Richmond Community Concert Band COVID-19 Vaccination Policy

The COVID-19 pandemic continues to pose a significant risk both to individuals and to BC's health-care system. Because research shows that playing wind and other instruments in close proximity to one another can help spread the virus, the Richmond Community Concert Band's Board of Directors is implementing the following vaccination policy.

We keenly feel our responsibility to help keep our Band and audience members, our families, and our other contacts as safe as possible. *We therefore require that by everyone receive two doses of COVID-19 vaccine at least two weeks before attending a Richmond Community Concert Band rehearsal, concert, or other face-to-face event.* This will provide our members with the comfort of knowing they can join us for an enjoyable activity in relative safety.

As per Provincial Health Regulations, the vaccine requirement will be phased in such that only one dose will be required upon start of rehearsals on Sept. 13, 2021, but two doses will be required by October 24.

If you don't return your completed form to us, we will ask you to temporarily suspend your participation in our faceto-face events.

Confirmation of Vaccination

I	confirm	that:

I have received two doses of approved COVID-19 vaccine, on the following dates:

First dose: ______ Second dose: ______

COVID-19 Protocols

I agree to:

Practice physical distancing

Wear a mask at all times when indoors, except when seated and ready to play

Sanitize my hands upon entry and exit

Use absorbent materials ("spit rags") trap all condensation coming from my instrument

Sign in weekly for the purpose of contact tracing, updating my contact information as needed

Limitation of Liability

I agree to:

Recognize that, to the best of their ability, the Richmond Community Concert Band, the Brighouse United Church Hall, and our assorted concert venue follow BC Provincial Health Authority guidelines pertaining to COVID19, and therefore release these organizations and their officers, directors, employees, and contractors from all claims, damages, and liability. I agree to use their facilities at my own risk.

Name of Band Member (please print): _____

Signature of Band Member, or of parent or guardian of Band Member is under 19 years of age: