

# Get closer to the music

Join our membership family





## Your Orchestra

### **We exist to bring music into people's lives**

The BSO's mission is to enrich thousands of lives by bringing the transformative power and joy of music to people in concert halls and the wider community. The Orchestra performs world-class music across the whole of the South and South West – making our reach unique among UK symphony orchestras.

As a charity, we rely on more than just ticket sales to keep our music alive. While the funding we receive from Arts Council England is vital, we simply couldn't exist without the collective support of our donors, including those who make a gift through membership – and this is where you come in...

## Help share the gift of music

### **Your support now has never meant more**

By becoming a member today, you will join a special community of music lovers who make extraordinary performances possible and ensure a bright future for the Orchestra. Music transforms lives and every donation through membership makes a difference. Your generosity will support inspirational work on and off the stage, bringing the thrill of live music to audiences in concert halls, care homes, schools and communities across the region.

Membership starts from as little as £5 a month and provides a reliable source of income that underpins our ticket sales. Your contribution will form part of this financial safety net, giving us the confidence to plan ahead and explore new artistic territory. By making this commitment, you will enjoy a unique behind-the-scenes glimpse of life in the Orchestra through a range of exclusive insights and regular updates.



Philip Collingham Tutti Cello





“Getting to know the musicians is a joy and provides such a privileged insight.”

Harriet, BSO Member







Anna Pyne Principal Flute

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## Why your membership matters

“When I joined the BSO, I never imagined that I’d still be here almost two decades later. This Orchestra is very special though, and a big part of that is because of our wonderful audiences. I’ve come to know so many faces in the concert hall, and it feels like one big musical family.

In recent years, the extra support from our members has become even more important in everything we do – whether that’s performing on stage or out in the community, where you see first-hand the incredible impact that music has on people’s lives.

There are magical moments you never forget – the nervous energy before a big performance, or the amazing atmosphere when you’re playing to a captivated audience in a full concert hall. Memories made off the stage can be just as special, whether that’s awakening the imagination of care home residents, or inspiring a child in the classroom to pick up an instrument for the very first time. Music has the power to achieve so much, and it’s only with your support that we can achieve more.”

**Join us as a BSO member to share in the magic of music and be part of the Orchestra’s future.**





“Hearing from  
musicians first-hand  
is a wonderful way  
to get closer to  
our much loved  
orchestra.”

Val and Dave, Gold Members





Kevin Morgan Principal Trombone

## Our way of saying thank you

Your membership will make such a difference, so to thank you for your support, we offer the following exclusive online and in-person benefits...

### **BSO Membership** (from £60 a year or £5 a month)

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<b>Quarternote magazine</b>	<i>Drawing back the curtain on life at the BSO</i>
<b>Priority booking</b>	<i>Access to main season concerts ahead of general sale</i>
<b>Get to know BSO musicians</b>	<i>Behind-the-scenes interviews with the people who make the music happen</i>
<b>Artistic insights</b>	<i>Open rehearsals and the chance to hear from soloists and conductors</i>
<b>Monthly newsletter</b>	<i>Regular email updates on all things BSO</i>
<b>Have your say</b>	<i>Voting rights at our AGM</i>

### **Membership donations at higher levels help achieve even more**

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<b>Bronze Membership</b> (from £100 a year)	<b>Silver Membership</b> (from £200 a year)	<b>Gold Membership</b> (from £350 a year)
Plus: <b>Join the Orchestra on trips to the BBC Proms</b>	Plus: <b>Free concert programmes</b>	Plus: <b>VIP invitations and extra BSO insights</b>

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[Click here to sign up online at bsolive.com/join](https://bsolive.com/join)

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“Being a member  
is the difference  
between listening to  
a great orchestra and  
becoming part of it.”

Geoffrey, BSO Member



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