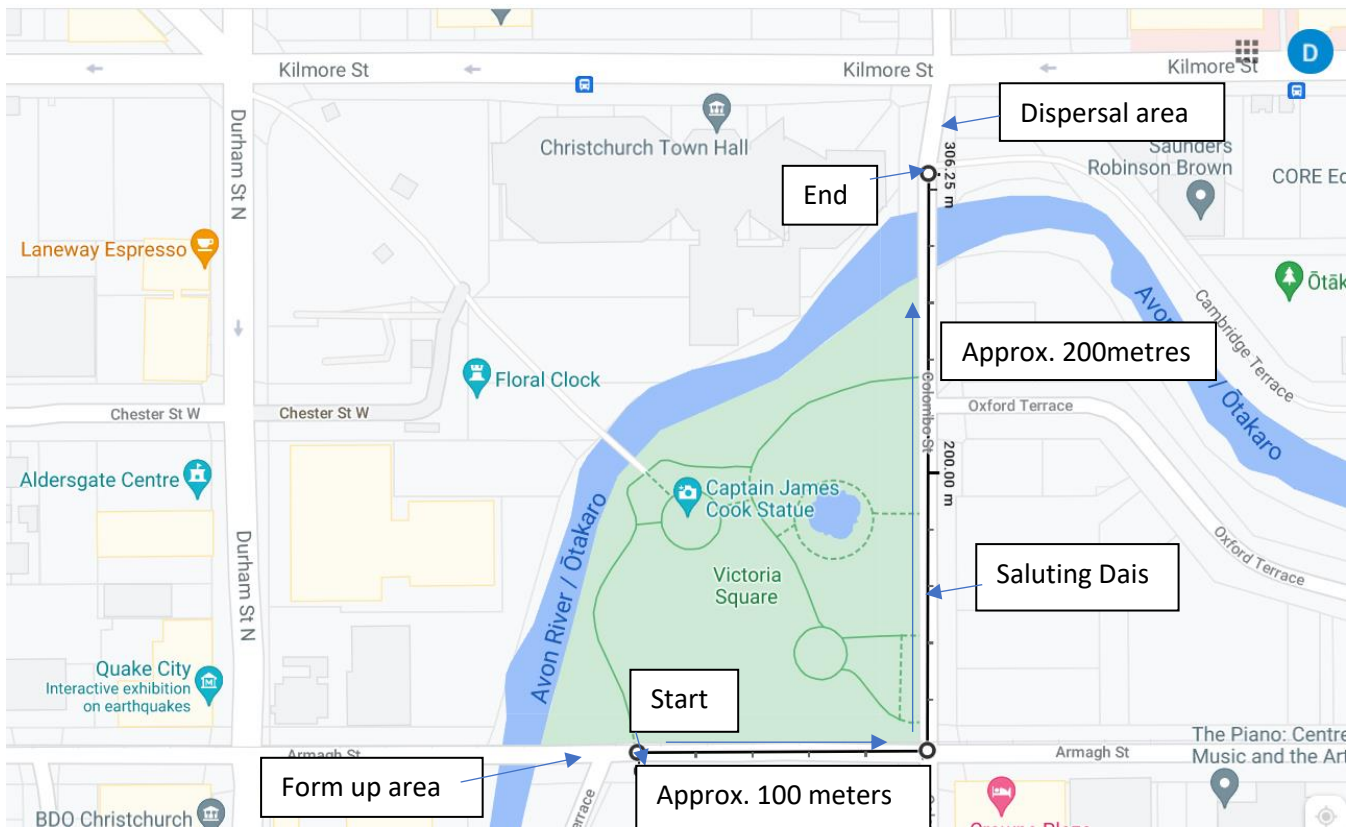


PARADE OF BANDS - CHRISTCHURCH 2021



Information for the Parade of Bands, Festival of Brass, Christchurch 2021.

Start time: 1:00 pm Friday 16 July. **End time:** approx. 2:10 pm.

The map above has the location and the route for the Parade of Bands.

- The Parade of Bands begins on Armagh Street, heading East.
- After stepping off, continue straight for 100m then perform a change of direction left evolution into Colombo Street.
- Continue along Colombo Street for approx. 200m.
- Once over the Avon River Bridge and once past the endpoint, halt and dismiss.
- The saluting dais will be on the right side of Colombo Street.

The route is not very wide (5.5 m) in places. Bands will need to march no wider than five across.

Order of March:

- C Grade (8 bands)
- D and Youth Grades (5 bands)
- A Grade (10 bands)
- B Grade (8 bands)

The B Grade Sacred Item and Test event will take place before the Parade of Bands in the Town Hall starting at 08.30am the last band is due to end at 12.40pm. The last two bands in the B Grade will be able to use the band warm-up area in the Town Hall to prepare for the Parade of Bands. It is a short walk from the Town Hall to the start of the Parade of Bands. The first B Grade band will step off at 1.50pm.

Bus drop off and pick up will be in Kilmore Street and/or Cambridge Terrace, more details regarding this will be advised closer to the contest.

The Logistics/Drum Majors meeting will be held in the Avon Room at the Town Hall at 5:00pm on Thursday 15 July 2021. A representative from every band is required to attend.

Chief Marching Judge: Denis Spurdle
Drill Judges: David Leslie, Julie Garing and Allan McDonnell
Inspection Judge: Ben Robertson
Chief Marshals: Stephen Leader and Wayne Shears
Music Judges: Karen St Guillaume and Dave Fiu