



THE EAST RIDING OF YORKSHIRE BAND

Join our Patrons Association!

The East Riding of Yorkshire Band was formed in 1988 with the intention of raising the standard of brass banding in the area. We are proud to have represented the North of England at the National Brass Band Championships of Great Britain on several occasions, most recently in 2013 & 2014. We were the 3rd section North East of England Champions in 2014, resulting in our promotion to the 2nd section from January 2015. Financially we continue to rely on the money we raise by playing at engagements & the support of our players as we do not have a major sponsor. In order to progress further and develop the players young & old, we need financial help. Representing the North East at the National Finals in Cheltenham during 2013 & 2014 cost the band & it's members approximately £9,000. This is on top of our normal day-to-day running expenses which average around £6000 a year.

The Patrons Association was formed to help to generate interest in the band in particular & brass music in general. Members can join at any time of the year, contributions from our patrons help pay for ongoing expenses such as instrument repairs, new music, band-room rent & transport to contests.

For this Patrons will receive:

- 4 x ERYBB's newsletters per year, which enables supporters to keep up to date with information about the band. This will include information about our concert dates/venues, the web page and further developments as well as an insight into the day-to-day running of the band and the people involved.
- Certificate of membership.
- Free ticket to the Patrons Concert held each year with their name in the Programme.
- Invitations to occasional special events organised by the band.
- An acknowledgement of support in our Christmas Concert programme.

Join The East Riding of Yorkshire Band's Patrons Association (Yearly) £20 (Lifetime) £200

If you wish to join the scheme, then please fill in the Patrons' Scheme Application Form and return it to the address provided. If you have any questions, then please email friends@eastridingofyorkshireband.co.uk

Thank you.

Please complete the details below as appropriately and clearly and send to the Patrons' Secretary whose address is at the bottom of this form. **I wish to become a member of the East Riding of Yorkshire Band Patrons.**

Name:

Address:

Postcode: Telephone:

E-mail:@.....

I enclose a cheque to the value of £ made payable to 'The East Riding of Yorkshire Band' as my annual/lifetime Patrons' subscription.

Postal Address: East Riding of Yorkshire Band, Patrons Secretary, 4 Orkney Close, Sutton, Hull, HU8 9XW.

How to follow the band online -

Website: www.eastridingofyorkshireband.co.uk

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