



**A warm welcome to:**

**Membership:**

- we are a community band run by a committee of band members
- band membership is open to anyone from the local area who enjoys playing wind orchestra music and can play their instrument to a reasonable standard
- our conductor is Paul Dove, who is an experienced musician and is currently undertaking bandmaster training at The Royal Military School of Music (Kneller Hall)

**Rehearsals:**

- we rehearse on Tuesday evenings 8 - 10pm at Darley Dene School, Garfield Road, Addlestone. There is plenty of parking at the school and overflow car parking is available in the public car park next to the Community Centre (at a charge)
- band members are expected to attend rehearsals regularly and to make reasonable efforts to play in all our concerts
- music for individual parts may be borrowed for personal copying or practice, but must be returned for the next rehearsal and not removed at all the week before a performance
- no full scores to be removed without the express agreement of the librarian
- music stands are provided by the band

**Concerts:**

- during the summer months we play 1 or 2 concerts per month, generally on Saturday or Sunday afternoons, at outdoor fetes, garden parties and events organised by other organisations
- each spring, autumn and Christmas we perform indoor concerts, normally in the Woking area
- uniform for our concerts is white shirts with black skirt / trousers with our blue band ties
- in addition we have blue fleece jackets (cost £10)

**Membership Subscriptions:**

- we finance the hire of our rehearsal hall and our conductor's expenses through our subscriptions
- subscriptions are paid quarterly in advance at £50 (£30 for students) or on a weekly basis at £6 per week attended (£3 for students)
- no subscription payable for your first rehearsal
- subscriptions are payable on-line or collected by our membership secretary (Bob)

**Social Events:**

- we usually have a post-rehearsal drink at the Castle Pub in Ottershaw
- social events such as our annual dinner, bowling, etc are organised by our social secretary

**Further Information:**

- check our web site at [www.bourneconcertband.org.uk](http://www.bourneconcertband.org.uk)
- or ask any of the committee (George, Diana, Linda, Graeme, Stephanie, Angela, Maria, Bob, Tony)

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**New Member details:**

If you would like to become a member please complete the slip below and hand it to Bob.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Instrument(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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