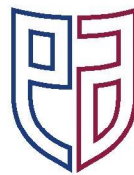


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### Instrumental Music Service

Julie Carrie – Acting Music Service Manager  
MusicService@east-ayshire.gov.uk

Our Ref: JC/Spring  
Date: 16<sup>th</sup> December 2022

Dear Parent/Guardian,

### EAST AYRSHIRE SCHOOLS' CONCERT BAND SPRING CONCERT – TUESDAY 14<sup>TH</sup> MARCH 2023

Your child is invited to become a member of the above group. Members of this group may also be involved in a second group, the details for these will be available separately.

**Please note that members are expected to attend all rehearsals and the concert as detailed below:**

**Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> February 10:00am – 5:00pm**

**Monday 27<sup>th</sup> February 4:30pm-6:30pm**

**Monday 13<sup>th</sup> March 4:30pm-6:30pm**

**Monday 20<sup>th</sup> February 4:30pm-6:30pm**

**Monday 6<sup>th</sup> March 4:30pm-6:30pm**

Rehearsals will be held in **Grange Academy, Kilmarnock**. There will be breaks given during the rehearsal and snacks and water should be brought. Lunch should be brought to the Sunday rehearsal, please let me know if you require a packed lunch to be provided. Should your child have any allergic reactions to food please let me know as soon as possible at the email address above.

**All pupils should be picked up at the end of rehearsals from Grange Academy by 6:30pm**

Each Music Department will be advised of pick-up times for rehearsals and concert as applicable.

**PRE-CONCERT REHEARSAL:** Tuesday **afternoon** 14<sup>th</sup> March in the Grand Hall, Kilmarnock (time to be confirmed).

**SPRING CONCERT:** Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> March at 7:00pm in the Grand Hall, Kilmarnock.

Return transport to the rehearsals will be provided from Robert Burns Academy, Doon Academy, Loudoun Academy and Stewarton Academy. If transport is required, please include this in the sign-up consent form. While Monday is often a late finish day for schools as the rehearsal starts at 4:30pm there should be sufficient time for pupils from Kilmarnock schools to make their own way to Grange Academy. Kilmarnock, Grange and St. Joseph's pupils will be required to arrange their own transport home after the rehearsals.

On the day of the concert, transport will be provided from **all** secondary schools to the Grand Hall. Return transport will only be provided to: Robert Burns, Doon, Loudoun and Stewarton Academies. There will be more details provided nearer to the time to ascertain transport numbers.

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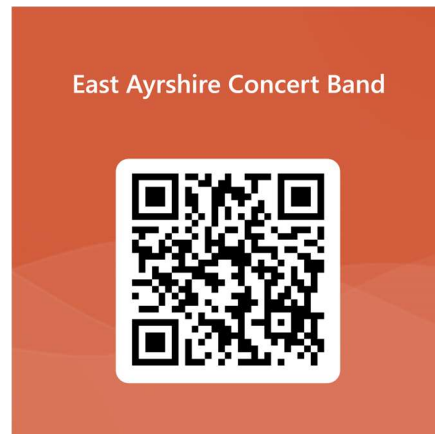
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Please complete the application form here: <https://forms.office.com/e/6FRQMTs9R3>



Or through the QR code:

We look forward to receiving your application.

Many thanks

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