



LEICESTER
COMMUNITY
CONCERT
BAND



Wednesday
18th December
2019
Covenant Life Church
7.30pm



*Celebrate the Season with
Leicester Community
Concert Band*



Concert Programme £1



Leicester Community Concert Band (LCCB) was established in 2007 in response to an initiative taken by Sheehan's Music Services to form a wind ensemble which would encourage lapsed musicians to take up their instruments again. Originally called '2nd Wind', the ensemble quickly grew from 15 to over 60 musicians and is now one of the largest amateur wind ensembles in Leicestershire. In 2013 '2nd Wind' became an independent organisation and was renamed Leicester Community Concert Band.



In 2017-18 the band celebrated its 10th Anniversary by taking part in the National Concert Band Festival, receiving a Platinum Award in the regional event. As a result the band was invited to take part in the National Finals held at the Royal Northern College of Music in Manchester, where the band achieved a Gold Award.

The 10th Anniversary celebrations culminated in a spectacular joint concert with the Band of the Grenadier Guards and LCCB were delighted to welcome them back again last summer.



LCCB decided to produce a CD to mark their 10th Anniversary, reflecting their varied repertoire which has an appeal for a wide range of musical tastes. The CD is available this evening, priced £10, and we hope you will enjoy our choice of music.

After rehearsing at the Attenborough Arts Centre since the formation of the band, LCCB has recently moved home to the Covenant Life Church / Big Shed. The band has been made to feel extremely welcome and we are delighted to be supporting one of their charities, Rainbow Trust Africa, this evening. Proceeds from tonight's concert will be shared between this charity and the charity Live Life Give Life, in memory of our Honorary President Don Blakeson who sadly passed away recently.

LCCB strives to provide a friendly and supportive environment within which all musicians can progress at their own rate. Interest from prospective new members is always welcomed - please visit our website.

BRIAN HUMPHERSON MBE ~ MUSICAL DIRECTOR



After qualifying as a music teacher in 1967, Brian held posts in Nottingham and Leicestershire schools. For many years he worked as a conductor for the Leicestershire School of Music and often acted as musical director for local choirs and operatic societies, notably Broom Leys Choral Society which he directed for 29 years.

As Director of Music and Performing Arts at Guthlaxton College, Brian led the Guthlaxton Concert Band and Big Band to national and international success. The college also became renowned for its strong tradition in musical theatre. After leaving the classroom he continued to work as a music examiner, teacher trainer and arts moderator until his retirement in 2016.

A keen pianist, Brian has held a lifelong interest in jazz and popular music. He still performs regularly with various ensembles, including the Nottingham Jazz Orchestra and his own quintet. He was awarded an MBE for services to music education in Leicestershire.



IT'S CHRISTMAS

arr. Warren Barker

Audience Carol - It Came Upon the Midnight Clear

MINOR ALTERATIONS

David Lovrien

HIGHLAND CATHEDRAL

Michael Korb and Ulrich Roever, arr. Jay Dawson

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Flute Choir

Adagio/Allegro from Christmas Concerto

Corelli arr. Schofield

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Audience Carol - O Little Town of Bethlehem

UKRAINIAN BELL CAROL

Mykola Dmytrovich Leontovych, arr. Philip Sparke

FAIRY DOLL

arr. Rob Wiffin

JESUS CHRIST SUPERSTAR

Andrew Lloyd Webber, arr. Robert O'Brien

Interval



A MOST WONDERFUL CHRISTMAS

arr. Robert Sheldon

Audience Carol - Good King Wenceslas

BABY IT'S COLD OUTSIDE

Frank Loesser, arr. John Moss

SLEIGH RIDE

Leroy Anderson

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Brass Ensemble

Jingle Bells

arr. Iveson

LCCB Singers

Deck the Hall (arr. Willcocks)

Infant Holy Infant Lowly (arr. Willcocks)

Christmas is Coming (H. Walford Davies)

The Goslings (Frederick Bridge)

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CHRISTMAS IN THE NURSERY

arr. Rob Wiffin

WHITE CHRISTMAS

arr. Naohiro Iwai

Audience Carol - O Come All Ye Faithful

A CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL

Leroy Anderson



MUSICIANS

Flutes/Piccolos

Naomi Abbs-Williams

Pat Bellingham

Kirsty Blackstock

Jane Cowan

Jon Dexter

Rachel Draper

Sue Harrison

Ed Matthews

Helen Mockler

Marilyn Pile

Karen Robinson

Helen Schofield

Sarah Seaton

Sarah Short

Oboes

Lez Bullwer

Sheryl Hayes

Bassoon

Beth Ellis

Clarinets

Michael Aggio

Ann Churcher

Elaine Coley

Phil Desborough

Beth Ellis

Christine Grantham

Sheryl Hayes

Cathy Highton

Tamara Lee

Nina Parker

Liz Pell

Heather Pelmore

Rosalind Read

Harriet Stamp

Rhaana Starling

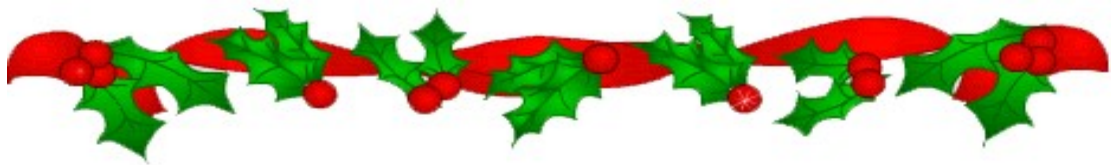
Alto Clarinet

Robert Calow

Bass Clarinets

Ed Cook

Nick Wolff



Alto Saxophones

Dave Ellison

Jean Jessop

Lauren Randall

Lucy Satchell

Jude Smith

Tenor Saxophones

Peter Nichols

Emily Shaw

Baritone Saxophones

John Finlay

Paul Henderson

Trumpets/Cornets

Alex Bentley

Nigel Birch

Rob Dunn

Jon Lee

Peter Perry

Ian Robinson

Claire Sutcliffe

Sue Weatherby

French Horns

Alison Briggs

Michael Gerard

Victoria Schofield

Trombones

Chantal Biemann

Stuart Braithwaite

Bruce Campbell

Lee North

Nico Tillema

Andrew Weatherby

Euphoniums

Sara Goddard

Ian Quick

Michael Relph

Tubas

Peter Briggs

Jason Griffin

Roy Ridgewell

Bass Guitar

Andy Schofield

Percussion

Sam Harrison

Tim Neal

Nick Wolff



Leicester Community Concert Band would like to thank you for your support. All profits from this concert will be shared between two charities; Rainbow Trust Africa and Live Life Give Life.

We wish you a Happy Christmas and a prosperous New Year. Our summer concert will be held on Wednesday 24th June 2020 – further details will appear on our social media when they are confirmed.

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leicestercommunityconcertband.weebly.com
