

# *Michael Badminton*

## Young Musicians Trust

The Michael Badminton Young Musicians Trust was established in 1998 by the late Dr Michael Badminton, who was well loved as a patron and mentor of young musicians, and who also promoted chamber music concerts. He was a distinguished string teacher, a number of whose pupils became members of the National Youth Orchestra, as well as an enthusiastic amateur musician who played for many years in local orchestras in Norfolk.

### **Objects**

The main object of the Trust is to assist musically talented young string players to further their studies at a higher level. The Trust also has instruments for loan to successful applicants. A secondary object is the promotion of chamber music for strings.

### **Who will qualify?**

Applicants who play the violin, viola, cello or double bass who are under the age of 20 and not yet attending a conservatoire or college of music full-time, and who or whose parents or guardians reside in Norfolk

### **How to apply**

Applications must be made on the attached form. Please give full details, outlining time-scales for assistance and attaching any relevant material to the form. Please note that applications will normally only be considered when supported by the applicant's current instrumental teacher.

The Trustees will wish to monitor the progress of successful applicants, whether by regular reports from the teacher or otherwise. They also reserve the right to require evidence in support of the financial information on the form.

Financial assistance and instrument loans will normally be reviewed annually and will terminate on the applicant's 20th birthday.

All instruments on loan are also insured by the Trust.

Jonathan Wortley  
Chairman of the Trust

# APPLICATION FORM

## The Applicant

Name:	Surname and Forenames	
Date of Birth:	Please attach a copy of the birth certificate	
Address:		
Telephone Number:		Mobile Number:
Email :		

Current School/College/place of work	
Instrument	
Associated Board grade (or equivalent)	
Current Instrumental teacher	
Address	

## Parent or Guardians (If different from above)

Name:		
Address:		
Telephone Number:		Mobile Number:
Email :		
Occupations		

## Assistance applied for

Please outline the assistance sought with full details e.g. name and address of teacher, tuition fees, travel costs, or instrument loan sought

What difference would this make to you?

Have you applied to other Trusts	YES	NO
If Yes who and outcome		
How did you hear about this Trust		

## Financial questionnaire

The Trust is only able to assist if there is an element of financial need. The following questions should be asked on behalf of the applicant's parents or guardians, unless the applicant is aged 18 or over and financially independent. In all cases the income, outgoings and other resources of the applicant should be included.

Total gross annual income from all sources (employment, self-employment, investments, pensions, maintenance)

Monthly mortgage and other loan interest or rent payments	
Monthly amount of other regular payments such as pension/life insurance, maintenance payments etc	
Current value of all property owned	
Current value of any investments	
Amount of all mortgages and other loans currently outstanding	

I/We certify that the above particulars are true, that we will inform the Trustees of any material change in our circumstances, that the financial assistance will be used solely for the applicant's benefit, and that any unused benefit will be repaid.

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Signature of applicant if 18 or over, and of parent or guardian      Date

Please return by post to:  
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