

The background features a vibrant purple color with intricate, wavy line patterns that resemble musical notes or sound waves. A central graphic depicts a musical staff with a treble clef and several notes, rendered in a lighter purple shade. The overall design is modern and artistic, emphasizing the theme of music.

Music Groups in North Lincolnshire

2024



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Alkborough Choir

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Type: A mixed voice, mainly a *cappella* choir

When: Friday evenings from 7.30 to 9.15pm, September to June

Where: Alkborough Cricket Club, West Halton Lane, Alkborough, Scunthorpe DN15 9JY

Formed in 1983, the Alkborough Choir has around 20 members and sings in three or four parts, in a variety of styles, from traditional choral music to lighter popular music and gospel. The majority of our performances are unaccompanied, but we do sometimes combine with other choirs or local orchestras to perform larger works.

There are no auditions for new members; just come along for a few weeks to see how you like the set-up. Rehearsals are good-humoured and enjoyable, and we welcome anyone aged over 18 years.

Website: www.alkboroughchoir.org.uk

Contact: Jane Key jkey4414@gmail.com or 01724 720797



Barton Community Band

Type: Brass band

When: Tuesday and Thursday evenings from 7.30 to 9.30pm

Where: Barton Corn Exchange, 8 Market Place, Barton-upon-Humber DN18 5DA

Barton Community Band is based in Barton upon Humber and plays at a variety of events throughout the year, both in the town and surrounding areas and further afield. We perform indoor and outdoor concerts, at events including Armistice commemorations and beer festivals and in care homes. We are proud of our successes in recent national championships.

We also have a training band for both adults and children. Everyone is welcome, no matter age, background or experience.

Website: www.bartoncommunityband.co.uk

Contact: Stuart Ross (Secretary) via secretary.bartoncommunityband@gmail.com



Brigg Singers

Type: A mixed voice community choir

When: Monday evening from 7.15pm - 9.00pm

Where: Brigg Methodist Church, Wesley Road, Brigg, DN20 8TR

Brigg Singers were established in 1994 and there are over 30 members. A genuine community choir: all are welcome and no auditions are required. We have taken part in numerous events in Brigg and the surrounding area, as well as taking part in Singing for Pleasure away days. We hold at least two concerts every year, Summer and Christmas, which are always well supported.

Website: www.briggsingers.org.uk

Contact: Helen Silvers, helenesilvers@gmail.com
or message us through our Facebook Page:
en-gb.facebook.com/BriggSingers/



Epworth Music Day

Make Music! - Share Music!

Epworth Music Day

Type: Wide-ranging musical celebration

When: Annually in summer. Usually around Midsummer Day.

Where: Epworth, North Lincolnshire

A celebration of music, dance and song in Epworth, North Lincolnshire. This is an annual event with outdoor and indoor music at locations all around Epworth. Styles include everything from rock to classical, ukelele to choral.

Website: www.epworthmusicday.com
and on Facebook:
www.facebook.com/EpworthMusicDay

Contact: Peter Barnard peter.barnard@me.com



Folk Round 'Ere

Type: Folk singers, musicians, dancers, storytellers etc

When: Various venues in North Lincolnshire

Where: Various dates and times

We exist to promote and produce folk-related activity throughout the North Lincolnshire area, for people interested in live traditional music and all other folky fun!

- We promote all North Lincolnshire folk events and groups.
- We produce events that feature traditional music, song and dance, and we teach people about local traditions.

Website: Facebook page www.facebook.com/Folkroundere

Contact: Julia Pollock folkroundere@gmail.com or 07704 666916

X: [x.com/FolkRoundEre](https://twitter.com/FolkRoundEre)

Facebook: www.facebook.com/Folkroundere

Instagram: www.instagram.com/folk_round_ere



Isle of Axholme Orchestra

Type: Orchestra, with strings, woodwind, brass and percussion.

When: We meet on Tuesday evenings from 7.00 to 9.00pm

Where: Epworth Baptist Church, Station Rd, Epworth, Doncaster DN9 1JZ

The orchestra is based in Epworth, rehearsing in the Baptist Church and performing at venues such as Epworth Imperial Hall and St Nicholas's Church, Haxey. It performs standard orchestral repertoire and also themed programmes. Recent concerts have included seasonal music, film music and 'Around the World in 80 minutes'. New members are welcome.

