



Stourport-on-Severn Band Buddies

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Hello to our Band Buddies!

Happy New Year!

On behalf of us all at Stourport-on-Severn Brass Band, may we wish all our wonderful supporters a very Happy New Year! Here's to 2019! 2018 was certainly a very enjoyable year for us all in the band and we thank you all for helping to make our music possible. Here are a few pictures of us enjoying ourselves at our Christmas concert for family and Band Buddies at Stourport Sports club, our joint concert at Stourport Civic with our friends from the Stourport Choral Society and a cheeky picture of us carolling at Sainsburys to earn a few more pennies for band funds. As you can see, Oli is enjoying himself most of all!:-)

We are very thankful to all the generous donations and support everyone has given us.





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Lots to look forward to this year!

This year is the band's 50th Anniversary! To celebrate this wonderful milestone we are going to be making a new CD, with hopefully lots of your favourite tunes on! In fact, if you have a particular favourite piece of music you have enjoyed listening to us play, why don't you let us know and it may well end up on the new CD! If you have a request feel free to drop an email to joannefoskett@yahoo.co.uk or any of us in the band and your ideas will be passed on! :-) We are also holding a special Anniversary concert at Stourport Civic Hall on Sunday 29th September 2019, please save the date as it would be wonderful to have as many of our band buddies there as possible to celebrate with us! It will be a concert with afternoon tea and with some special guests in the pipeline! Watch this space! At the moment the band is busy preparing for our annual appearance at the Midlands Regional Brass Band Contest, where we are competing in the 2nd section. Lots of work to do but we are up for the challenge! Cross your fingers for us!



Dates for your diaries

Check out our most up to date list of gigs for 2019 so far, we hope to see lots of you there!

Sunday 10th March

Midlands Regional Contest
Bedworth

Saturday 11th May - 6-8pm

Concert with children from the
St Johns C of E Primary
at St John the Baptist Church, Kidderminster

CD Recording - 22nd-23rd June

Saturday 6th July - Times TBC

Pershore Midsummer Brass

Saturday 13th July

Last Night at the Proms concert
Romsley

Sunday 1st September

Malvern Priory Park Bandstand
2:30-4:30pm

Sunday 8th September

Bromsgrove Sanders Park Bandstand
2:30-4:30pm

Sunday 29th September - Time TBC

50th Anniversary concert
Stourport Civic Hall

Saturday 2nd November

Wychavon Festival of Brass

Sunday 10th November

Rememberance Parade
Claines