



Robin Hood Music & Drama Festival 2023

Continuing to Celebrate Great
Music and Drama Around
Yorkshire

Festival Weekend
Thursday 16 - Sunday 19 March 2023

All events will be held at:
Hill House School

Sixth Avenue
Auckley
Doncaster
DN9 3GG

Dear Parents, Teachers, and Performers

Join us as we celebrate another fabulous year of the Robin Hood Music and Drama Festival!

As ever, our main aim is to continue to create opportunities for the young people from around Yorkshire and beyond to perform and compete in a friendly and supportive atmosphere.

The festival has evolved into a hugely successful event receiving individuals, clubs, groups, schools, choirs, and musical ensembles from across the region. The Robin Hood Music and Drama Festival is set to be another wonderful event celebrating the enthusiasm and talent that everybody brings to the event each year. We are hugely looking forward to receiving your entries and enjoying your performances.

Please ensure your entries are with us no later than **Friday 10 February 2023**. If your entry is late, we cannot guarantee that you will be included in the programme or the class you wish to participate in. But as ever, we will do our very best to accommodate everyone!

In the meantime, if you have any questions or queries, please feel free to contact the organisers. We are always happy to help.

So, until we meet in March, good luck, practise hard and make sure that you enjoy yourself, the performances, and the festival overall!

Vicky Bodman
Festival Coordinator
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Responsibility

The festival does not act in Loco Parentis. Please ensure that you provide adequate supervision of your child during their attendance at the festival.

Mobile phones must be switched off during all performances throughout the festival.

Refreshments will be available to purchase throughout the event.

Festival Regulations

Competitors may use the official accompanists or their own. Please state requirements on the application form. **Please submit a copy of accompaniments with the application**, noting the class number. This also applies to students using their own accompanists.

Accompaniments must be presented in an acceptable manner for the accompanist to use on the day.

Although the time limits are not strictly observed, please indicate on your entry form an estimated time of your performance.

No flash photography is permitted during performances.

Any text/song material containing graphic language or swearing must be submitted in full so that an age-appropriate audience can be accommodated. The panel reserve the right to reject entries that the panel deem unsuitable.

Age limits are applicable as of the first day of the festival i.e., Thursday 16 March 2023.

Please Note:

There will be a charge of £2.00 per adult on entry each day.

Two-day tickets will be available for £3.00; three-day tickets will be available for £4.00 and four-day tickets will be available for £5.00.

Children under the age of 18 - no charge.

All correspondence to be sent to: -

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Competition Classes

Music

Guitar

Accompanists are permitted in all Guitar Classes

One or two contrasting pieces not exceeding 7 minutes in total

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| 1. | Up to Grade 1 | Entry £5.00 | Prize - plaque |
| 2. | Up to Grade 3 | Entry £5.00 | Prize - plaque |

One or two contrasting pieces not exceeding 8 minutes in total

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| 3. | Up to Grade 5 | Entry £5.00 | Prize - £10 Voucher |
| 4. | Up to Grade 7 | Entry £5.00 | Prize - £15 Voucher |

One or two contrasting pieces not exceeding 10 minutes in total

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| 5. | Grade 8 and above | Entry £5.00 | Prize - £20 Voucher |
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Percussion

One or two contrasting pieces not exceeding 7 minutes in total

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| 6. | Up to Grade 1 | Entry £5.00 | Prize - plaque |
| 7. | Up to Grade 3 | Entry £5.00 | Prize - plaque |

One or two contrasting pieces not exceeding 8 minutes in total

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| 8. | Up to Grade 5 | Entry £5.00 | Prize - £10 Voucher |
| 9. | Up to Grade 7 | Entry £5.00 | Prize - £15 Voucher |

One or two contrasting pieces not exceeding 10 minutes in total

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| 10. | Grade 8 and above | Entry £5.00 | Prize - £20 Voucher |
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Strings

One or two contrasting pieces not exceeding 7 minutes in total

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| 11. | Up to Grade 1 | Entry £5.00 | Prize - plaque |
| 12. | Up to Grade 3 | Entry £5.00 | Prize - plaque |