Website: Facebook page www.facebook.com/IOAXorchestra

Contact: Ruth Birkett (Secretary) 07752 929708

Dave Rosamond (Treasurer) 07399 043910

or email: peter@humphries.com

Isle Choral Singers

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Type: Choral society

When: Mondays, 7.15-9.15pm

Where: Imperial Hall, Chapel Street, Epworth, Doncaster DN9 1HJ

Isle Choral Singers was founded in 1981 and has become a firm fixture in the cultural life of the Isle of Axholme and North Lincolnshire. The choir performs a wide repertoire of music: from classical to West End hits, to contemporary pop as well as original compositions by our musical director Robert Steadman.

We enjoy our singing and always warmly welcome prospective members to our Monday evening rehearsals in Epworth Imperial Hall.

Website: Facebook page www.facebook.com/islechoral

Contact: Christine Reeves (Chair)

Tel: 07786 126577

Email: christinereeves714@btinternet.com



Isle Play It Music Group

Type: Music band for adults, beginners through to more advanced

When: Thursdays at 1:30 till 3:00 during term time

Where: Epworth Imperial Small Hall, Chapel St, Epworth, Doncaster DN9 1HJ

Isle Play It is a group started with 4 players in 2019 in a music room. We now have 12 regulars from grade 1 level up to grade 5 plus. The idea was to create a community music band to cater for those who wish to play with others but would find other local orchestras/ bands too difficult. We cater for most instruments - a bespoke part will be written for your instrument and level. We play a wide variety of music, generally fun and well known. The group is ideal for those who can play a few notes and read a bit of music through to more advanced who wish to better their skills and enjoy playing fun music and having a good time.

Website: Facebook page:

www.facebook.com/p/ISLE-PLAY-it-music-group-100076584812700

Contact: Fiona Law 07960 262110 or fionalaw295@gmail.com



Room 21 Big Band

Type: Swing and big band music

When: Various

Where: Performances at locations widely spread around our base
A 20-piece band playing swing and big band music from the 1930s, 1940s and 1950s. The band is based in Haxey, North Lincolnshire, and we draw our musicians from Lincolnshire, Nottinghamshire and South Yorkshire.

Website: Facebook page www.facebook.com/Room21BigBand

Contact: Email: secretaryroom21bigband@gmail.com
X: x.com/Room21BigBand
Instagram: www.instagram.com/Room21bigband

Saints' Singers

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Type: Upper voice community choir

When: Mondays during term time from 6.45 - 8.45pm

Where: All Saints' Church, Winterton, North Lincolnshire DN15 9TU

Saints' Singers are an upper voice, community choir based in Winterton, North Lincolnshire. The choir was founded in 2016 and has grown from a small group of 5 - 10 singers to a choir of over 50 members who regularly perform throughout the local area. Elisabeth Brierley, our Musical Director, passionately believes that everyone can sing and advocates for the benefits of music making for all. We therefore encourage anyone over the age of 18 who enjoys singing to come along to a rehearsal and join us!

Website: www.saintssingers.co.uk

Contact: Elisabeth Brierley (Musical Director) saintssingers@gmail.com
or 07841 591852



Scunthorpe Concert Band

Type: Concert Band scored for woodwind, brass and percussion

When: We meet on Thursday evenings at 7.30pm

Where: Ashby Wesley Methodist Church, Ashby High Street DN16 2JT

We are a friendly amateur concert band, with players from a variety of ages & musical backgrounds all sharing the same goal, to have fun making music. We play a varied musical repertoire from classical to musicals and movies. In October 2023 we performed a "Bach to Broadway Concert" to a packed house in the Plowright Theatre, Scunthorpe. It was so well received that we are returning there in October 2024. We are still looking to recruit brass and woodwind players. We would welcome lapsed players wishing to return to playing and looking for an opportunity to join a band in the Scunthorpe area.

