

Concert #2 by Bored of Education on Sunday, 03 July 2022

This group is the brain child of Rich Fletcher formerly a teacher at GBSS who, as well as his normal teaching duties, taught guitar and performed at assemblies and social evenings at the school and included vocals in his repertoire. The first appearance at a Friends' concert in 2009 was a duo of Rich and Jack Watson (who was a shop teacher at GBSS) with Rich and Jack both doing vocals Rich on guitar and Jack chording on keyboards. The next year the duo added a student drummer and a bass player ... a teacher at a different school. So, by year 4 (2013) they filled out and worked as a combo of 5, having added an accomplished pianist on keyboards. All musicians are from local talent and the theme is based on the original duo and their selection of Rock-n-roll era hits. Since 2009, they have performed yearly for the Friend's summer concerts gaining in popularity each year drawing an ever larger devoted following. The highlight of the evening is the vocal stylings of Jack doing some of the hits of Louis "Sachmo" Armstrong ... albeit without the trumpet.