

SUFFOLK COUNTY MUSIC SERVICE

‘Yuletide Brass: A Holiday Brass Spectacular’

Programme

Stradbroke Junior Band and Stradbroke Senior Band

Friday 6 December 2024 at 7.00pm

Stradbroke High School

Conductors: Tom Courtney and Ruth Ryan

Stradbroke Senior Band

Christmas Joy Eric Leidzen

Wonderful Christmas Time Paul McCartney; arr. Frank Bernaerts

Have Yourself a Merry Little Christmas Hugh Martin/Ralph Blane; arr. Hannah Hawken

Soloist: Ben Ratcliffe

Carol of the Bells Trad; arr. Darrol Barry

Stradbroke Junior Band

Frosty the Snowman St Nelson/J Rollins; arr. Alan Fernie

Stop the Cavalry Jona Lewie; arr. Ruth Ryan

Rudolph Robert L May; arr. Alan Fernie

Soloists: Amelia Hawes and Teja Baker

Jingle Bell Rock Beal/Booth; arr. Peter Lawrence

Stradbroke Senior Band

I Wish it Could be Christmas Every Day Roy Wood; arr. Johny Ocean

Lullaby (Away in a Manger) arr. Eric Banks

Massed Bands Finale

White Christmas

Irving Berlin; arr. Alan Fernie

Merry Christmas Everybody

Holder/Lea; arr. Derek Broadbent

Hare-raising news from Suffolk County Music Service!

We are thrilled to have joined St Elizabeth Hospice's **Hop to it! Suffolk 2025**, the new hares sculpture art trail, which will take place in the summer of 2025.


This fantastic, free art event will hop onto the streets of Suffolk, in Ipswich and for the first time in the new locations of Beccles, Felixstowe, Lowestoft and Woodbridge, so more of the public can enjoy the experience.


So now the Music Service has adopted our very own little leveret (baby hare) to take part in this project, which is a wonderful opportunity to spark both creativity and imagination while learning and experiencing different art forms and what we can say is, ours will definitely have a music theme! So watch this space for updates!


Keep a look out for the various activities we'll be holding over the next few months to inspire our children & young people to create a beautiful design for our hare, including workshops and competitions. Launching this evening, we cannot wait to see how this baby hare turns out after her musical journey of creativity.

These events will also include our fundraising efforts; to help raise vital funds for St Elizabeth Hospice, an independent Suffolk charity, which every year delivers care to over 4,000 patients and their families throughout East Suffolk, Great Yarmouth and Waveney, who are living with a progressive or life-limiting illness. These services cost the hospice around £12m to facilitate each year, with the charity raising 70% of funds via revenue streams and the generosity of the community through support of its retail shops and fundraising activities, so it is great to be able to join the art trail to help them. Thank you in advance for your donation, which can be made on the Suffolk County Music Service Enthuse Page by scanning the QR Code here:



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