

Leigh Folk Festival Friends Scheme

Become a Friend of the Leigh Folk Festival and help secure the future of one of the biggest FREE folk festivals in the UK. The Festival is run annually by a team of local volunteers and relies upon donations in order to keep the festival free for visitors. The Friends Scheme enables you to support your local festival and keep in touch with exciting developments throughout the year.

There are two levels of support:

Gold Supporter (£25 per year)

You will receive:

1. A free copy of the next Leigh Folk Festival programme
2. A free copy of the Leigh Folk Festival CD
3. Buy one get one half price on all festival related events throughout the year with priority notification and booking for Festival Friends
4. A discount of 20% on any other festival merchandise (i.e. t-shirts)
5. Regular newsletters and updates on the Festival's achievements and its plans

Silver Supporter (£10 per year)

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As a charity we can ask Friends Scheme members to Gift Aid their donation. Basic rate tax is 20 per cent, so this means that £10 given using Gift Aid is worth £12.50 to the Festival as a charity.

Our Pledge to You

By supporting the Leigh Folk Festival, you affirm your commitment to the Festival and its work. In return for that commitment, we make a pledge to you. We promise:

- To use your donation wisely to foster the Festival's continuing success
- To ensure that you receive advance notice of all special events relating to the festival throughout the year
- To send you newsletters and regular updates on the Festival's achievements and its plans
- To take on board your feedback when organising the Festival

With your help, we can ensure that the festival has a bright future ahead!

Registration Form

Title.....First Name.....Surname.....

Address

Tel. No.....Email

I wish to become a Friend of the Leigh Folk Festival *(please tick as appropriate)*

Gold Supporter (£25)

Silver Supporter (£10)

Other donation *(please state amount)*.....

Payment Method *(please tick as appropriate)*

Standing order PayPal

Cheque Cash

(made payable to the Leigh Folk Festival Association)

I want the Charity to treat all donations I make from the date of this Declaration, until I notify you otherwise, as Gift Aid donations.

Signed.....Date.....

Name *in Block Capitals*.....

Standing order

To: The Manager,Bank

Address.....

Please pay to the order of the Leigh Folk Festival Association, the amount of

£.....*(amount in words.....stg)* to NatWest Bank, Sort Code 55.50.28 account number 60736933 immediately and thereafter on the 1st July annually until further notice, and debit my account with you.

Signed.....Account Number.....

Gift Aid Declaration Leigh Folk Festival Association Registered Charity Number 1120698

Notes to the Donor:

1. You must pay an amount of income and/or capital gains tax at least equal to the tax that the charity reclaims on your donation in the tax year.
2. You can cancel this declaration at any time by notifying the charity in writing
3. If in the future your circumstances change and you no longer pay tax equal to the tax reclaim you must cancel your declaration
4. If you pay tax at the higher rate, you can claim further tax relief in your Self Assessment return
5. If you are unsure whether your donations qualify for Gift Aid relief, ask your local tax office for leaflet IR65
6. Please notify the charity of any change of address

Please send your completed form to:

Kate Denny, 79 Wenham Drive, Westcliff on Sea, Essex, SS0 9BJ.