



# THE 2<sup>ND</sup> ROSSENDALE SCOUT GROUP



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## Would you like to learn a musical instrument as part of 2nd Rossendale Scout Group & Band?

You will have **fantastic opportunities** to learn, perform & progress within the band, so if **anyone in KS1 or KS2 at School** would like to try a new challenge you will be warmly welcomed. After 16 months of no rehearsals, we welcomed back previous members on Saturday 4th September 2021 and would like to invite **new faces** to join us **from Saturday 9th October 2021**. If you are not able to attend on this date, membership is always open and you can join at any time, just please contact us in advance.

Please can you **let your Teacher know** as soon as possible if you are interested, so they can contact the Band in advance or contact us directly on [admin@2ndrossendalescouts.org.uk](mailto:admin@2ndrossendalescouts.org.uk) or by calling. If you are already part of 2nd Rossendale Scout Group it is included in your Section fees. If not **it's just £25/term**. You will be **provided with an instrument** to play on for as long as you remain with the band, **music**, a uniform as you progress & you will **receive lessons** from mentors who are in the Senior Scout Band at **no extra cost**.

Saturday mornings have a bigger emphasis on teaching, rather than working towards doing concerts - this you can aspire to do as you progress into the Senior Band (concert programme is attached)

### Weekly Saturday Morning Programme

#### **9:00AM > 10:30AM - Junior Band & Lessons**

There will be a Junior Band rehearsal in the main hall at The Scout HQ.

During this time, members of the Senior Band will be taking players for lessons. This may be individual lessons, or small groups. Junior Band and lessons will finish at 10:30AM.

#### **10:30AM > 11:00AM - Break.**

There will then be a break for everyone until 11:00AM. Butties will be available for players from 10:30AM and not before. Parents & carers can order a hot drink & a butty from 10:00AM.

#### **11:00AM > 12:00PM - Senior Band Only**

This hour may be either a full Senior Band rehearsal, or Sectionals, depending on availability of players.

### Wednesday Evenings

In addition to Saturday mornings, we also want to open up the opportunity for additional lessons/sectionals on Wednesday evenings before Senior Band starts at 7:30PM. Please speak to Graham, our Musical Director if you need any extra help playing your band parts once you've joined the group, and we will try to support you as best as we can, either through individual lessons or sectionals.

If you have any COVID-19 symptoms, or have had a positive test, or if you have been told you need to self isolate please **DO NOT** attend band. This includes being told to self isolate via the NHS Test and Trace system, or via your school or workplace.

We can't wait to see you make music. It should be lots of FUN.  
Tina Dwyfor-Jones, Chair of Trustees

## Senior Band Engagements 2021/2022

• Saturday 16th October 2021

Joint Concert with Choirs at Blackburn Cathedral in the Evening

• Sunday 14th November 2021

Remembrance Parade in Rawtenstall in the Afternoon

• Saturday 11th December 2021

Christmas Concert at Colne Municipal Hall in the Afternoon

• Sunday 19th December 2021

Christmas Concert at Bacup Golf Club in the Afternoon

• Sunday 6th February 2022

Joint Concert with the Houghton Weavers at Accrington Town Hall in the Afternoon

• Saturday 5th March 2022

Patrons Concert at St Mary's Church, Rawtenstall in the Evening



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7.30pm @ Blackburn Cathedral

### featuring:

- ♪ 2nd Rossendale Scout Band
- ♪ Colne Orpheus Glee Union
- ♪ Nelson Arion Male Voice Choir

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