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BAND BOOKING

How To Book Brass Monkeys

Brass Monkeys are a nine piece Soul, Funk, R&B and motown band, the core of which was formed in the late 1990s. We are all very experienced performers and have played at countless weddings, corporate events, festivals and celebrations. We look forward to playing at your venue!

Band Pricing and Outline:

- Fee based on two sets (1 x 50 minutes and 1 x 60 minutes), setting-up time maximum of two hours before first set is to commence. Further charges apply if set-up is longer than two hours before the 1st set or overruns the agreed finish time. Set-up, including sound check, typically takes 45 minutes to 1 hour but may take longer depending on access to the venue (i.e. lights of stairs, availability of parking etc).
- Break of up to 1 hour between sets. If a longer break is required then there will be an additional fee. A single set of 1 hour and 40 minutes can be performed if required.
- The band's P.A. system and lighting can be used before, in between and after the two sets (subject to prior agreement) for an additional fee. We can also arrange a playlist of music if required.

Band Fees:

- The band fee starts at £1,000.00, plus the mileage incurred (based at 20p per mile) per driving member of the band.

Requirements:

1. Nominated Person

We require the name of the person who we should ask for when we arrive at the venue. Please ensure that the nominated person has the following information:

- Where we park before and after unloading
- Where we set-up and where we store our lightcases etc.
- Where the power points are (see later)
- The presence of a 'decibel meter' connected to the power supply. This device is designed to cut the electrical power should the performer exceed a pre-determined volume (i.e. be too loud). The sudden interruption of the power will mostly like cause extensive and expensive damage to the band's equipment. The venue will know if one of these devices is present.



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- What time we are to perform
- Where our changing room and waiting area are
- Our fee!

2. Unloading

We appreciate that sometimes lifts and stairs cannot be avoided, but it would be helpful if a reserved unloading area was close to the venue. This area is for unloading only, we are happy to park in the car park afterwards.

3. Space

The minimum space we require is 24ft x 15ft (we are a nine piece band after all). Please be aware of this, especially if you have booked a disco.

4. Power

We require two separate 13 amp power supplies or individual spurs not individual wall sockets. This is often over-looked (especially when performing in marquees) as the electrical requirements are routinely underestimated. If you are having a generator the requirements are a 32amp supply with 13amp sockets for the sole use of the band.

5. Changing Facilities / Waiting Area

Changing facilities and an area reserved for the band whilst waiting to perform will be required.

6. Refreshments

Changing facilities and an area reserved for the band whilst waiting to perform will be required.