



Chalfont Concert Wind Band

President & Conductor Emeritus: Derek Wilson MBE

Patron: Stuart Balmforth

Chalfont Concert Wind Band presents a

Concert

featuring

Classics

Music from the Shows
and other favourites

Dwight Pile-Gray (Director of Music)
Keith Bramich (Assistant Director of Music)

at Amersham Free Church
Woodside Road, Amersham, Bucks HP6 6AJ

Sunday 23 November 2014 at 7.30pm

The Band is supporting 'Crohn's and Colitis UK'
(Registered Charity 1117148)

There will be a collection and a raffle during the Concert

ADMISSION £10

REFRESHMENTS

(Concessions £7 - under 18 free with a full paying adult)

Tickets available by phone on 01494 863352, website (Events page)
or from The Record Shop, 37 Hill Avenue, Amersham



www.chalfontwindband.co.uk

THE CHALFONT CONCERT WIND BAND

The Chalfont Concert Wind Band was founded in 1977. The Band's aim is to encourage the interest of musicians in making music together (young and old alike) and to give them plenty of experience of playing in public. To add variety, there are also instrumental ensembles associated with the Band. The Band is able to serve the local community by playing on suitable occasions, and raises considerable sums of money for charity.

Anyone playing a wind band instrument is welcome to join. The Concert Band requires Grade 5 standard and the Training Band requires no graded standard, but lots of enthusiasm! Both the Concert and Training Bands meet weekly for rehearsals on Monday evenings at Robertswood School, Chalfont St Peter, Bucks.

Rehearsal times are: 6.30 pm - 7.30 pm (Training Band)
 7.45 pm - 9.45 pm (Concert Band)

If you are interested in joining one of the Bands, please contact us for further information - or even come along on a Monday evening. We would love to see you.

Contacts:

Bryan Ogilvie (Chairman): 020 8998 7042; 07810 648702

Dwight Pile-Gray BMus(Hons)ATCL (Director of Music): 07933 665789

Keith Bramich (Assistant Director of Music): 07771 600776

Website: www.chalfontwindband.co.uk

email: enquiries@chalfontwindband.co.uk

BAND MEMBERS (*Training Band ‡Both Bands)

Piccolo: Lucy Clayton
Flute: Janet Bradley, Carys Clark, Lucy Clayton, Andrea Coventry, ‡Alexia Dodd, ‡Eleanor Groves, Coralia Hall, *Alison Hockings, Lesley Lockhart, Charlotte Mason, Jane Partridge, *Sara Paul, Briony Stewart, ‡Rosie Tizzard
Oboe: Lisa Hollins, Kim Horgan, Darcy Paul
Clarinet: Sue Barnard, Mary Cadman, Hazel Finney, David Hall, *Clare Hardman, ‡Thomas Hinks, Alison Hockings, ‡Helen Thrussell, Andrew Warren, Grace Weller
Eb Clarinet Helen Thrussell
Bass Clarinet: Adele Gordon
Bassoon: Emma Darwood, ‡Bryan Ogilvie
Alto Sax: Harry Colman, Sophie Milburn, ‡Jacqui O'Brien, Sara Paul
Tenor Sax: ‡Philip Wilson
Baritone Sax: Margaret Pianta
French Horn: Matthew Adamson; ‡Derek Wilson
Trumpet: David Adamson, *Alex Heard, Nigel Hughes, ‡Max O'Brien
Trombone: Steve Clark, *Elaine Flynn, ‡Sarah Flynn
Euphonium: *Lucy Clayton, Elaine Flynn
Tuba: (Guest)
Percussion: Matthew Green, ‡Alexander Pullen, Keith Bramich

FOLLOW THE BAND

Monday 1 December 2014 6.15 for 6.30pm start	Come and Play with the Band Robertswood School, Denham Lane
Friday 5 December 2014 7.30 – 8.15pm	Fun Night Chalfont St Peter
Saturday 6 December 2014 6.00pm	Village Lights Chalfont St Giles
Wednesday 10 December 2014	Festival of Lights New Beaconsfield
Thursday 18 December 2014 7.30pm	Maria Taylor Carol Service St Peter's Church of England, Churchyard Chalfont St Peter
Saturday 20 December 2014 10.30am – 12.30pm	Carols for Charity Chalfont St Peter
Wednesday 24 December 2014 10.30am – 12.30pm	Carols for Charity The Observatory, Slough
Sunday 22 March 2015	Concert



Further details will be on the Band's website, and at Facebook and Twitter



@chalfontband



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NEW MEMBERS WELCOME



Rehearsals on **Monday** evenings

Concert band – 7.45pm to 9.45pm
(minimum requirement: Grade 5)

Training band – 6.30pm to 7.30pm
(for those starting to discover music and for those
returning to it after a break)



Contact:

Lucy Clayton (*Hon. Secretary*): 01494 873094

Bryan Ogilvie (*Chairman*): 07810 648702

Email: enquiries@chalfontwindband.co.uk

Rehearsal location:

Robertswood School,
Denham Lane, Chalfont St Peter,
Bucks. SL9 0EW



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We particularly have vacancies for Brass Instruments

PROGRAMME - PART ONE

The Chalfont Wind Band would like to thank Amersham Free Church for allowing the use of the facilities.

