

Bolton and Blackburn with Darwen Music Service Concerts and Events 2025-26

Event	Date	Time	Venue	Ensembles/Choirs Performing
Mayor of Bolton's Christmas Concert	Friday 28 th November (Rehearsal 27 th at Vicotria Hall)	All day Performances	Victoria Hall	Bolton Youth Orchestra Bolton Youth Harmonies
Christmas at the Cathedral	Monday 1 st and Tuesday 2 nd December	TBC	Blackburn Cathedral	BwD School Choirs
BMS Singers and Corus Brass	Friday 5 th December	TBC	Christ Church, Walmsley	BMS Singers
Christmas Rocks	Tuesday 9 th December	6:30pm	The Roundhouse	Senior Rock Junior Rock Acoustic Guitars Rock of Ages
Light Up A Life Service	Wednesday 10 th December	7pm	Bolton Parish Church	Brass Ensemble School choirs TBC
Spotlight	Monday 15 th December	6pm	Mere Hall	Invited Soloists
Christmas Concert	Tuesday 16 th December	6:30pm	Victoria Hall	Bolton Youth Brass Band Bolton Junior Brass Band Junior Strings Training Strings Greater Northern Folk Community Wind Band Bolton Percussion Ensemble Invited School Groups
Christmas Concert	Wednesday 17 th December	6:30pm	Victoria Hall	Bolton Youth Orchestra New Century Strings Symphonic Wind and Brass Bolton Youth Harmonies Bolton Junior Youth Orchestra

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				Youth Wind Band and Percussion Junior Wind Band Bolton Children's Choir
Choir Festival	Saturday 14 th March 2026	All day	Victoria Hall	Invited Choirs
Black Dyke/BYBB	Thursday 19 th March 2026	7:30pm	Victoria Hall	Bolton Youth Brass Band
Spring Showcase #1	Monday 23 rd March 2026	6:30pm	Victoria Hall	Bolton Youth Brass Band Bolton Junior Brass Band Youth Wind Band and Percussion Junior Wind Band Greater Northern Folk Bolton Children's Choir
Spring Showcase #2	Tuesday 24 th March 2026	6:30pm	Victoria Hall	Bolton Youth Orchestra Bolton Junior Youth Orchestra New Century Strings Symphonic Wind and Brass Bolton Youth Harmonies Junior String Training Strings
Spring Showcase #3 - Spring Rocks	TBC		TBC	Senior Rock Junior Rock Acoustic Guitars Rock of Ages
Spotlight Concert	Monday 30 th March	6pm	Mere Hall	Invited Soloists
Blackburn SIG2 Music Celebration	Thursday 11 th June 2026	School day	St. Silas Church, BwD	Blackburn SIG2 Schools
Schools' Music Festival	w/c 15 th June 2026	All day and evenings	Victoria Hall	School Choirs from Bolton and BwD
Summer Showcase #1 – Strings and Spotlight	Tuesday 7 th July	6:30pm	Mere Hall	Junior Strings Training Strings String Soloists

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Summer Showcase #2	Wednesday 8 th July 2026	6:30pm	Claremont Church	Bolton Youth Brass Band Bolton Junior Brass Band Brass Unlimited Guests
Summer Showcase #3	Thursday 9 th July 2026	6:30pm	Victoria Hall	Bolton Youth Orchestra Bolton Junior Youth Orchestra New Century Strings Symphonic Wind and Brass Bolton Youth Harmonies Youth Wind Band and Percussion Junior Wind Band Bolton Children's Choir GNFE
BMS Singers Summer Concert	Saturday 11 th July 2026	7pm (TBC)	Bolton Parish Church	BMS Singers
Spotlight	Monday 13 th July	6pm	Mere Hall	Invited Soloists
Summer Showcase #4 – Summer Rocks	Tuesday 14 th July	6:30pm	Mere Hall	Senior Rock Junior Rock Acoustic Guitars Rock of Ages
Mayor of Bolton's Christmas Concert	Friday 4 th December 2026	All day	Victoria Hall	