The English Quarter

The English Quarter were formed in 2010 and we have been playing together regularly ever since. We pride ourselves on a vibrant stage-show and delivering a good-time party set, which blends all the well-known covers with some interesting and undiscovered gems.

The band's reputation has been built on playing the right songs in the right way that means meeting your expectations and ensuring your guests enjoyment. Getting this balance right is crucial to the success of your party. We are well versed in the art of "Party Building" both on and off the stage. So rest assured you are in good hands.

Preparing for your party

Firstly, we will ask you to tell us what kind of party or function it is you are arranging, and what you want and what you don't want to make your party a success. We will use this information to build an appropriate playlist for you.

We won't ask you to make any commitment until we are both in agreement.

What we do ...

We will usually contact you in the week leading up to your party to check that your plans remain on course.

On the day

- We will arrive approximately 1¹/₂ hrs. before we are due to start.
- We will play 2 x 45 minute sessions, at times stated by you
- We will finish and pack away our equipment and exit before midnight

The above points are flexible can be changed by prior agreement

We will supply the

- Our PA system and Amplification
- · Our Overhead lights and foot-lights
- Our transport to and from the venue.

We will need from you

- A dry and safe place to play with adequate (240v 13A) earth protected mains supply
- A stable and level playing floor area or stage (approx. 2m deep and 4m wide)
- Clear identification of any Fire Doors or Fire Exit routes before we set the stage
- Ample access to the Stage Area and close parking to un-load and re-load
- Warning of any plan to have the band in an 'upstairs' or distant location, (ie no lift)
- Soft drinks are much appreciated during the break (depending on the circumstances)

Frequently asked questions

If you have any special requests and we know the songs already, we will play them for you.

If any of your guests would like to sing with the band for a bit of fun, they are more than welcome to join us for a chorus or two!

If you would like to play your own music through our sound system before we start then this can be arranged. You would need to supply the equipment and interface lead (with 2 RCA Connectors)

If you would like to hire the PA for speeches and/or your own music after the band has finished, then please let us know, we will try and help.

The English Quarter can be expanded to include Piano, Keyboard, Sax and Trumpet as well as Backing Vocalists should you event require a 'Commitments' style band.

Any other requests? Simply, we want you to have a party to remember Just ask!

