

Individual Funding Membership



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The support provided by our Individual Funding Members is invaluable to Glyndebourne's Festival productions. It not only enables us to maintain the strong artistic traditions built during the past 70 years, it allows us to plan for the future.

Individual Funding Membership is currently available for a five or ten year period. There are a limited number of Individual Funding Memberships available to preserve the unique character of the Festival.

Five Year Membership

The cost of membership is £1,500 (1st year only), plus a charitable donation of £2,700 per year for the next five years, for a total of £15,000. UK higher rate taxpayers can reduce the cost of the gift by claiming tax relief, making it only £2,077 per year.

Ten Year Membership

The cost of membership is £1500 (1st year only) plus a donation of £5,200 each year for the next five years, for a total of £27,500. UK higher rate taxpayers can reduce the cost of the gift by claiming tax relief, making it only £4,000 per year.

All Individual Funding members receive the following benefits:

- Priority booking for up to 24 tickets for the Festival (a maximum of 4 tickets per production)
- Advance information on Glyndebourne Festival and Tour, dining and the Glyndebourne shop concerts and special events
- Complimentary Programme Book (value £15)
- Acknowledgement in the Glyndebourne Festival programme
- Occasional special offers and discounts
- Dedicated membership office to assist
- Knowledge that your support enables world-class productions at Glyndebourne

How to join

If you would like to take up Individual Funding Membership please complete and return the enclosed application form. If you have any queries regarding membership please do not hesitate to contact Rachel Henderson, Membership Manager on 01273 815 401, or by email at rachel.henderson@glyndebourne.com



Individual Funding Membership Payment Information

I. How to contribute to Funding Membership

The cost of Individual Funding Membership is £1,500, plus an additional charitable donation of £26,000 to secure a ten-year membership and a donation of £13,500 to secure a five-year membership.

The membership fee of £1,500 is due in the first year of membership. The charitable donation may be paid in the first year of membership or spread over the first five years of membership.

	Total Membership Cost	Membership Fee	Charitable Donation (net of tax)
5 year membership	£15,000	£1,500	£13,500
10 year membership	£27,500	£1,500	£26,000

2. Gift Aid

Eligible donors are kindly required to complete a Gift Aid declaration which will allow Glyndebourne to reclaim a further sum each year from the Inland Revenue, thereby enhancing the value of the donation substantially. A Gift Aid declaration enables Glyndebourne to reclaim the basic rate of tax (currently 20%) on the charitable donation. In addition to the 25p per £1 that Glyndebourne claims from HMRC, the Government will add an extra 3p so that Glyndebourne receives 28p for each £1 donated under Gift Aid. For example, a charitable donation of £13,500 subject to Gift Aid would be worth £17,307.69 to Glyndebourne.

Donors qualifying for Gift Aid are UK tax payers that pay an amount of UK income tax or capital gains tax equal to any tax reclaimed.

A Gift Aid declaration can be cancelled at any time by notifying us – it will not then apply to donations made to Glyndebourne on or after the date of cancellation or such later date as you specify. If in future your circumstances change and you no longer pay tax on your income and capital gains tax equal to the tax we reclaim, you should notify us and the declaration will be cancelled.

Please note that donations from companies are not eligible for Gift Aid. Gifts made with Charities Aid Foundation (CAF) vouchers have already had Gift Aid claimed on them by CAF and passed to the charity, so further Gift Aid cannot be claimed.

3. Tax Relief

Higher-rate UK taxpayers can claim tax relief on their gifts. This can substantially reduce the cost of the charitable donation. You may wish to seek independent financial advice on any potential tax savings that you may be eligible for. The Inland Revenue can provide further information. (www.inlandrevenue.gov.uk).

4. The Payment Schedule

The membership may be paid in full on application or spread over five years. For those members wishing to spread their charitable donation over five years, the schedule of payments will be as follows:

5-YEAR MEMBERSHIP

	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5
Charitable Donation	£2,700	£2,700	£2,700	£2,700	£2,700
Membership Fee	£1,500				
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	£4,200	£2,700	£2,700	£2,700	£2,700

10-YEAR MEMBERSHIP

	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5
Charitable Donation	£5,200	£5,200	£5,200	£5,200	£5,200
Membership Fee	£1,500				
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	£6,700	£5,200	£5,200	£5,200	£5,200

Please note that annual payments may be spread monthly if required



GLYNDEBOURNE

Application for Individual Funding Membership

I / we would like to become an Individual Funding Member of the Glyndebourne Festival Society

from 1 November _____ (enter year) for 5 years / 10 years* (*delete as appropriate)

Name _____

Full address _____

Telephone (Day) _____ (Evening) _____

Email _____

I would like my donation to be recognised in the Glyndebourne Festival Programme Book as:

If you would prefer your donation to remain anonymous please indicate above.

Payment Information

I would like to become an Individual Funding Member for:

- 5 years (£15,000) 10 years (£27,500) (please tick)

I enclose a cheque made out to 'Glyndebourne' for
(please select one of the following options)

- the full membership cost of **£15,000** (five year) or **£27,500** (ten year)
 £4,200 (five year) or **£6,700** (ten year).

This sum is the membership fee of £1,500, plus the first instalment of the charitable donation (£2,700 for a five year membership or £5,200 for a ten year membership). Please invoice me annually for the four remaining instalments of the charitable donation.

- Please contact me about other payment options for spreading the charitable donation over 5 years.

Signature _____ Date _____

Gift Aid Declaration

Make your donation worth even more to Glyndebourne – at no cost to you. If you are a UK tax payer, every £1 you donate could be worth £1.28 to Glyndebourne. All we need is your signature. In addition UK tax payers can claim tax relief on the gift.

I want all donations I have made to Glyndebourne Arts Trust (Charity no. 208743) for this tax year and the six years prior to the year of this declaration, and all donations I make from the date of this declaration until I notify you otherwise, to be treated as Gift Aid donations.

Name

Signature

Date

To be eligible to Gift Aid what you pay in UK income tax and/or capital gains tax must at least equal the tax that we claim on your donations in the tax year (28p for each £1 you give until 5 April 2008 and 25p for each £1 you give thereafter). In addition to the 25p Glyndebourne claims from HMRC the Government will add an extra 3p so that Glyndebourne will receive 28p for each £1 donated under Gift Aid.

NOTES

1. You can cancel this Declaration at any time by notifying the charity
2. If in the future your circumstances change and you no longer pay tax on your income and capital gains equal to the tax that the charity reclaims, you can cancel your declaration (see note 1)
3. If you pay tax at the higher rate you can claim further tax relief in your Self Assessment tax return.
4. If you are unsure whether your donations qualify for Gift Aid tax relief, ask the charity, or refer to Giving to Charity for Individuals help sheet on the HMRC website - www.hmrc.gov.uk/charities
5. Please notify the charity if you change your name or address.

If you currently Gift Aid and your circumstances have changed or you wish to cancel your declaration please contact us.

HOW WE USE YOUR DATA

Glyndebourne Productions Limited/Glyndebourne Arts Trust (Glyndebourne) collects and processes personal information for the purposes of membership, fundraising, ticketing, customer analysis and direct marketing of Glyndebourne's productions. We may share your information with carefully chosen third parties to undertake these business activities. Your personal information will only be used in connection with these business activities and will not be used for any other purpose without your permission. We will not disclose your credit card details to any third party.

OFFICE USE ONLY: Ref:

Date Received: