

## CITY OF LEEDS YOUTH MUSIC (CLYM) GROUPS

City of Leeds Youth Music groups are run by **ArtForms Music** on behalf of the **Leeds Music Education Partnership** for young people in Leeds aged 19 and under.

All groups rehearse weekly during term-time at **Pudsey Civic Hall**, Dawsons Corner, Stanningley, Pudsey, Leeds LS28 5TA (unless otherwise indicated).  
For term dates, please see our website.

For more information please visit the ArtForms website [www.artformsleeds.co.uk](http://www.artformsleeds.co.uk)  
You can also contact the ArtForms Office on **0113 378 2850** or email [educ.artforms@leeds.gov.uk](mailto:educ.artforms@leeds.gov.uk)

**Please contact us to find out more about how to join any of these groups.**

### Junior Groups

for those who are new to playing in a group

**Leeds Schools' Choir** **Tuesday 5.00—6.30pm**  
*Sacred Heart RC Primary School, Eden Way, Argie Avenue, Leeds LS4 2TF*  
*A choir for **singers** aged 7-11 years old.*  
*Conductor: Jayne Leadbeater*

**Leeds Schools' String Orchestra (LSSO)** **Friday 6.15—8.15pm**  
*A first ensemble for **string players** ready to play in a group.*  
*Conductor: Hannah Rosebury*

**Leeds Schools' Brass Band** **Friday 5.00—6.00pm**  
*For players of any **brass instrument** ready to play in a group.*  
*Conductor: Ralph Tong*

**Leeds Youth Percussion Ensemble** **Tuesday 4.30—6.00pm**  
*For **percussion** players who are ready to play in a group.*  
*Conductor: Ian Matthews*

### Intermediate Groups

for those with 2 or more years' experience of playing in a group

**City of Leeds Youth Training Wind Orchestra (CLYTWO)** **Tuesday 5.15—6.45pm**  
*For **brass, woodwind** and **percussion** players who already play at intermediate level and are ready to experience playing in a group.*  
*Conductors: Rebecca Morgan, Ed Roberts*

**City of Leeds Youth Training Orchestra (CLYTO)** **Friday 6.30—8.30pm**  
*For **strings, woodwind, brass** and **percussion** players with some experience of ensemble playing.*  
*Conductors: Ralph Tong, Lauren Hinds, Megan Swinchin*

**Leeds Youth Choir** **Tuesday 7.00—8.30pm**  
*Yorkshire College of Music & Drama, St. Mark's House, 1 St. Mark's Avenue, LS2 9BN*  
*For **singers** of high school age, interested in singing a variety of genres.*  
*Some experience of singing in a choir is useful.*  
*Conductor: Diane Paterson*

### Advanced Groups

for accomplished musicians of a high standard

**Roots Alive – Youth Folk Group** **Friday 5.00—6.30pm**  
*This group is for accomplished players, interested in playing **traditional folk music** from the UK and around the world.*  
*Directors: Ruth Wild & Hannah Rosebury*

**Leeds Silver Steel Sparrows** **Tuesday 5.30—7.00pm**  
*All Hallows Church, 24 Regent Terrace, Leeds LS6 1NP*  
*For **steel pan** and **drum kit** players of a high standard.*  
*Conductors: Victoria Jaquiss & Rebecca Ainge*

**Leeds Youth Jazz Rock Orchestra (LYJRO)** **Monday 5.00—7.00pm**  
*Welcomes advanced players interested in the **Jazz Rock genre**.*  
*Conductor: Brendan Duffy*

**City of Leeds Youth Wind Orchestra (CLYWO)**

**Tuesday 7.00—9.00pm**

*For woodwind, brass & percussion players of a high standard.*

**Entry by audition: main auditions are held in June however applicants are accepted all year round.**

*Conductors: Richard Kippen & Ed Roberts*

**City of Leeds Youth Orchestra (CLYO)**

**Friday 6.45—9.15pm**

*For orchestral instrument players of a high standard.*

**Entry by audition: auditions are held in June.**

*Conductor: Dougie Scarfe*

### Ensembles run by Partner organisations

**Leeds Youth Opera**

**Saturday 9.15am – 12.00pm**

**Leeds Church Institute, 20 New Market Street, Leeds, LS1 6DG**

*For singers aged 12-25, dependent on vocal maturity.*

*Conductor: Tom Newall*

*For more information visit [www.leedsyouthopera.org.uk](http://www.leedsyouthopera.org.uk)*

**DJ School UK**

**Thursday 6.00—7.00pm**

**Bridge Street Church Buildings, Bridge Street, Leeds, LS2 7QZ**

*DJ School UK teaches DJ and Music Production skills to anyone of any age and ability.*

*For more information visit [www.djschooluk.org.uk](http://www.djschooluk.org.uk)*

### Would you like to see us perform?

To find out more about our groups, or for news of upcoming events and concerts please visit our website and go to “Music” and then “City of Leeds Youth Music”.

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