

Thaxted Music Lovers 2020

Thaxted Music Lovers provide vital sponsorship for Thaxted Festival concerts and artists, as well as supporting the educational activities which we run with local schools. In return, members at each level have priority booking periods during which they can select their preferred seating – important when many of the better seats sell out during the general booking period – as well as other attractive benefits. Thaxted Festival can only remain viable through the generous involvement of our many supporters, and we are extremely grateful to all our existing and new Thaxted Music Lovers.

Thaxted Music Lovers Benefits	Bronze level	Silver level	Gold level
Priority booking	Ticket orders processed three weeks ahead of public booking. From Monday 16 March.	Ticket orders processed five weeks ahead of public booking, and two weeks ahead of Bronze. From Monday 2 March.	Ticket orders processed six weeks ahead of general booking, and two weeks ahead of Silver. From Monday 17 February.
Post-concert reception		Two free tickets to one of two post-concert receptions.	Two free tickets to one of two post-concert receptions.
Launch Reception and autumn event	Thaxted Music Lovers at all levels may purchase tickets for themselves and their guests for the Launch Reception of the 2020 season, on 9 February 2020 at 3.00pm in Thaxted Church, and for an event in autumn 2020.		
Programmes			Complimentary programme for the full season delivered to home address.
Special event			Invitation to an exclusive Gold members' lunch during the 2020 season.
Acknowledgement	All Thaxted Music Lovers will be listed by name in the 2020 programme.		
Individual membership	£15	£75	£300
Dual membership	£30	£150	£600

1. **General booking opens on Monday 6 April 2020.** Thaxted Music Lovers will be mailed the 2020 season brochure on release in February. **Thaxted Music Lover bookings may be made online once the advance booking period for each level opens.** (We will send you full details before your priority booking period opens.) Alternatively, you may use the printed order form in the brochure to submit your ticket requirements by post in time for the opening date. (Ticket orders received by post will be processed strictly by level according to the opening dates in the table.)

2. There will be **receptions** for Silver and Gold members after the 21 June and 4 July concerts supported by Thaxted Music Lovers, in venues close to Thaxted Church. These provide a relaxed end to the evening, with light refreshments, and usually offer the chance to meet some of the performers informally (subject to schedules). Thaxted Music Lovers Silver and Gold members are entitled to two places at **one** of the events.

3. A **Launch Reception**, open *only* to Thaxted Music Lovers at Bronze, Silver and Gold levels and their guests, will take place on **Sunday 9 February 2020 in Thaxted Church at 3.00pm**. This is a relaxed social occasion with a presentation of the details of the season, followed by a short recital. Wine and light refreshments are served. All Thaxted Music Lovers may purchase tickets for this event at £15 per ticket. The booking form is on page 3. Details of our 2020 **Autumn Reception** Thaxted Music Lovers will be released during the summer.

How to join Thaxted Music Lovers for 2020

Please print and complete this form and make payment by cheque, credit card or standing order. Send the form to: Thaxted Festival, 10 Watling Street, Thaxted, Essex CM6 2PE. Please make cheques out to Thaxted Festival.

You may set up a **standing order** provided we receive the completed enclosed mandate by 9 December 2019. We will send you confirmation that you have been enrolled in the scheme, whichever your method of payment.

I/We wish to join Thaxted Music Lovers:

	Please tick single or dual membership:		Price
Bronze level	Single membership	<input type="checkbox"/>	£15
	Dual membership	<input type="checkbox"/>	£30
Silver level	Single membership	<input type="checkbox"/>	£75
	Dual membership	<input type="checkbox"/>	£150
Gold level	Single membership	<input type="checkbox"/>	£300
	Dual membership	<input type="checkbox"/>	£600

GIFT AID DECLARATION: If you are a UK taxpayer, Thaxted Festival can benefit by 25p for each £1 of your Thaxted Music Lovers payment. In order to Gift Aid your payment you must tick this box:

I wish to Gift Aid my payment of £_____ to Thaxted Festival Foundation.

