

Folk Association of South Hants

SOLENT WAVES



South Hants Newsletter

No.182

OCTOBER 1995

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Chairman's Chat

I hope that everyone had a good summer, it seemed marvellous after those of recent years, except for the keen gardeners. Still, the weather's changed now, so they should be satisfied.

As you will have seen from the Events leaflet sent out last month, Alan Davies is again running a Not For the FaintHearted workshop for us in March. If anyone would like to see any particular dances included in this workshop, Alan will try to fit them in, but requests will have to be made fairly soon, as he is very busy over the winter, and will be planning the workshop well in advance. Any requests can be forwarded via Yvonne or myself.

Following the collection at the Barn-b-que for NYFTE, we were able to send them a cheque for £105. We have had a letter from their treasurer, thanking us, and pointing out that although they are allowed to use the title of National Folk Troupe of England, they receive no funding from any source, other than occasional donations. They have also received an invitation to attend a festival in Canada in 1996, and most members taking part in this will require some financial assistance. At the recent committee meeting, we decided that at each FASH event during the winter, we will have a collecting jar for donations to assist in this visit. Any loose change would be appreciated, and would help give some youngsters assistance in partaking in an exciting opportunity.

We have also received a letter from Steve Gough, of the EFDSS National Council, who has been tasked to co-ordinate a review of the Publishing aspect of the Society. To quote from his letter "I would like to hear your views on all EFDSS Publications, are we doing enough, should we be doing more of a specific thing, is there an area left untapped, etc, etc." If you would like to forward any views, please send them direct to Steve, at Cecil Sharp House, to reach him before 22nd October.

Our first event this season is the Irish Set Dance workshop, on 8th October, run by Val Knight, and I look forward to seeing you there. If you are uncertain about the dancing, there was a short piece, written by Val, in last month's Solent Waves.

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DIARY

OCTOBER

- 5 8.00pm Chichester FDG. Fishbourne Club, Blackboy Lane. John Hale.
01243-781937
- 7 7.00pm Haddenham Ceilidh. Hugh Rippon & Gas Mark V.01296-415333
- 8 10.30am FASH Workshop. Soberton Village Hall. Irish Set Dance.
Val & Simon Knight. £3.50 (£3 FASH/EFDSS) 01705-526844
- 9 7.30pm Eastleigh FDC. Railway Inst. Romsey Road. John Turner.
01703-252248
- 12 7.30pm Mainly Playford. St. Peters Church Hall, Bishops Waltham.
01489-895364/01705-484956
- 14 Chichester Playford. Assembly Rooms, North Street.
Dick Reed & Sussex Bonney Men.
3pm - Workshop. 7.30pm - Dance.
01243-781937/01403-741431
- 14 7.30pm M27 Megabop. Eastpoint Centre, Burgoyne Road, Southampton.
Stan Reeves & The Robert Fish Band. £6 adv. £7 door.
01703-454536
- 19 8.00pm Chichester FDG. Eric Talbot. 01243-781937
- 21 8.30pm Circle Wight Barn Dance. Northwood W.I. Hall, I o W.
Band tbd. £2. 01983-200218
- 21 8.00pm Winchester Guildhall Barn Dance. Nigel Close & Stubble.
01962-714220
- 23 7.30pm Eastleigh FDC. Scottish Dancing with Enid Chivers.
01703-252248
- 28 7.30pm Westhill FDC. Autumn Dance. Twynham Comprehensive School,
Sopers Lane, Christchurch. Colin Hume & Solent Folk.
£4. American Supper. 01202-527407

NOVEMBER

- 2 8.00pm Chichester FDG. John Portlock. 01243-781937
- 4 8.00pm Haddenham Ceilidh. Hugh Rippon & The Geckoes.01296-415333
- 9 7.30pm Mainly Playford. St. Peters Church Hall, Bishops Waltham.
01489-895364/01705-484956
- 10 7.30pm Barn Dance in aid of Hampshire Conservation Volunteers.
Jubilee Hall, Bishops Waltham. Ian Kirby & Turk Town
Troupers. £6 adv inc Supper. Bar. 01703-617654
- 11 7.30pm M27 Megabop. Eastpoint Centre, Burgoyne Road, Southampton.
Dave Roberts & Banjax. £6 adv £7 door. 01703-454536
- 12 10.30am FASH Workshop. Soberton Village Hall. Welsh Dances with
David Burke. £3.50 (£3 FASH/EFDSS) 01705-526844
- 13 7.30pm Eastleigh FDC. Barry McNamara. 01703-252248
- 16 8.00pm Chichester FDG. Pam Stallworthy. 01243-781937
- 18 8.00pm Winchester Guildhall Barn Dance. Nigel Close & Diggory
Venn. 01962-714220
- 18 8.30pm Circle Wight Barn Dance. Northwood W.I. Hall, I o W.
Band tbd. £2. 01983-200218
- 24 6.00pm 24 Hour Music & Dance Challenge for BBC Children in Need.
Haddenham Village Hall. 01844-290739
- 25 8.00pm FASH Playford Dance. Waltham Chase Village Hall. Alan
Davies & Solent Folk. £4. 01705-526844
- 25 7.45pm Winchester Folk Festival Celebration Dance. Braishfield
Village Hall. Graham Taylor, Jo Rihan, Pogles Wood &
Guests. Floor Spots. £3 single £5 pair. Bar.
01703-270292

