

Celebrating 20 years of Success



Interested in becoming a Patron?

The Kinder Children's Choirs of the High Peak have been one of the major success stories of the cultural life of the High Peak since their formation in 1991 by their inspirational Founder Director Joyce Ellis.

Located in the beautiful hills of the Peak District in rural Derbyshire, England, the choirs quickly gained a national and international profile with successes in major competitions and festivals, major concert engagements, appearances on TV and radio and in European tours. The choirs are named after the mountain Kinder Scout (the highest point in Derbyshire) and involve more than 100 choristers between the ages of 7 and 18 in a group of five choirs. They are administered by a Registered Charitable Trust.

Joyce Ellis was inspired to form the choirs, after a career as an Opera singer and recitalist, with the specific aim of providing vocal and choral training for children with the excitement of high-level performance with professional attitudes and approach.

Children are not precluded for reasons of cost and there are no voice tests or auditions in gaining entry to the Choirs' training programme

The Children develop choral and performance skills and in addition, they benefit greatly from being part of the Choir community, taking part in the range of activities that develop confidence, discipline and respect. The children are a credit to the local area, their parents and most importantly to themselves.

Our Patrons provide an invaluable contribution to the success of the Choirs and we hope you feel able to support us by making a donation. We look forward to seeing you at our future performances.

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PATRONS FORM

Thank you for your interest in becoming a Patron of the Kinder Children's Choirs of the High Peak. Your support will help us to continue our work. Please complete this form and return to Freda Sutton.



Gift Aid if you are a UK tax payer. The choir receives 25% more money at no cost to you.

Payment by standing order which reduces the administrative overhead

Your Details

Title First Name Surname

Address

Postcode

Telephone Email

I wish to contribute (please ✓):

EITHER £2 £5 £10 Other £..... per **month**

OR £25 £30 £35 Other £..... per **annum**

Gift Aid Declaration:

I would like the tax to be reclaimed on any eligible donations or membership subscriptions that I have ever made or will make to the Kinder Children's Choirs of the High Peak until further notice. I confirm that I pay an amount of UK income or capital gains tax at least equal to the tax that will be reclaimed.

Signature Date

Payment :

By cheque (payee "The Kinder Children's Choirs"). Please attach and send to Freda Sutton.
Address; The Vicarage, 12 Thorley Lane, Timperley, WA15 7AZ. e-mail : fredasutton@aol.com

OR



Standing Order Instructions (to be detached and sent to your bank manager)

To the Manager

(Your bank name and address)

Please pay the National Westminster Bank, New Mills Branch (Sort Code 01-06-05) for the credit of The Kinder Children's Choirs of the High Peak, (Account No. 11022396),

The sum of £..... monthly/annually starting on ^D ^M ^Y until further notice, and debit my

Account No Sort Code

Title First Name Surname

Signature Date