I am a UK taxpayer and understand that if I pay less Income Tax and/or Capital Gains Tax in the current tax year than the amount of Gift Aid claimed on all my donations it is my responsibility to pay any difference.

Name: _____

Title: _____ First name: _____

Address: _____

Postcode: _____ Telephone: _____

Email: _____

Name of second member, if you are joining as dual members: _____

Names as you would like them to appear in the programme and in correspondence: _____

I understand that Thaxted Festival may contact me via the channels I have indicated above in connection with my membership of Thaxted Music Lovers.

STANDING ORDER

If you are setting up your TML subscription payment by Standing Order for the first time, please tick here, complete the enclosed mandate, and return to us by 9 December 2019.

PAYMENT

I enclose a cheque for the above amount payable to Thaxted Festival: (please tick if so)

OR: Please charge my Visa/Mastercard number: _____ Last 3 digits of CVV number on back: _____

Expiry Date: ____ / ____ . Issue number (if applicable): _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Thaxted Music Lovers

Launch Reception for the 2020 season in Thaxted Church

Our Launch Reception will be held on Sunday 9 February 2020 at 3.00pm in Thaxted Parish Church. Tickets for this event may only be purchased by subscribers of Thaxted Music Lovers, at any level, for themselves and their guests.

Wine and light refreshments will be served, with a chance to mingle with Festival organisers and the other Thaxted Music Lovers. The Chairman will present the details of the 2020 season. Brochures for the season will be released at the event. The afternoon will conclude with a short recital starting at approximately 4.00pm, by young saxophonist **Rob Burton**, with piano. Rob was a woodwind finalist in BBC Young Musician of the Year in 2018. Having grown up in Cambridgeshire, he is rapidly building a reputation for exciting performances, and is studying classical saxophone at the Royal Academy of Music.

Members at the event will be the first to receive copies of the 2020 Thaxted Festival Brochure, before it is mailed to Thaxted Music Lovers.

To order your tickets for the Launch Reception, please complete this form and return it together with the membership form on Page 2, and your overall payment. (Gift Aid is not applicable on Launch Reception tickets, but we will make the adjustment in our declaration to HMRC if you support Thaxted Festival with Gift Aid.) If you pay your Thaxted Music Lovers subscription by standing order, you will just need to make payment for your Launch Reception tickets at this point.

There will be no special parking arrangements for this event, and you are advised to use the various parking options available in Thaxted. Toilet facilities will be available in the Swan Hotel opposite the church, by agreement with the hotel management. **Doors will open for the event at 2.30pm.**

We look forward to seeing you at the reception.

Please send me tickets for the 2020 Launch Reception at £15 each. Total to pay: £

Please tick either:

I have included payment with my Thaxted Music Lovers membership.	<input type="checkbox"/>
I am paying my Thaxted Music Lovers subscription by Standing Order, and am making a separate payment for my Launch Reception tickets.	<input type="checkbox"/>

Surname:

Title: First name:

Address:

Postcode: Telephone:

**Thaxted Festival
10 Watling Street
Thaxted, Essex CM6 2PE**

STANDING ORDER MANDATE

Please use BLOCK CAPITALS.

YOUR BANK MANAGER
To:
The Manager Bank/Building Society

Address _____

Postcode _____

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Bank/Building Society Account Number

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Signature(s):

Date: _____

Name _____

Address _____

Postcode _____

Instruction to your Bank or Building Society

Please pay to Thaxted Festival Foundation
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Commencing on **3 January 2020** and
every year on the same date until further notice.

Please return this completed mandate to:

Thaxted Festival
10 Watling Street
Thaxted
Essex CM6 2PE

Please complete all the details above and send this form to Thaxted Festival by **9 December 2019** using the address above. Thaxted Festival office will note your payment arrangements and forward the form to your bank or building society.

Thaxted Festival Foundation, November 2019