

Position vacant:

Musical Director -Tea Tree Gully Redbacks

About us: The Tea Tree Gully Redbacks are an outstanding community band, well known for their energetic and unique performances. They are a versatile band, having the ability to perform as a marching band, concert band, stage band and smaller ensembles. They have performed not only locally in Adelaide and South Australia, but also interstate and overseas.

> The band has a focus on musical excellence in a supportive environment, welcoming players of all ages from diverse backgrounds. The playing group takes pride in the high standards they set themselves, the way they present themselves on the street when marching and their ability to memorize street repertoire which enables them to focus on engaging with the audience through choreographed moves.

> The position of Musical Director has become vacant for the first time since the band was founded in 1995 and an exciting opportunity exists for an experienced musical leader to become The Redbacks next Musical Director, commencing in January 2024. If you believe you have the vision, ambition and commitment required to ensure that the band continues to thrive, then please send an expression of interest including a brief resume and 2 referees to the email listed below.

The Successful Applicant will:

- Lead weekly rehearsals (currently held on a Monday night).
- Select appropriate repertoire for a range of performances.
- Conduct the band for performances.
- Work with the members of the Redbacks and the committee.
- Use innovation to help create engaging performances.

Essential Skills and Experience:

- Experience in the role of conductor.
- Proven leadership skills.
- Knowledge of concert/marching/stage band repertoire.
- Vision/ambition for the Redbacks.
- Good interpersonal skills with the ability to bring out the personal best in each player.
- Pursuit of musical excellence.

Desirable Skills and Experience:

- Marching experience.
- The desire to make a long term commitment to the Redbacks.

An honorarium set by the BPCB committee will be offered to the Musical Director to offset out of pocket expenses. The honorarium is paid on a term by term basis.

Applications Close: Monday 4th Dec 2023

For further information please contact Dave Williams

Phone: 0439 481 649

Email: president@ttgbands.org.au