Website: www.scunthorpeconcertband.com

Contact: Ken Wardman (Chairman & Secretary)
via kenwardman@yahoo.com or 07591 591504



Scunthorpe and North Lincolnshire Concert Society

Type: Concert promoter

When: Seven Friday evenings, 7.30pm, monthly from October to April

Where: Outwood Academy Foxhills, Foxhills Road, Scunthorpe DN15 8LJ

The society offers an annual season of chamber music concerts, performed by artists of international renown. We offer a wide range of music with concerts featuring pianists, string ensembles, a cappella singers, jazz groups and early music to name but a few! Recently, we have focused on providing a platform for younger artists including finalists of the BBC Young Musician of the Year competitions, such as Sheku Kanneh-Mason and Jess Gillam.

Website: www.scunthorpe-concert-society.co.uk

Contact: Marian Pearson (Chair) via snlcs1949@gmail.com
X: [x.com/ScunthorpeCS](https://www.x.com/ScunthorpeCS)
Facebook: www.facebook.com/northlinlcsconcerts
Instagram: www.instagram.com/snlcs1949/





Scunthorpe Co-operative Junior Choir

Type: Award winning, open access Youth Choir

When: Friday evenings during school terms, times vary between choirs

Where: Oasis Academy, Henderson Avenue, Scunthorpe DN15 7RW

Founded 100 years ago, Scunthorpe Co-operative Junior Choir has a proud history of providing outstanding musical education combined with enriching life experiences, culminating in a world-class choral sound. We are an open access organisation. There are no barriers to joining SCJC. The only criteria for getting involved is a passion for singing. Our highly qualified music team is dedicated to inspiring the best in young people and harnessing their potential to create magical experiences. There is a Main Choir for singers aged 9 to 18 and Middle and Training Choirs for younger members from 3 years old.

Website: www.scunthorpecoopjuniorchoir.org.uk

Contact: scjc2008@live.co.uk



Scunthorpe & District Choral Society

Type: A vibrant and welcoming choir with 80 singing members

When: Thursdays between September and April, 7.30 to 9.30pm

Where: Bottesford Baptist Church, Chancel Road, Bottesford, DN16 3LD

Our repertoire ranges from Baroque to Modern, we have professional tuition at all rehearsals and perform with first-class soloists and orchestras. We perform two concerts a year plus a Christmas concert.

New singers are always welcome (sopranos, altos, tenors and basses). There is no audition and expert tuition is given.

Website: e-voice.org.uk/scunthorpechoralsociety

Contact: Phone 07779 023122 or

Email Barnyhsek@icloud.com





SCUNTHORPE
MALE VOICE CHOIR

Scunthorpe Male Voice Choir

Type: Male Voice Choir

When: We meet on Thursday evenings at 7.00pm

Where: St. Paul the Apostle Church, Ashby High Street, Ashby DN16 3DL

Established in 1924, and now in our Centenary year, Scunthorpe Male Voice Choir has established a tradition of male voice singing in North Lincolnshire which has gone from strength to strength and continues to thrive today. The modern choir has a complement of approximately 30 voices and has grown into one of the leading music groups in the area. The Choir promotes up to 12 concerts each year, both locally and in other parts of the U.K. Prospective new members are welcome on practice nights.

Website: scunthorpemalevoicechoir.com

Contact: Keith Ellis, Chairman Tel: 01724 339279

Email keith.ellis60@btinternet.com

South Bank Singers

South Bank Singers

Type: Choir based in Barton-upon-Humber

When: Wednesdays, 7:30 – 9:00 pm

Where: Trinity Methodist Church, 10 Holydyke, Barton-upon-Humber
DN18 5PS

A group of experienced and “newbie” singers performing a wide range of music. Music reading ability is definitely not a requirement.

Contact: Phone Stan Kell 07790 005738

Email stan.yorkshire@gmail.com

By joining a music group or going to a concert you can.....

- Connect with other people and make new friends.
- Develop new skills, improve your confidence and learn how to persevere.
- Express yourself in a creative way.



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Other reasons to get involved in musical activities



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- Research shows music is good for your health – it can stimulate the brain and reduce anxiety and depression.
- It's fun!! Give it a go!