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We cannot guarantee the accuracy of Diary entries, but hope there are few errors. Diary entries are free of charge but we will never refuse any donations. All information to The Editors, address on Back Page.

***	<u>dance clubs</u>	***	<u>DANCE CLUBS</u>	***	<u>dance clubs</u>	***
<u>Monday</u>	BEAUS OF THE PARK - Church of the Resurrection Hall, Penarth Avenue, Drayton. Pam Stallworthy. 01705-484956					
	EASTLEIGH - The Railway Institute, Romsey Road, Eastleigh. Joy Simmons. 01703-252248					
	MIZMAZE - Sparsholt Village Hall, Sparsholt, Winchester. John Biddlecombe. 01962-881503					
	WATERLOOVILLE - Community Centre, Swiss Road, Waterlooville. Eric Livett. 01243-377594					
	WESTHILL - St. Michael's Junior School, West Hill Road, Bournemouth. Peggy Samuel. 01202-527407					
<u>Tuesday</u>	SOLENT COUNTRY DC - Bedhampton Public Hall, Havant Road, Bedhampton. Dennis Goode. 01705-453605					
	JACK -IN-THE-BOX - (Under 16's Clog) Brookfield County Sec. School, Sarisbury. Lisa Purkiss. 01329-312440					
	SALISBURY DC - Old Manor Hospital Ballroom, Wilton Road, Salisbury. Alf Stapleton. 01722-322092					
	FARRINGTON FDC - Village Hall, Church Street, Farrington. Miriam Gurney. 01420-563545					
	HAMBLE FDG - St. Andrews Church Hall, Hamble. Jeremy Brown. 01703-495135					
<u>Wednesday</u>	WINCHESTER RSCS (Scottish Country Dance) - Weeke Community Centre, Taplings Road. Enid Chivers. 01703-253245					
	LYMINGTON FDC (English & International) C of E Infants School, Avenue Road, Lymington. John Gilliam. 01590-676454					
<u>Thursday</u>	PHOENIX - Applemore Recreation Centre, Hythe. Dorothy Mutimear. 01703-893778					
	HURSLEY INTERNATIONAL - Clubhouse, IBM (UK) Laboratories Ltd. Hursley Park, Winchester. Ron Wilks. 01703-600872					
	DEVIL'S JUMPS (Clog) - St. John's Church Hall, Rowlands Castle. Vera Fowler. 01243-374822					
	WINTON FDC. - St. Luke's Hall, Winton, Bournemouth. Margaret Thomas. 28 Albert Road, Ferndown. BH22 9HE					
**	<u>music/song clubs</u>	**	<u>MUSIC/SONG CLUBS</u>	**	<u>music/song clubs</u>	**
<u>Monday</u>	RAILWAY - The Portsmouth Rail Social Club, Station Approach, Selborne Terrace, Fratton. Sooty Broughton. 01705-610268					
<u>Tuesday</u>	NONSUCH FOLK CLUB - The Crown Inn, The Square, Bishops Waltham. John Brenchley. 01489-893513					
<u>Wednesday</u>	TWYNHAM MUSIC VENUE - Ye Olde George Inne, 2A Castle Street, Christchurch. Sarah Hibberd. 01202-556365 or Paul Cole. 01202-480209					
<u>Friday</u>	NEW FO'C'S'LE - OTSC, 6 Highfield Road, Southampton. Debra Chesman. 01703-553040. No Smoking					
<u>Saturday</u>	THE VILLAGE FOLK CLUB - The Limes Hotel, Gatisfield, Fareham. Ken & Lea Stephens. 01703-434312					
	THE BARN FOLK CLUB - Fair Oak. Change of Venue. Phone for information. Anne Coleman. 01703-442552 or George Wilson. 01489-788429					

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CONTACTABAND

The position of Contactaband Operator will shortly become vacant. This would suit someone with spare time in the evenings who is interested in Folk dancing.

Anyone interested should contact Nigel Barrell, Chairman, Contactaband Sub-Committee, on 01705-265563, before 6th November.

