



# BOLERO

to the



Sunday March 5th 2023

West Cliff Theatre, Clacton

In aid of **PARKINSON'S<sup>UK</sup>**  
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# West Bergholt Concert Band

(Founded in 1978 by Mr Sid Cooper)

Graham Wilson – Musical Director (1994-2023)

## Concert Band

1. Barnard Castle Goff Richards
2. Selections from My Fair Lady Lerner & Loewe arr John Moss
3. Clarinet Concerto – Adagio W. A. Mozart arr Robert Bardeen  
*Leaving Soloist - Rose Sheppard*
4. Salute to Ol' Blue Eyes arr John Moss
5. The Typewriter (\*) Leroy Anderson

## Training Band

1. The Magnificent Seven Elmer Bernstein arr Michael Story
2. Mah-na Mah-na (\*) Piero Umiliani arr Johnnie Vinson
3. The Best of Henry Mancini Henry Mancini arr Johnnie Vinson
4. Let It Be (\*) Lennon & McCartney arr Robert Longfield
5. Boogie Woogie Bugle Boy Don Raye & Hugie Prince arr M. Sweeney
6. Brown Eyed Girl Van Morrison arr Paul Murtha

(\*) Premiere Performance

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1. Le Sabre Eric Osterling
2. Hollywood Milestones arr John Higgins
3. Oblivion Astor Piazzolla arr Robert Longfield  
*Leaving Soloist - Elizabeth Tanney*
4. Carpenters In Concert (\*) arr Pi Schefffer
5. Bolero Maurice Ravel arr Jay Bocook
6. Benny Goodman – The King of Swing arr Paul Murtha  
*Featuring Bob Coxon*
7. Signature Tune : Dixie Patrol Harold L. Walters

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## 2023 Concerts

Friday 17th March	7:30pm	Gilberd School	No Public Tickets
Sunday 11th June	2:00pm	Venue TBC - Outdoors	
Saturday 15th July	7:30pm	St Peter ad Vincula, Coggeshall	"And All That Jazz"
Sunday 12th November	10:30am	West Bergholt	Remembrance Service
Friday 17th or Saturday 18th November	7:30pm	Schools Concert TBC	No Public Tickets
Saturday 16th December	7:30pm	St Botolph's Colchester	Christmas Concert

## 2024 Concerts

Sunday 24th March	3:00pm	West Cliff Theatre, Clacton	
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A warm welcome to this afternoon's concert - we are delighted to be back at the West Cliff and especially pleased to be starting our 45th Anniversary year here.

The band have been playing at the West Cliff for as long as I can remember, starting in the 1980s under the baton of our founder Sid Cooper through to the early 1990's with my brother Jeff conducting, including the memorial concert we held here for Sid in 1990. Whilst the band was rebuilding in the mid-1990s after the loss of Sid, the West Cliff was always the venue we missed the most, so I knew the band was back to its best when we were able to return here in March 2000. Since then we've played here at least once every year (except during lockdown) so our long association makes this a theatre and audience which hold a special place in the band's hearts & history.



One thing that has stayed the same throughout the years is how much we enjoy our afternoons here, and how blessed we've been to have wonderfully supportive & interactive audiences. It's the audience involvement that makes our concerts here such fun, so as always we're looking forward to you joining in with us whenever & however you like - sing along, hum along, clap along, or rattle your jewellery (as John Lennon would say). Those in the band that are playing here for the first time are in for a treat (& even a shock) when they see how much you join in and how much fun we have together.

Thanks very much for coming this afternoon - we really appreciate your support, and very much hope you enjoy the concert.

Everything you need to know about the band is on our website [www.wbcb.org](http://www.wbcb.org), or you can call or email Graham on 07941 947541 or [Conductor@wbcb.org](mailto:Conductor@wbcb.org).

If you'd like to follow our concerts...you can find them on our website [www.wbcb.org](http://www.wbcb.org). We also :

- Publicise events in local magazines - such as Look & Regional Life
- Publicise in local papers (sometimes large articles, sometimes small)
- Will appear in the theatre magazine when we play here (next March)
- Have a mailing list you can join - just email [Conductor@wbcb.org](mailto:Conductor@wbcb.org)