One or two contrasting pieces not exceeding 8 minutes in total

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| 13. | Up to Grade 5 | Entry £5.00 | Prize - £10 Voucher |
| 14. | Up to Grade 7 | Entry £5.00 | Prize - £15 Voucher |

One or two contrasting pieces not exceeding 10 minutes in total

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| 15. | Grade 8 and above | Entry £5.00 | Prize - £20 Voucher |
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Woodwind

One or two contrasting pieces not exceeding 7 minutes in total

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| 16. | Up to Grade 1 | Entry £5.00 | Prize - plaque |
| 17. | Up to Grade 3 | Entry £5.00 | Prize - plaque |

One or two contrasting pieces not exceeding 8 minutes in total

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| 18. | Up to Grade 5 | Entry £5.00 | Prize - £10 Voucher |
| 19. | Up to Grade 7 | Entry £5.00 | Prize - £15 Voucher |

One or two contrasting pieces not exceeding 10 minutes in total

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| 20. | Grade 8 and above | Entry £5.00 | Prize - £20 Voucher |
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Brass

One or two contrasting pieces not exceeding 7 minutes in total

21.	Up to Grade 1	Entry £5.00	Prize - plaque
22.	Up to Grade 3	Entry £5.00	Prize - plaque

One or two contrasting pieces not exceeding 8 minutes in total

23.	Up to Grade 5	Entry £5.00	Prize - £10 Voucher
24.	Up to Grade 7	Entry £5.00	Prize - £15 Voucher

One or two contrasting pieces not exceeding 10 minutes in total

25.	Grade 8 and above	Entry £5.00	Prize - £20 Voucher
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Piano

One or two contrasting pieces not exceeding 7 minutes in total

26.	Up to Grade 1	Entry £5.00	Prize - plaque
27.	Up to Grade 3	Entry £5.00	Prize - plaque

One or two contrasting pieces not exceeding 8 minutes in total

28.	Up to Grade 5	Entry £5.00	Prize - £10 Voucher
29.	Up to Grade 7	Entry £5.00	Prize - £15 Voucher

One or two contrasting pieces not exceeding 10 minutes in total

30.	Grade 8 and above	Entry £5.00	Prize - £20 Voucher
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Keyboard

One or two contrasting pieces not exceeding 7 minutes in total

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| 31. | Up to Grade 1 | Entry £5.00 | Prize - plaque |
| 32. | Up to Grade 3 | Entry £5.00 | Prize - plaque |

One or two contrasting pieces not exceeding 8 minutes in total

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| 33. | Up to Grade 5 | Entry £5.00 | Prize - £10 Voucher |
| 34. | Up to Grade 7 | Entry £5.00 | Prize - £15 Voucher |

One or two contrasting pieces not exceeding 10 minutes in total

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| 35. | Grade 8 and above | Entry £5.00 | Prize - £20 Voucher |
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Electric Guitar

One or two contrasting pieces not exceeding 7 minutes in total

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| 36. | Up to Grade 1 | Entry £5.00 | Prize - plaque |
| 37. | Up to Grade 3 | Entry £5.00 | Prize - plaque |

One or two contrasting pieces not exceeding 8 minutes in total

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| 38. | Up to Grade 5 | Entry £5.00 | Prize - £10 Voucher |
| 39. | Up to Grade 7 | Entry £5.00 | Prize - £15 Voucher |

One or two contrasting pieces not exceeding 10 minutes in total

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| 40. | Grade 8 and above | Entry £5.00 | Prize - £20 Voucher |
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Drum Kit

One or two contrasting pieces not exceeding 7 minutes in total

41.	Up to Grade 1	Entry £5.00	Prize - plaque
42.	Up to Grade 3	Entry £5.00	Prize - plaque

One or two contrasting pieces not exceeding 8 minutes in total

43.	Up to Grade 5	Entry £5.00	Prize - £10 Voucher
44.	Up to Grade 7	Entry £5.00	Prize - £15 Voucher

One or two contrasting pieces not exceeding 10 minutes in total

45.	Grade 8 & above	Entry £5.00	Prize - £20 Voucher
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Instrumental Ensemble

