

**Bromley Symphony Orchestra  
Guidance for members**

**Date** 15.6.2021

**Avoid:**  
**IGNORANCE**  
**REBELLION**  
**COMPLACENCY**  
**CARELESSNESS**

**Venue** **Main Hall, Bishop Justus CofE School  
Magpie Hall Lane, Bromley BR2 8HZ**

**Arrival time** 1915-1930  
**Start time** 1930  
**Break** 2025-2035 (or at Adrian discretion)  
**End time** 2130  
**Venue closes** 2200

**Bring** Face mask  
Hand sanitiser  
Instrument  
Music stand  
Light for music stand (if used)  
Music  
Brass/woodwind - means of collecting any condensation and cleaning up  
Refreshments  
Dress warmly if necessary - we have to ventilate  
String copies online; Adrian will distribute/collect his set

**Before you set off** Read the risk assessment and agree by email to abide by this guidance  
If you answer "yes" to any of these questions, do not attend:  
*Have you had symptoms?*  
*Have you had contact with someone who has symptoms?*  
*Have you been asked to self-isolate?*  
*Have you returned from abroad in last 14 days?*  
Think about avoiding use of the toilets at rehearsal!  
or other period as in current Government guidance

**Travel to venue** Avoid car shares. Walk, cycle or use own car  
If car share unavoidable, use face coverings, open windows, sit far from each other

**Parking** Bishop Justus School car park (familiar)  
Only take in what you need  
Observe others arriving and maintain social distance >2m  
Put on your face mask - keep it on throughout rehearsal, only take it off if your instrument requires blowing into it!

**Entrance** Enter by the usual fire door only; do not use the main school entrance  
Maintain social distance >2m at all times  
Register with committee member at the door  
Scan QR code if you have the NHS app  
Find your named chair and set up your space  
Please do not move your chair or swap places  
Wood wind and brass arrive before 1915 and get seated first  
Strings arrive 1915

**At the rehearsal** Adrian will rehearse as normal  
Woodwind and brass: do not start playing until everyone has sat down!  
NB playing at social distance is tricky: be patient and attentive!  
Keep chat to a minimum  
Raise your hand to attract attention, feel unwell or have any questions. Do not shout  
\*You can leave at any time should you change your mind about attending\*  
Brass: have your chair on a towel/bin bag, empty your valve into a towel, not on the floor & seal in a plastic bag  
Woodwind: make sure when cleaning that you do not get any condensation on the floor; bring a towel & seal in a plastic bag?  
Please take any rubbish home

**Break** We will aim to break about the usual time  
Put on your face mask if you were not still wearing it anyway  
If weather allows, please go outside  
Maintain social distance >2m at all times  
Bring your own refreshments  
Do not mingle!

**Toilets** Go before you arrive & don't drink too much!  
The toilets in the foyer will be available for use  
If you need to use the toilet please maintain social distance and wear your mask

**After rehearsal** Put on your face mask if you weren't wearing it already/throughout  
Please leave as directed, starting with those closest to the exit  
Maintain social distance >2m at all times

**After the event** If, within 48 hours of the rehearsal, you experience Covid 19 symptoms, please arrange a test immediately  
Tell Mike (or any other member of the committee) immediately, who will contact the rest of the orchestra & BJS, and complete the Test & Trace requirements