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Mark Bluemel (Caller) on 01703 787870

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- 26 10.30am Sussex Workshop. Fittleworth Village Hall. American
Contras with Francis Carter. 01243-781937
- 27 .7.30pm Eastleigh FDC. Playford Style. Club Callers. 01703-252248
- 30 8.00pm Chichester FDG. Reg Fowler. 01243-781937

FOLK CLUBS and ARTS CENTRESNew Fo'c's'le Music Club. OTSC Building. 6 Highfield Road, Southampton.
01703-553040

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|-------|---------------------|--------|----------------|
| Oct 6 | Anything Goes | Nov 3* | Sara Grey |
| 13 | Anything Goes | 10 | Anything Goes |
| 20 | Martyn Wyndham-Read | 17 | Lightwood Band |
| 27 | Jink's Stack | 24 | Anything Goes |

*All at 8pm except the 3rd Nov at 6.45pm - Meet the Guest supper

Island Folk Song Club. Quayside Leisure, Newport I'o W. 01983-293465

Oct 13 Tom Lewis

The Tower. Romsey Road, Winchester. 01962-867986. 8pm

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| Oct 6 | La Cucina | Nov 3 | Julie Felix |
| 20 | Sanders, Baker & Clayton | 17 | The Polly Bolton Band |
| 21 | Renbourn & Guillory | | |

Ashcroft Arts Centre. Fareham. 01329-310600. 8pm

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| Oct 7 | Joli Blon - Cajun | Nov 18 | Julie Felix |
| 14 | Klezmer Groove | 25 | La' Lugh - Irish Music |
| 21 | Sanders, Baker & Clayton | | |
| 27 | Show of Hands | | |
| 28 | Show of Hands & Quimantu | | |

The Gantry. Southampton. 01703-229319

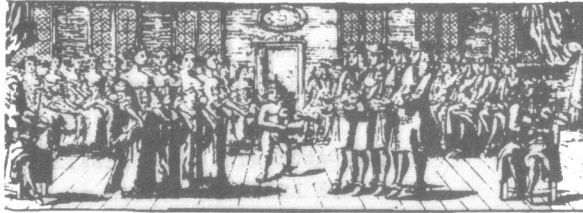
Oct 5 The Battlefield Band

The Maltings. Farnham. 01252-726234

Oct 17 The Young Tradition Roadshow

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Folk Association of South Hants

EVENTS FOR 1995/1996

- November 25th 1995 PLAYFORD DANCE with ALAN DAVIES and
SOLENT FOLK. 8pm to 11.30pm at
WALTHAM CHASE VILLAGE HALL.
Costume appreciated. Tickets: £4.
- January 13th 1996 NEW YEAR DANCE with BRIAN GURNEY and
JIGADOON. 8pm to 11.30pm at
VICTORY HALL, WARSASH. Tickets: £4.50
FASH & EFDSS Members: £4. Bar.
- February 10th 1996 TEA DANCE with KEN SHEFFIELD and
DAVE ROBERTS. 2.30pm to 5.30pm at
SOBERTON VILLAGE HALL. Tickets: £3,
including tea and cake.

Further information and ticket enquiries to Yvonne Ransom,
01705-526844

Cheques to be payable to Folk Associaton of South Hants or
FASH

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A SERIES OF WORKSHOPS FOR WINTER 1995/1996

- October 8th 1995 IRISH SET DANCE with VAL and SIMON
KNIGHT. A new venture for FASH.
- November 12th 1995 WELSH DANCES with DAVID BURKE
- January 21st 1996 PINEWOODS with JOHN TURNER and
PAUL HUTCHINSON
- February 25th 1996 PLAYFORD with JOHN LAGDEN and
DAVE ROBERTS
- March 24th 1996 NOT FOR THE FAINT-HEARTED with
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7.30 pm, Saturday 11th November 1995

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To order tickets and for details of venues, ticket prices, concessions and anything else you need to know about the dances

PHONE the MEGABOPS on 01703 454536

or write (with an SAE please) to 6, Hardwicke Way, Hamble, Southampton

e-mail now available! - rihan@tcp.co.uk or techsolve@tcp.co.uk

Westhill Folk Dance Club
 (Bournemouth)

AUTUMN DANCE

COLIN HUME

AND

SOLENT FOLK

Saturday 28th October 1995

Twynham Comprehensive School

Sopers Lane, Christchurch

7.30 pm to 11.00 pm

Tickets

£4-00

American Supper

Soft Drinks Provided

Tickets & Information:-

Peggy Samuel (01202) 527407

EDITORIAL

It is a sobering thought that in about six weeks time, i.e. 10th November, we will be preparing the December (Christmas) issue of Solent Waves. Any ideas on the content for this edition to make it something special would be greatly appreciated.

