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<p>Making Music is the association for leisure-time music in the UK. Membership buys practical support, connections to other promoters and to artists, access to our informative events, and gets your voice heard.</p>	<div>  <div>Free to members</div> </div> <div>  <div>Open to members only (apply for or pay for)</div> </div> <div>  <div>Open to everyone</div> </div>
<div>  <div> Campaigns and advocacy Guidance Topics include venues for regular activity or performance, music libraries, music education </div> </div>	<div>  <div> Guidance and support Service A friendly and knowledgeable team can support you via email 24/7 and telephone Mon-Fri </div> </div>
<div>  <div> Insurance policy Service Insurance policies purpose-built for music groups, simple to understand and available at a level to suit your activity: e.g. with or without property or cancellation included </div> </div>	<div>  <div> Removing barriers for new participants and audiences Benefit Events, resources, working groups to help you find new audiences and new volunteers </div> </div>
<div>  <div> Events Benefit Online information and advice events, member meet-ups, member networks (e.g. Treasurers), working groups, focus groups </div> </div>	<div>  <div> Access for all your group members Benefit Your group's members will all gain access to the services, resources, tools and guidance available on our website plus support from our team </div> </div>
<div>  <div> 200+ resources available online Service Guidance, tools, templates, case studies, discounts; topics include how to promote your group, performing rights, Gift Aid, safeguarding, marketing and more </div> </div>	<div>  <div> Making Music Platform Service Online group admin system plus public-facing website template to help you run your ensemble, collect subs, sell tickets – all in one digital place </div> </div>
<div>  <div> Charity registration service Service Over £5,000 annual income? Time to register with the Charity Commission. We have a model constitution and compile and submit your registration for you </div> </div>	<div>  <div> Making Music Safe Service Child licensing and safeguarding service, and policy templates, making your admin easier and helping you get young people involved in your group </div> </div>
<div>  <div> Gift Aid Guidance Is your group a registered charity? You could claim Gift Aid on membership subscriptions </div> </div>	<div>  <div> Music Bank Tools Repertoire database; member to member sheet music lending; and programme notes (free from members for members) </div> </div>
<div>  <div> Member magazine Benefit A copy of our magazine, <i>Highnotes</i>, three times a year. Plus you'll have the chance to share your group's story and feature in it </div> </div>	<div>  <div> Monthly e-newsletter: iNotes & MemberNotes (member only) Benefit Keep up to date with Making Music, sector news, opportunities and resources </div> </div>
<div>  <div> Recommended Artists Opportunity Find artists to present at your concerts from our online database of soloists and small ensembles, with pre-agreed fees and recommended by fellow promoters </div> </div>	<div>  <div> PRS collection scheme Service Pay for all events in non-licensed venues just once a year through us </div> </div>

 <p>Template contracts and recommended rates Guidance</p> <p>We have a template contract for engaging professional musicians free for you to use</p>	 <p>Online events led by experts Benefit</p> <p>On a wide range of topics such as hearing loss, social prescribing and more</p>
 <p>Fighting your corner Benefit</p> <p>Responding to consultations and proposals which may impact you (members: additional guidance)</p>	 <p>Governance support Guidance</p> <p>Model constitution, trustee handbook and policy templates</p>
 <p>Discounted young artists booking Opportunity</p> <p>Subsidies on bookings of Philip and Dorothy Green Young Artists (soloists and small ensembles)</p>	 <p>Find a group map Tools</p> <p>List your group using our searchable tool for potential new audiences (or volunteers!) to find you</p>
 <p>Support for your finance volunteer Benefit</p> <p>Resources, templates and network meetings for Treasurers led by our Finance Director</p>	 <p>Promotional opportunities Benefit</p> <p>Publicise your group, concerts, courses or facilities to other groups</p>
 <p>Signposting to opportunities Opportunity</p> <p>E.g. Learn to Play Day, Fun Palaces, Make Music Day, (members: additional toolkits)</p>	 <p>Awards ceremony, Climate change network Benefit</p> <p>Events open to members and non-members</p>
 <p>Member events calendar Benefit</p> <p>Only members can list their events on our website; we will also share your events on social media</p>	 <p>Making Music Awards Opportunity</p> <p>Celebrating music groups, your volunteers, your activity and the professionals you work with</p>
 <p>Evidence bank Opportunity</p> <p>Research, reports and statistics helping you to make the case for your group and your activity</p>	 <p>Projects and opportunities Opportunity</p> <p>Classic FM carol competition, Adopt a Music Creator project</p>
 <p>Special discounts Benefit</p> <p>Discounts from our partners and corporate members exclusively for members</p>	 <p>Funding finder Tools</p> <p>Search through our database to find funders</p>
 <p>List your vacancies Tools</p> <p>For professional musicians and volunteers to find you</p>	 <p>Online health check Tools</p> <p>Review your online presence and find improvements</p>