

The Procession

Discover who's who in the Lord Mayor's Show with this complete running order of participants in today's parade. Don't forget to cheer them on



1. HAC

The Honourable Artillery Company (HAC), formed 475 years ago in 1537 by King Henry VIII, is the oldest regiment in the British Army. Members of the Company have fought with distinction in both World Wars and, more recently, in Iraq and Afghanistan. The HAC is part of the Territorial Army and draws its members from the young professionals working in the City and London as a whole.



2. Assistant Commissioner, City of London Police, and Deputy Commander, London District

Ian Dyson Esq and Brigadier Richard Smith OBE



3. Worshipful Company of Musicians

The Worshipful Company of Musicians encourages, supports and promotes musical performance and education of the highest professional standards. The only City of London Livery Company devoted to the performing arts, its charitable activities include the award of scholarships, prizes, performance platforms and medals, recognising excellence and achievement. Each year, the Company's outreach project is taken to thousands of children in schools.



4. SEB – Skandinaviska Enskilda Banken – and Blackfriars Settlement

In SEB, we are especially pleased that the longstanding Head of our London Branch has been elected Lord Mayor! SEB was founded in Sweden in the service of enterprise more than 150 years ago. As the Nordic relationship bank, SEB in the UK offers wholesale and private banking services. Sweden is also home to one of the world's favourite music groups, Abba Gold, whose music is here played by Abba Gold. SEB UK supports Blackfriars Settlement, a charity which provides services to the community, working with people to create opportunities for them to achieve their aspirations.



5. The Kingdom of Sweden

The Anglo-Swedish Society, the Embassy of Sweden, the Swedish Chamber of Commerce for the United Kingdom, the Swedish Church in London, the Swedish Trade Council and VisitSweden proudly present Arctic Sweden – home of the aurora borealis and a year-round sustainable tourist destination. The centrepiece of the float is a one-tonne block of natural Arctic ice brought to London courtesy of the Ice Hotel.



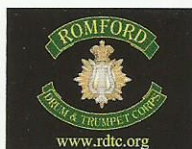
6. Mizuho Corporate Bank

Mizuho Corporate Bank is the corporate banking arm of Mizuho Financial Group, one of the largest financial organisations in the world. Mizuho believes it is important to contribute to the society in which it operates and, as part of its ongoing commitment to the community and the City of London, it is proud to support the Lord Mayor's Show and a drum group, Mugenkyo Taiko. Enjoy the day! www.mizuhocbk.com



7. Society of Young Freemen/ Gog and Magog/100 Regiment RA (V)

The Society of Young Freemen, assisted by soldiers of the 100th (Yeomanry) Regiment Royal Artillery, proudly escort the imposing figures of Gog and Magog, the traditional guardians of the City, a feature of the Lord Mayor's Show for centuries. Today's versions are the work of the Worshipful Company of Basketmakers, and took in excess of a thousand man-hours to create.



8. Romford Drum & Trumpet Corps

The band has performed in the Lord Mayor's Show more than 30 times now. Since last year's appearance, it has been awarded 'Best Overall Band' at the world-famous St Patrick's Day Parade in Dublin, and has performed at the Olympic Torch Relay in Romford and on the opening day of the Olympic Games in the Olympic Festival Park.