



## Job Posting

Musical Director of the Codiac Concert Band  
One-year term beginning in January 2016

### About Us

The Codiac Concert Band was founded in 2003 and is a Canadian registered charity (Charitable Registration No. 82318 3736 RR0001). Its membership consists of over 30 amateur and semi-professional musicians performing a variety of musical styles in concerts throughout the Metro Moncton area and beyond.

The group provides a forum for local musicians to express and develop their musical interests, while also promoting the educational, musical and cultural values of concert bands and concert band music. The purpose of the band is to advance the public's appreciation of the arts by providing high-quality public performances of concert band music and by providing free performances for audiences that may not be able to attend regular performances. Its members believe in the importance of future generations of local musicians and in giving back to the community.

### Description

The Music Director must be enthusiastic, knowledgeable in Concert Band repertoire and is expected to create a solid and friendly rapport with the musicians. He / She must work in collaboration with the Band Executive and Section Leaders. This is a volunteer position that is awarded an annual honorarium.

Qualifications: The preferred candidate would have:

- A minimum of a Bachelor's Degree in music or equivalent training and experience;
- Extensive knowledge of concert band music;
- Prior experience as a concert band conductor;
- The ability to encourage and motivate members to achieve their musical potential, both individually and collectively;
- The ability to organize and meet deadlines;
- Good interpersonal and communication skills;
- A willingness to work closely with Band Executive Committee and Band members;
- An active leadership role within the Band and function as an ambassador to the community;
- Availability for evening rehearsals, normally on Tuesdays, with flexibility for concerts and special events at other times;
- The ability to create a collegial rapport with band members, while keeping experienced players interested and giving guidance and confidence to less experienced players;
- A willingness to attend and participate in meetings of the Executive Committee as an ex officio member.

Musical Duties: The music director must:

- Conduct rehearsals and performances effectively;
- Select music from band library and select music for purchase based on the annual budget.
- Create concert themes and repertoire lists for concert programs;
- Create repertoire lists for each season;
- Work closely with the band librarian to ensure timely music distribution to members;
- Convey concert repertoire to musicians well in advance of concerts;

Application submission:

Interested applicants are invited to submit a cover letter and resume, no later than January 24, 2016 by e-mail to:  
[sharondaigle2@rogers.com](mailto:sharondaigle2@rogers.com)

Selection process:

- Selected applicants will be invited to attend an interview with members of the Search Committee.
- Final applicants will be invited to conduct an audition rehearsal with members of the Codiac Concert Band.