

The 'La Motte Charitable Trust'

Among the objects of this small charity are: 'to support or promote the advancement or education, including artistic education, of whatever age, by the provision of bursaries or scholarships'.

Over the years it has supported a number of young Devon musicians by making it possible for some in less favourable circumstances to attend county orchestras, bands and ensembles. It has also helped with grants to purchase upgraded instruments and to enable youngsters to attend dance, theatre, choral and other types of holiday courses.

Since the reorganisation of the Devon music service, the number of requests for help has fallen. The Trustees hope to make their activities more widely known. They look to those in teaching – particularly in music teaching – to bring to their notice deserving cases which might benefit from help.

Applications, including information on family background, should be made to:

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