

About Sue

Since I was a child, I have always enjoyed belonging to choirs, but when I had throat cancer six years ago one of my vocal cords was paralysed during surgery so I can't sing very well any more.

I wanted to find a different way of making music, so I went along to the Dunchurch Training Band and began to learn to play the cornet.

Two years ago, when life resumed after Covid, I was welcomed into the Main Band as a Third Cornet player. (I sit next to players who are more than sixty years younger than me!)

I am living proof that it's possible to learn to do something new in your mid-seventies and, thanks to the encouragement of the friendly Band members, I hope to carry on playing in the back row for at least a few more years, trying to play the right notes in the right order!

It is great to see the enthusiasm Sue M brings to the band room & her dedication to learning has shown what can be done by anyone who wants to give it a go.