

## DANCE DIARY

REMEMBER TO SEND DETAILS OF YOUR EVENTS TO:

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*Non CFA events in italics.* Where food is not provided, bring a plate of food to share.

- 23 Apr St Georges Day Dance & Workshops 01486 486845  
Amersham Community Centre, HP6 5AH or 01344 646391  
**Workshops** (please book)  
2.30-4.00pm, Dutch Crossing with Val McFarlane  
4.30-6.00pm, Longsword with John Symmonds, or Singing Rounds  
**Dance** 7.00-10.30pm Mark Elvins with Mollie and Ali
- 21 May *Carol & Malcolm's Wedding Dance (1), 2.30-6pm Book on 01628 524086*  
*Pinder Hall, Lower Road, Cookham Rise, SL6 9EH or 07785 760027*  
*Judith & Alan with Toucan Play*
- 28 May *Barn Dance, 8.00-11.15pm 01494 534691*  
*Sands Village Hall, Lane End Road, Sands, HP12 4JF or 07786 485501*  
*Terry Phipps with Quarry Turners*
- 22 Jun AGM and Summer Dance, 7.30-10.00pm 01628 486845  
Barn Hall, Amersham Community Centre, HP6 5AH
- 26 Jun *Carol & Malcolm's Wedding Dance (2), 2.00-5.30pm 01628 524086*  
*Steventon Village Hall, The Green, Steventon, OX13 6RR 07785 760027*  
*Robert Moir with 2D*
- 3 Sep Playford Ball, 7.00-10.30pm 01628 486845  
Drake Hall, Amersham Community Centre, HP6 5AH  
Carol Hewson with Forest Band
- 23-26 Sep Harvest at Halsway (Dancers weekend) 01628 486845  
Guest Caller Bob Lilley with music from Liza & Grahame O'Connor

## HADDENHAM CEILIDHS

Ceilidhs from 8pm (Band/Caller)	Concerts at 8.30pm
2 Apr Polkaworks/Nina Hansell	Andy Cutting
7 May Albireo/Lisa Heywood	Jeff Warner
4 Jun The NYFTE Musicians/ Dave Leverton & Gareth Kiddier	Jackie Oates with Tristan Saume

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## Festivals this Summer

Eastbourne	Apr 29-May 2	Broadstairs	Aug 5-12
Chippenham	May 27-30	Whitby	Aug 20-26
Lichfield	Jun 17-19	Towersey	Aug 26-29
Sidmouth	Jul 29- Aug 5		

## Chiltern Folk Association

[www.chilternfolk.org.uk](http://www.chilternfolk.org.uk)

## Newsletter

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The **AGM** will be held in the Barn Hall, Amersham Community Centre at 7.30 pm on Wednesday 22nd June 2016.

This will be followed by a '**Come All Ye' Midsummer Dance** which should start at about 8.00pm. Come with a song to sing, a story to tell, a tune to play, or a dance to call. (Hopefully, Oakenleaves band will be able to play for you.)

### Agenda

1. Apologies for absence
2. Minutes of 2015 AGM  
2.1 Matters arising
3. Chairman's Report
4. Treasurer's Report
5. Election of Officers
6. Any other business

## ST GEORGE'S DAY CELEBRATIONS

23rd April, Amersham Community Centre

### Afternoon Workshops 2.00-6.00pm

2.30-4pm	Dutch Crossing	Val McFarlane
4pm	Tea & Biscuits	
4.30-6pm	Longsword	John Symmonds
	Singing Rounds	Madeleine Smith & Judith Inman

### Evening Dance 7.00-10.30pm

Mark Elvins with Mollie Koenigsberger & Ali Ellacott

WORKSHOPS MUST BE BOOKED with Judith Inman or Ann Symmonds

### PLAYFORD BALL

3rd September 7.00-10.30pm, Amersham Community Centre

Carol Hewson and Forest Band.

Costume Please or Dress to Impress!

*When available, the programme will be sent to all clubs and will be published at [www.chilternfolk.org.uk](http://www.chilternfolk.org.uk)*

*If you would like your own copy, please request it via email to Judith.*



Is your club information up-to-date? If not, let us know!  
Club websites and more information at [www.chilternfolk.org.uk](http://www.chilternfolk.org.uk).

## MUSIC, SONG AND STORY

**Herga Folk Club** 07747 768 868

Mondays, 8pm

Pinner Green Social Club, HA5 3TJ

**Maidenhead Folk Club** 01628 624460

Thursdays, 8.15pm

New Inn, Farm Road, Mhead, SL6 5HX

**Marlow Bottom Acoustic Club**

Wednesdays, 8.15pm 01628 483458

See [www.marlowbottomacousticclub.blogspot.com](http://www.marlowbottomacousticclub.blogspot.com) for locations

**Chesham Folk Club** 01494 785593

Mondays, 8.15pm.

