



# Essendon Symphony Orchestra

## Information & Application Form

Thank you for your interest in joining the ESO. We are a community group and all members are volunteers.

President: Rebecca Heitbaum [bec@southeriver.com.au](mailto:bec@southeriver.com.au)

Musical Director: Jenny Going [going2@bigpond.net.au](mailto:going2@bigpond.net.au)

### Rehearsals

ESO rehearses Tuesdays 7.15pm to 9.45pm, at the Salvation Army Church on the corner of Buckley Street and Mt Alexander Road in Essendon. Please enter by the back door off Buckley St. We are in recess from mid-December to the end of January. Members provide their own instrument and music stand.

### Attendance

We expect that members will perform in all/most of our concerts and that they will attend a high percentage of rehearsals, especially the weeks immediately before a concert. Demand for some positions is quite high (e.g. flutes) so regular participation is an important part of ensuring ongoing membership.

### Membership Fees - Treasurer: Simon Cleary

Members pay an annual fee of \$220, or \$65 if you pay per term. In cases of hardship, of families, fees can be negotiated with the Treasurer. This fee helps us cover the costs of running ESO such as venue hire, providing music etc.

### Application for Membership

Applications will be considered by the Musical Director. If your application is not successful, you may be placed on a waiting list. Invitations to join will be based on positions opening in the ensemble and performance standard.

Name
Instrument
Email
Preferred Phone Number
Postal Address
Reasons for wanting to join ESO
Musical Experience

Please complete this form and send it to our Secretary, Nick Boulter at [nickboulter55@gmail.com](mailto:nickboulter55@gmail.com).

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