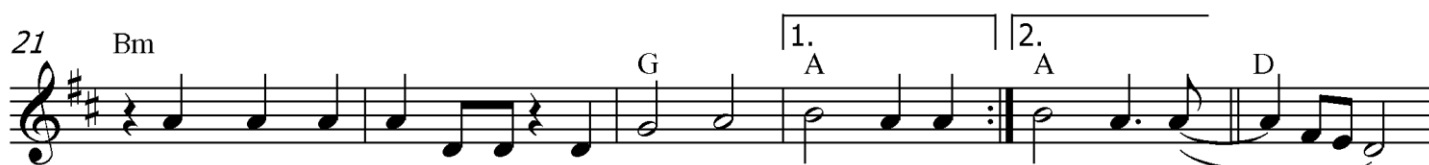
This is our car - ni-val, this is our his - to - ry:
This is our car - ni-val, it's our com - mu - ni - ty:



to - ge - ther we cre - ate our own i - den - ti - ty.____
it's time to ce - le - brate with free - dom and with joy.____



This is our car - ni-val, this is our he - ri - tage:
This is our car - ni-val, join hands in u - ni - ty:



bring - ing di - ver - si - ty for all the world to see.
we're bring - ing co - lour to the Isle of Wight to - day.____



Verse



From Pa - gan roots to a Glo - bal par - ty,____



Eg - yp - tian Gods to Com - me - dia dell' ar - te.____

2 38 Em A

The rich tra - di - tion goes be - fore us; the

42 Em A

co- lours, the mu - sic and the joy.

46 D

Thou - sands of Af - ri - cans and Eu - ro - pe - ans,

50 Bm

com - bi - ning cul - tures in the Ca - rib - be - an

54 Em A

Ri - o and Tri - ni - dad to New Or - leans; Bra -

58 Em A

zil to Not - ting Hill to the Isle of Wight!

Chorus x 2

62

Chanted call and body percussion/Samba band response

Tell the sto - ry (Tell the sto - ry) Car - ni - val (Car - ni - val)

66

Co - lour and mu - sic (Co - lour and mu - sic) Rhy - thm and roots (Rhy - thm and roots)

70

Free - dom (Free - dom) Di - ver - si - ty (Di - ver - si - ty)

74

From the peo - ple (From the peo - ple) For the peo - ple (For the peo - ple)

Chorus x 2 up a tone