Please Note - All Instrumental Ensemble classes will be held on Friday 17 March

Fewer than 10 players, any combination of instruments

One or two contrasting pieces not exceeding 12 minutes in total

46.	Junior - Year 6 & under	Entry £10.00	Prize - trophy
47.	Intermediate - Year 9 & under	Entry £10.00	Prize - trophy
48.	Senior - 19 yrs & under	Entry £10.00	Prize - trophy

10 players or more, any combination of instruments

One or two contrasting pieces not exceeding 12 minutes in total

49.	Junior - Year 6 & under	Entry £10.00	Prize - trophy
50.	Intermediate - Year 9 & under	Entry £10.00	Prize - trophy
51.	Senior - 19 yrs & under	Entry £10.00	Prize - trophy

Vocal Classes

Choir

Please Note - All Choir classes will be held on Thursday 16 March

One or two contrasting pieces not exceeding 8 minutes in total

52.	Up to Key Stage One	Entry £5.00	Prize - trophy
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One or two contrasting pieces not exceeding 10 minutes in total

53.	Junior - Year 6 & under	Entry £10.00	Prize - trophy
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54.	Intermediate - Year 9 & under	Entry £10.00	Prize - trophy
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55.	Senior - 19 yrs & under	Entry £10.00	Prize - trophy
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Voice - Classical

One or two contrasting pieces

56.	Class Year 4 & under	Entry £5.00	Prize - plaque
57.	Class Year 5 & 6	Entry £5.00	Prize - plaque
58.	Class Year 7 & 8	Entry £5.00	Prize - £10 Voucher
59.	Class Year 9 & 10	Entry £5.00	Prize - £15 Voucher
60.	Class Year 11 & above	Entry £5.00	Prize - £20 Voucher

Voice - Musical Theatre

One or two contrasting pieces

61.	Class Year 4 & under	Entry £5.00	Prize - plaque
62.	Class Year 5 & 6	Entry £5.00	Prize - plaque
63.	Class Year 7 & 8	Entry £5.00	Prize - £10 Voucher
64.	Class Year 9 & 10	Entry £5.00	Prize - £15 Voucher
65.	Class Year 11 & above	Entry £5.00	Prize - £20 Voucher



Drama

Contemporary Monologues

Post - 1900

Own choice not exceeding 3 minutes in total

66.	Class Year 4 & under	Entry £5.00	Prize - plaque
67.	Class Year 5 & 6	Entry £5.00	Prize - plaque
68.	Class Year 7 & 8	Entry £5.00	Prize - £10 voucher
69.	Class Year 9 & 10	Entry £5.00	Prize - £15 voucher
70.	Class Year 11 & above	Entry £5.00	Prize - £20 voucher

Traditional Monologues

Pre - 1900

Own choice not exceeding 3 minutes in total

71.	Class Year 4 & under	Entry £5.00	Prize - plaque
72.	Class Year 5 & 6	Entry £5.00	Prize - plaque
73.	Class Year 7 & 8	Entry £5.00	Prize - £10 voucher
74.	Class Year 9 & 10	Entry £5.00	Prize - £15 voucher
75.	Class Year 11 & above	Entry £5.00	Prize - £20 voucher

Humorous Verse

Own choice not exceeding 4 minutes in total

76.	Class Year 4 & under	Entry £5.00	Prize - plaque
77.	Class Year 5 & 6	Entry £5.00	Prize - plaque
78.	Class Year 7 & 8	Entry £5.00	Prize - £10 voucher
79.	Class Year 9 & 10	Entry £5.00	Prize - £15 voucher
80.	Class Year 11 & above	Entry £5.00	Prize - £20 voucher

Duologues

Two performers, own choice not exceeding 3 minutes in total

81.	Class Year 4 & under	Entry £5.00	Prize - plaque
82.	Class Year 5 & 6	Entry £5.00	Prize - plaque
83.	Class Year 7 & 8	Entry £5.00	Prize - £10 voucher
84.	Class Year 9 & 10	Entry £5.00	Prize - £15 voucher
85.	Class Year 11 & above	Entry £5.00	Prize - £20 voucher

Storytelling

Two performers, own choice not exceeding 3 minutes in total

86.	Class Year 4 & under	Entry £5.00	Prize - plaque
87.	Class Year 5 & 6	Entry £5.00	Prize - plaque
88.	Class Year 7 & 8	Entry £5.00	Prize - £10 voucher
89.	Class Year 9 & 10	Entry £5.00	Prize - £15 voucher
90.	Class Year 11 & above	Entry £5.00	Prize - £20 voucher

