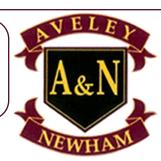
# The Aveley and Newham Brass Band Newsletter



Welcome to the June edition of the band's newsletter.

If you have something you would like in the newsletter, perhaps some news about yourself, please send in the details to newsletter@aveleyandnewhamband.co.uk

#### **New Band President**

The band is very pleased that Jeff Selway has agreed to be the band's president. Jeff has had a long association with the band and was for many years a cornet player in the band.



The band have been very busy over the last couple of months.

## The Aveley and Newham Brass Band take part in the Queen's Diamond Jubilee celebrations.



On the fourth of June 2012 the Aveley and Newham Brass Band performed a wonderful concert on the bandstand in the Castle Park Gardens at Colchester as part of the Queen's Diamond Jubilee celebrations. As well as performing traditional brass band favourites such as "The Lincolnshire Poacher" and the "Army of the Nile" march the band also performed traditional British pieces such as "Jerusalem", "Pomp and Circumstance", "Fantasia on British Sea Songs", "Best of British Marches" and the "Radetzky March". There were a large number of people in the audience who joined in with the celebrations with enthusiasm.





You can see a video
and more photos
from the concert on our web site
www.aveleyandnewhamband.co.uk

Members of the band also performed at the Lakeside shopping centre on the 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> of June. Forming a smaller ensemble of around fifteen players the band played marches, waltzes and songs from the world of pop, jazz and film which included "Singing In The Rain" - which was very apt!



Above - Aveley and Newham Brass Band out on the lake.

Right - Aveley and Newham Brass Band under cover when the weather was slightly wetter and windy.





### **All England Masters Contest Kettering 2012**

The band took part in this contest this year as it has done since 1996. Playing John Ireland's "Comedy Overture" the band gave an excellent performance on the stage and were proud to achieve eighth place.



#### The Only Way Is Essex



Members of the band recently spent a day filming for the ITV2 programme "The Only Way is Essex". The programme was broadcast on the 27th May 2012

#### Grand Shield Contest 13th May Blackpool 2012



The band took part in the Grand Shield Contest at the Winter Gardens in Blackpool.

Performing the piece "On The Shoulders of Giants" by Peter Graham, the band played well and finished in the top twenty.



#### **Member Leaves Aveley!**

One of our members Paul Bosworth has left the band due to commitments elsewhere. We are always sorry to lose members but ex members are always welcome back on rehearsal nights for a blow.

#### **Diary Dates**

29th June - Concert at Aylesford

21st / 22nd July - Newham Show

If members are unable to attend a rehearsal or engagement please use the following email address to inform the secretary and assistant secretary.

apologies@aveleyandnewhamband.co.uk

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