

Chairman's Report 2008

Each year I start my report off by saying another successful year, this year is no exception. I think the organisation goes from strength to strength. Our aims and beliefs are a credit to all involved, only at the end of January we were at Gwent in South Wales to a contest as we walked into the School we were greeted with how professional the band are, how well behaved and how smart they looked. How proud I am.

The Youth Band went to sunny Spain last summer and we all had a marvellous time. It was very different to any other tour we have been on; this was the most relaxing tour as we only played one concert each day but the concerts started at 9.00pm and finished around 11.00pm. We have been lucky enough to secure a grant to go again this year.

The Junior band and Beginner band are still practicing very hard to gain places in the next band.

At this point to I would like say thank you to all of the Musical Directors and Musical helpers of all bands as without there dedication, hard work and patience the organisation would not be able to carry on.

We hope this year to do some recruiting, to go into Schools in the area to promote Lions Youth Brass, we need new members as next year we loose about 11 members of the youth band.

I would also like to thank all of the Parents, Grandparents and friend for the continued support.

If anyone would like to join the committee or just help out as required when we have workshops and concerts especially beginner and junior bands, please speak to any committee member.