About Woolston Brass

Founded in 1891, Woolston Brass has remained true to the ideal expressed in its Maori motto, Tohea kia kaha (Persevere, so there is Strength), and is today one of New Zealand's most successful contesting brass bands. As current holders of the NZBBA Marching Championship and the CPBBA Championship the band is, and always has been, a force to be reckoned with on the contest stage and has a proud history of victories at the NZ National Championships and Australasian Contests. Woolston Brass has a long and close association with leading orchestral, choral, theatre and cultural groups, and is widely recognized as a consummate concert hall performer.

Tyme Marsters was appointed as Music Director in 2015 and has emerged as a leading figure in New Zealand brass banding as a fine performer, tutor and conductor. A former player of Woolston Brass and the New Zealand Army Band, he is now the latest in a long line of distinguished conductors. Past luminaries include Dick Estall, Mervyn Waters, Ken Smith, David Gallaher and Graham Hickman.

The Woolston Brass Academy was founded in the early 1990s and the youth education programme now includes three training bands: Woolston Learners, aimed at those with little or no experience, Woolston Junior Band, aimed at primary school level and adult learners, and Woolston Concert Brass, covering the secondary level and adult players. Many Woolston Concert Brass members have graduated to Woolston Brass.

Patrons to complete To: The Treasurer, Woolston Brass PO Box 8187, Riccarton, Christchurch 8440 I/We Name/s wish to partner with Seat for two years from (or) I/We am/are happy to partner with any allocated seat. I/We enclose a cheque, payable to Woolston Brass, for Use account number **02-0865-0013353-00** for electronic transfers (An invoice and/or receipt will be issued for tax purposes) I/We agree that the name below may be acknowledged. I/We prefer to remain anonymous. Name Address Telephone **Email** Signed Date



TOHEA KIA KAHA



Become a Patron Partner and invest in the future of Woolston Brass

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Message from Dame Adrienne Stewart DNZM QSM LLD(Hon)

As Patron of the Federation of Australasian Brass Bands and Woolston Brass, I am acutely aware of the activities and needs of the brass band movement in New Zealand and Australia.

Woolston Brass is a national treasure. It represents the pinnacle of performance in its field. Woolston Brass' success ranks with other performing arts organisations that have represented our country internationally.

To ensure the future of our Champion Band, I am passionate about promoting their Patron Partnership Programme. With your help, we can keep both their national and international profile up where it belongs. Play your part; they are our musical Olympians!





Patron Partnership Programme

Annual partnership is sought for each of the players listed, with the value of the particular players indicated. Annual partnership starts at \$2,000 and can be given as an individual or as part of a syndicate, and is an ideal way to tailor your support to a specific instrument or player in the band. Patron Partners may sponsor one or more players. Payments will be made by way of donation, and may be made in the name of an individual, a trust, or a corporate body. Payment should be made by the 31st of May each year. For tax purposes, Woolston Brass is a registered Charity. Patron Partnership will be for a minimum of two years and will be both renewable and transferable.

Patrons may choose to remain anonymous or have their patronage publicly acknowledged.

By becoming a Patron Partner, you are directly investing in securing the future of Woolston Brass.

In recognition of your support, Woolston Brass is pleased to offer Patron Partners the following:

- Notifications about upcoming Woolston Brass events and activities
- Two complimentary tickets to majority of Woolston Brass presented concerts
- · Complimentary concert programme
- Acknowledgement in all relevant Woolston Brass publications including concert programmes, website and quarterly Woolstonian newsletter.
- Opportunities to meet the Music Director and players of Woolston Brass
- Invitations to post-concert and Patron Partner functions
- Invitation to the biennial Woolston Brass Patron Partnership Programme Launch

1	Music Director	\$5,000.00	
2	Principal Cornet	\$4,000.00	
3	Solo Cornet 1	\$2,000.00	
4	Solo Cornet 2	\$2,000.00	
5	Solo Cornet 3	\$2,000.00	
6	Solo Cornet 4	\$2,000.00	
7	Solo Soprano Cornet	\$3,000.00	
8	Repiano Cornet	\$2,000.00	
9	Second Cornet 1	\$2,000.00	
10	Second Cornet 2	\$2,000.00	
11	Third Cornet 1	\$2,000.00	
	Third Cornet 2	\$2,000.00	
13	Solo Flugel Horn	\$3,000.00	
14	Principal Tenor Horn	\$3,000.00	
15	First Horn	\$2,000.00	
16	Second Horn 1	\$2,000.00	
17	Second Horn 2	\$2,000.00	
18	Principal Baritone	\$3,000.00	
19	Second Baritone	\$2,000.00	
20	Principal Euphonium	\$3,000.00	
	Second Euphonium	\$2,000.00	
22	Principal Trombone	\$3,000.00	
23	Second Trombone	\$2,000.00	
24	Bass Trombone	\$2,000.00	
25	Principal Eb Bass	\$3,000.00	
26	Second Eb Bass 1	\$2,000.00	
27	Second Eb Bass 2	\$2,000.00	
28	Principal Bb Bass	\$3,000.00	
	Second Bb Bass	\$2,000.00	
30	Principal Percussion	\$3,000.00	
31	Percussion 1	\$2,000.00	
32	Percussion 2	\$2,000.00	
33	Percussion 3	\$2,000.00	

