

Galashiels Town Band

PRESS RELEASE



Smartening up Our Act – New Band Uniform has first outing.

Galashiels Town Band has a proud history dating back to 1834. Over the years since then the band has been closely linked with many community events, particularly the Braw Lads Gathering. Like many organisations, Galashiels Town Band has had its highs and lows. Recently the band has unveiled ambitious plans to revitalise and rejuvenate.

Now, thanks to a generous bequest from the late John Windram, the band has been able to invest in new uniforms. The old sweatshirts will be replaced by smart maroon jackets with gold and black detail featuring a new badge designed by local artist Rob Black.

Bandmaster Neal Wade said, “We want the people of Galashiels to be proud of the band and the new uniforms are one step in re-creating the band the town deserves.”

The new uniforms will be on show at Threepwood on 28th May when the band plays for the meeting of the Lauder and Gala official parties of 2010.

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