White Hill Centre, Chesham, HP5 1AG.

**Uxbridge Folk Club** 01895 464154

Thursdays, 8pm onwards

Royal Naval Association Club

388a Long Lane, Hillingdon, UB10 9PG

**Twyford Folk Music Workshop**

0118 934 0300

1st Wednesdays, 8pm

Phone for details and programme

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## Maidenhead Folk Club

3 Mar Bearwood

17 Mar Nick Dow

14 Apr David & Alison Fenner/Simon Diegan

28 Apr Ian Bruce

12 May Ewan McLennan

9 Jun Moira Craig & Malcom Austen

16 Jun Lynne Heraud & Pat Turner

30 Jun Scold's Bridle

14 Jul Pete Joshua

28 Jul Scarecrow

## COUNTRY DANCE (SOCIAL)

**Amersham FDC** 01494 727512

Tuesdays, 8pm.

The Barn Hall, Chiltern Ave,  
HP6 5AH

**Chesham FDC** 01494 785191

Fridays, 8.15-10.15pm.

Guide Hut, Lowndes Park,  
HP5 1HX

**Chinnor FDC** 01844 352468

Thursdays, 8.00pm

Church hall (behind village centre),  
Chinnor, OX39 4DH

**Datchet FDC** 01344 646391

Fridays, 8.00pm.

1st Weds (experienced dancers)  
WI Hall, SL3 9EH

**Maidenhead FDC** 01628 485657

1st 3rd 5th Fridays, 8 for 8.15pm.

Furze Platt Memorial Hall,  
SL6 7NG

**Marlow FDC** 01494 531716

2nd & 4th Fridays, 8.00pm.

Liston Hall, SL7 1DD

**Oakenleaves (Ruislip)**

Thursday, 8.15pm, 020 8422 4096

Methodist Church, HA4 7BZ

**Oakenleaves II**

2nd Sundays, 3pm, 01895 232196

Guide Hut, Bury St

**Towersey** 01494 481459

Mondays, 7.30-9.00pm.

Towersey Village Hall, OX9 3QG

**Watford FDC** 01923 233371

Mondays, 8.00-10.00pm,

Christ Church Hall, Watford,  
WD24 5BD

## Carol and Malcolm's Chiltern Wedding Dance

is on Saturday 21st May 2016 from 2.30 to 6.00 p.m.

It is at Pinder Hall, Lower Road, Cookham, SL6 9EH, with Judith Inman and Alan Archer calling some favourite dances to celebrate the occasion, and Toucan Play (Chris and Patsy Smith) providing fabulous music.

We would love to welcome any of our dancing friends who can make it, but **do please let us know in advance if you are coming** so we know numbers and don't infringe the hall rules. You can call us on 01628 542086 or 07785 760027.

Please bring a plate of food to share. NO PRESENTS ABSOLUTELY NOT!

You can park in Lower Road, the High Road and neighbouring roads, or at Cookham Surgery in Lower Road or at the school on High Road. DO NOT PARK in the car park by the parade of shops at the station as this is limited to one hour.

For those of you who loved the 1980's Rock the Moor is happening in the village on the same day, please arrange your own tickets for the evening part of that!

## St George's Dance

Ann and Judith have lists for you to sign up for the workshops. Either email, phone or sign when you see them. Hopefully we can end up with multiples of 16 for Dutch Crossing. It would be great to have 48 people, so 3 sets! The dance is not difficult, all basic moves. Luckily you have 'buddies' you work with all the time. The Longsword is not so specific in numbers and anyone can come and sing some Rounds if Dutch Crossing has exhausted you... We are hoping to display during the dance as Mark sees fit.

Tea and coffee will be available after the workshops finish so you can stay (or go to find a snack in town) and relax while the band sets up for the evenings dance!



10 Mar Winter Wilson  
24 Mar George Papavgeris  
14 Apr Dave Nachmanoff  
28 Apr Sunjay Brayne  
12 May Dan McKinnon  
26 May Sally Ironmonger  
30 Jun Granny's Attic



## CHESHAM FOLK CLUB

7 Mar Joe Topping  
21 Mar Kevin Dempsey & Rosie Carson  
11 Apr Vicki Swan & Jonny Dyer  
25 Apr The Devine Family  
9 May Dan McKinnon  
23 May Chris Wood  
6 Jun Steve Tilston  
27 Jun Flossie Malavialle  
4 Jul Steve Turner  
18 Jul Na Mara

Events in Oxfordshire can be found on the OxFolk website: [www.oxonfolk.co.uk](http://www.oxonfolk.co.uk)

Herga

14 Mar Hannah Cummings  
16 May Sally Ironmonger

11 Apr The Skeptics  
6 Jun Jeff Warner