As a start, how about a competition page (or pages)? So, is there amongst the readers of Solent Waves someone who can compose some type of quiz or similar, preferably with a Folk theme, which could be part of this? We would be pleased to hear from you! Depending upon the response, perhaps we could persuade the committee to provide some prizes.

The first workshop of the season is on 8th October. We hope we can get to this one, plus a few more than we managed last season.

Enjoy your dancing or whatever;
 more next month.

PEP

Dear Editors.

For some years we have run a group which meets at Bitterne Parish Hall twice a month where we teach American Contras, easy squares, and a few other things. I like to use the music of The Greensleeves, Jimmy Shand and others, and bought a number of vinyl L.Ps when we started teaching.

Unfortunately I have lost two of these recently - I think I left them in a hall somewhere. I would like to replace them: Barndance Singalong by The Greensleeves, GDB Records GDB101, and Jigtime with Jimmy Shand (I am not sure of the label, possibly EMI). L.Ps seem not so easy to come by these days.

I originally bought some at Cecil Sharp House, but after writing to them have been unable to obtain any help now. Recently I bought two more at one of the Saturday dances at Waterlooville. I don't know who ran the music stall. We would very much like to replace the two albums and would be grateful if any other reader of Solent Waves could advise us.

Betty and Bill Davis, Glenwood, Moorhill Road, Southampton. SO30 3AX.
Telephone No. 01703-463338

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A MESSAGE FROM NEW FOREST MEDDLARS MORRIS

New Forest Meddlars Morris takes it's name partly from the local tradition of naming sides after trees, and partly from our habit of 'meddling' in various traditions. We dance a mixture of Border and Cotswold styles plus anything else that grabs us at the time - a Molly dance is on the cards for the Winter!

We've had a packed Summer with a range of venues from local pubs and shows to larger folk festivals. We like to support local traditions, such as the Bower Decking at Oakhanger, and start new ones - bacon butties on a Mayday Dawn (the real one) on a hilltop near Lyndhurst!

With the onset of the Winter practice season we would be delighted to welcome new members, both dancers and musicians. We're aiming to consolidate our dances for next year, so there will be plenty of opportunities to learn the steps and figures. We meet on Tuesday nights in New Milton Scout Hall from 8 to 10pm, followed swiftly at 10.05pm by an aprés Morris wind-down in the local.

For more information, please contact Gez Pegram (Bagman) or Derek Pinder (Squire) on the following numbers:

Gez 01703-324420 (home)

Derek 01590-670329 (home)

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on 01705-265563, before 6th November, 1995.

THE GRAND UNION OF DANCERS

At the end of August, eight intrepid dancers from South Hants set out Northwards, safely made their various ways through the delays of Newbury, and pressed on past Oxford and Banbury till LO! they reached a quiet little town called Southam, a few miles from Leamington Spa. This was to be the venue for a new weekend festival "The Grand Union of Dancers". It was indeed very aptly named, for, although only modestly advertised, news of the event had drawn like a magnet dancers from clubs in all parts of the country, with the promise of an excellent variety of callers, who included Alan Davies, Barry Bullimore; Bill and Barbara Kinsman, and supported by talented musicians, such as Wild Thyme, The Rampions and Amaryllis.

The emphasis was entirely on enjoying social dance (no Morris, Sword, Garland, Clog or Tap!) but with such talented callers and such a wealth of English and American-style dances to draw on, the programme gave us plenty of choice. With the use of the Community Centre, plus a nearby school hall, there were always two events to choose from for each of the five sessions the day was divided into from 9.30am to 11.30pm.

Alan and Barbara gave us new insights into Playford style and Tom Cook dances, Barry tested us with lively contras and squares, Bill's sessions were always full of fun and laughter. It was thanks to much hard work from Wendy and Diane in organising the weekend, that we all had such an enjoyable time, and they are to be congratulated on the success of this first Grand Union of Dancers. Look out for it next year August Bank Holiday weekend.

I have one little regret. I was so busy dancing, I never did get to see the Grand Union Canal which is an attractive feature of the area - they tell me!

Pam Stallworthy

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PROGRAMME FOR PLAYFORD DANCE - WALTHAM CHASE - 25.11.95

Indian Queen	Shropshire Lass (triple minor)
Volpony	Bonny Cuckoo
Burghees Hole	Trip to Paris
Chelsea Reach	Hole in the Wall
Drapers Gardens	Hey Boys Up Go We
King James March	Delia
Round About Our Coal Fire	Elverton Grove
Maid in the New Moon	Sun Assembly
Jamacia (Longways)	Newcastle
	Nonesuch
	Never Love Thee More

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