Drama Ensemble

Please note, the adjudication will focus on the dramatic content only

More than 10 performers, any scene from any play or musical

Must not exceed 8 minutes in total

91.	Junior - up to & including Year 6	Entry £10.00	Prize - trophy
92.	Senior - 19yrs and under	Entry £10.00	Prize - trophy

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Thursday 16 March

Choir
Percussion Soloists

Friday 17 March

Instrumental Ensemble

Saturday 18 March

Solo Instrumental
Piano

Sunday 19 March

Solo Drama
Drama Duologue
Drama Ensemble
Classical Voice
Musical Theatre

Outstanding Performers' Concert

Date to be confirmed



At the adjudicators' discretion, some applicants will be invited to appear at our Outstanding Performers' Concert.

Trophies will be awarded for: -
Outstanding Musical Performer

Outstanding Vocalist

Outstanding Dramatic Solo Performance

Outstanding Junior Performance

Outstanding Intermediate Performance

Outstanding Ensemble Performance

Outstanding Pianist



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APPLICATION FORM

One entry per form. Please complete **both pages** of this form.

For multiple entries, please photocopy this form or download from www.hillhouse.doncaster.sch.uk

Name:

NAME OF SCHOOL ATTENDED: _____

NAME OF ADULT RESPONSIBLE FOR PUPIL: _____

CLASS ENTERED: _____

ACCOMPANIST REQUIRED?: ☐ YES ☐ NO

Please note: a guitar accompanist is permitted for guitar class.

PLEASE SUBMIT COPIES OF ACCOMPANIMENTS WITH APPLICATION.

PIECES TO BE PLAYED (PLEASE INCLUDE COMPOSER): _____

DURATION OF PIECES (IN MINUTES): _____

CONTACT DETAILS

ADDRESS: _____

POST CODE: _____ HOME TEL NO: _____

MOBILE TEL NO: _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

Please note: all correspondence will be sent via email

FEE TOTAL: _____ **Please include payment with application.**

Payment to be made via BACS to be made payable to:
'Hill House School Ltd.'
Sorting Code: 05-04-14 Account No: 24022448
Quoting Ref: RHF (**Surname of Applicant**)

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APPLICATION FORM (Cont.)

Please note, this form must be completed in order for your application to be processed

Entry deadline: **Friday 10 February 2023**

**PHOTOCOPIES NEED TO BE SENT WITH THIS APPLICATION FOR THE ADJUDICATOR.
ALL SHEETS SHOULD BE CLEARLY MARKED WITH THE NAME OF THE PERFORMER
AND THE CLASS NUMBER.**

Please tick to confirm the below:

- ☐ I / We understand that the personal data provided above will be processed for the legitimate business of 'The Robin Hood Festival' managing the application process. I / We understand that this information will be held until such time as the applicant is no longer of an age to participate in the Festival, or until I / we request that this data no longer be retained.
- ☐ I / We agree to you keeping in touch about festival-related activities (e.g. future events/ application deadlines/invitation to Outstanding Performers Concert).
- ☐ I / We give permission for photographs to be taken throughout the festival and agree for these to be used for promotion purposes (social media, websites, press releases) in line with the "Taking, Storing and Using Images of Children" policy, which can be found on the Hill House School website.

We will never sell your data and we promise to keep your details safe and secure. You can change your mind at any time by emailing vbodman@hillhouse.doncaster.sch.uk. For further details on how your data is used and stored please visit: www.hillhouse.doncaster.sch.uk/policies

I have read and agree to abide by the regulations of the festival as outlined in this syllabus.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Application forms to be returned to:

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Closing Date for Entries Friday 10 February 2023

Late Entries may be considered, but candidate's name and class will not feature in the programme.

Recognition for Robin Hood Music & Drama Festival

In 2016 The Robin Hood Music and Drama Festival won The Times' 'Community Initiative of the Year Award' which recognised the work that the festival team do to support local children and young adults to achieve their full potential within the Arts.

"Extraordinary project of impressive scope"