Please turn off mobile phones

Conductors: Dwight Pile-Gray (Director of Music)
*Keith Bramich (Assistant Director of Music)
**Derek Wilson (Conductor Emeritus)

National Anthem

Chimes of Liberty March

Edwin Franko Goldman

*Tribute to Count Basie

arr John Moss

All of Me; Corner Pocket; Li'l Darling; April in Paris

Pomp and Circumstance March No.2

Edward Elgar
arr Paul Hanna

An introduction to the Charity by Sue Cherrie from 'Crohn's & Colitis UK'

West Side Story - Selection

Leonard Bernstein
arr WJ Dutoit ARCM

****** INTERVAL ******

(20 minutes)

Refreshments will be available
(a donation will be appreciated)

PROGRAMME - PART TWO

**** TRAINING BAND ****

*Crocodile Rock

Elton John & Bernie Taupin
arr Michael Storey

*Sgt Pepper's Lonely Hearts Club Band

John Lennon & Paul McCartney
arr Michael Sweeney

**** CONCERT BAND ****

**March - Colonel Bogey

Kenneth J Alford

Farandole from L'Arlésienne

Georges Bizet
arr Martin Tousignant

Entry March of the Boyars

Johan Halversen
trans Marc Oliver

Satiric Dances

Norman Dello Joio

Chairman's Note.....

On behalf of the Committee and Band members I should like to record how very grateful we are to all who have given of their time and assistance with such things as refreshments, preparations, advertising and transportation. Without this help and goodwill it would not be possible to put on a concert such as you have heard this evening. We also have a big debt of gratitude to our Director of Music, Dwight, and his Assistant, Keith, for their patience and instruction during rehearsals.

.....**Bryan Ogilvie**

BIOGRAPHICAL NOTES

Derek Wilson MBE – President & Conductor Emeritus

Derek started learning a musical instrument, the tenor horn, at the age of 10 years with a local brass band in his home town of South Shields, Tyne and Wear. At the age of 20 he joined the Royal Air Force School of Music where he learnt the French horn and music theory. On completion of the one year course he joined the No.1 RAF Regional Band where he spent four years before leaving to join the RAF Band in Germany as Principal Horn. Three years later he returned to RAF Uxbridge HQ Music Services joining the RAF Central Band in 1960 where he remained until retirement in 1982. Derek also spent seven years at Amersham Music Centre from 1970 teaching brass instruments and forming a junior and senior wind band as conductor. Over the years Derek has played in an opera orchestra in Ealing and for many shows and concerts in Middlesex and South Bucks as well as teaching in a number of South Bucks schools. In 1977, together with two parents of his pupils, he founded the Chalfont Wind Bands and his hope is that CWB will continue to entertain and support charities for many years to come. In 2007 he received the MBE for services to music and has been awarded the title of 'Conductor Emeritus' of CWB.

Dwight Pile-Gray BMus (Hons) ATCL –Director of Music

Dwight began playing the French Horn at age 12, passing his grade 8 within five years. He went on to study for a performance degree at the Trinity College of Music, where he received tuition from some of the country's finest horn tutors and also studied conducting. During this time Dwight was engaged to play with a professional orchestra in Germany and played with the Royal Philharmonic Orchestra and the Orchestra of the Royal Opera House. He also played with a number of opera companies at home and abroad. Whilst at college Dwight was a member of numerous ensembles including a brass quintet, a woodwind quintet and a horn, violin and piano trio. He is also a regular guest conductor of Blackfriars Sinfonia. On completion of his degree, he joined the Corps of Army Music in 2005 and, after graduating from the Royal Military School of Music, took up his first post with the Band of the Corps of Royal Electrical and Mechanical Engineers; he is now serving with the Band of the Scots Guards based in London whilst pursuing a varied freelance career. He joined CWB in October 2010 as Assistant Director of Music and took up his role as Director of Music in January 2011.

Keith Bramich – Assistant Director of Music

Keith Bramich, a student of Lawrence Leonard, Paul Sarcich and Mary Mogil, conducts Wealden Sinfonia and Blackfriars Sinfonia regularly, and is MD of Mornington Sinfonia. He has also worked as conductor with Salsa Inglesa, North Downs Sinfonia, the Leon Singers, the Community Choir at Alfrick and Leigh Church Choir. In his spare time he runs an online classical music magazine and a web design business. He joined the band in summer 2011.

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Jingle all the Way

with Chalfont Wind Band



Come and play!

Come and join Chalfont Wind Band's Training Band for a festive, fun-filled evening of music making!

Dig out your instrument and start Advent in a musical fashion.

All ages, wind band instruments and abilities welcome. It's free!

We'll be playing a selection of Christmas favourites including White Christmas, Jingle Bells, and well-known carols.

Around 7.15 pm, there'll be mince pies and Christmas treats to be enjoyed. Why not stay on and listen to the main band? You can even join in if you have reached grade 5 standard.



Monday 1st December, 6.15 for a 6.30 pm start

Where?

Robertswood School
Denham Lane
Chalfont St Peter
SL9 0EW

You can just turn up, but to be sure of a free Christmas **goody bag**, tell us which instrument you'll be playing by emailing fun@chalfontwindband.co.uk

Percussion instruments will be available for young children to join in.



Concert 18 May 2014 - Amersham Free Church