

A warm welcome to our Christmas Concert – thanks for coming along and helping us raise money for St Helena Hospice. Both groups have an exciting programme of Christmas classics lined up for you, as well as some wonderful Christmas arrangements that are especially written for band and choir...so we're looking forward to an entertaining afternoon. There are also a few pieces which require you to join in, but don't let that stop you joining in whenever you like...a set of keys can manage a pretty good sleigh bells impression if shaken firmly enough.

This year marks the band's 35th anniversary, and despite the West Cliff having been one of our favourite venues (and audiences) for over 25 years, we've never performed a Christmas Concert here...so we're excited to finally be here at Christmas, and delighted that the Cavender Singers are joining with us. It's also 24 years since the band's founder Sid Cooper last conducted the band, and as he often arranged concerts in aid of St Helena Hospice, it seemed fitting to be raising money for that charity today.

Finally – thanks again for coming along and we hope you enjoy the concert !

West Bergholt Concert Band
return to the West Cliff on
Sunday 16th March for
“Broadway to the Big Bands”

(Glenn Miller, Gershwin, Mancini, Dixieland,
Rock n Roll, Sousa...and more !)



Christmas
Concert

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In Aid Of



St Helena Hospice
your time...your hospice

Sunday 15th December

West Cliff Theatre
Clacton



West Bergholt Concert Band

35th Anniversary (1978 - 2013)

(Founded by Mr Sid Cooper)

Graham Wilson – Musical Director

The 
Cavender
Singers



Kathryn Cavender – Musical Director

1. Wassail R. Bashford
2. Christmas Favorites arr James Swearingen
3. Oh Little Town Of Bethlehem arr Colin Evans
4. Christmas from the '50s arr Douglas E. Wagner
5. Merry Christmas Darling R. Carpenter & Pooler arr McDonald
6. Sleigh Ride Leroy Anderson

Training Band

1. I Want a Hippopotamus for Christmas John Rox arr James Kazik
2. Carol Of The Drum arr Paul Lavender
3. Ding Dong Merrily On High H. J. Gauntlett arr Colin Evans
4. Our Winter Wonderland arr Paul Murtha & Audrey Snyder
5. Santa Baby Javit, P & T Springer arr Brown
6. Rockin' Robin Jimmie Thomas arr Eric Osterling

Interval

1. *We Need A Little Christmas*

2. *The First Noel*

3. *Away In A Manger*

4. *The Holly & The Ivy*

5. *When A Child Is Born*

6. A Christmas Festival Leroy Anderson

7. Once In Royal David's City arr Colin Evans

8. Have Yourselves A Merry Little Christmas H. Martin & R. Blane
arr Douglas E. Wagner

9. Irving Berlin's Christmas arr Michael Brown & Mark Brymer

**On behalf of West Bergholt Band &
The Cavender Singers ...**

**Have yourselves a very merry Christmas & a wonderful
2014.**