



The Guildford Accordion Club

Cobham Village Hall, Lushington Drive, Cobham KT11 2LU



Newsletter 20th May 2022

Welcome

I have printed the list for the play-along on the back of this newsletter so it's easier to get the music ready to play. Hopefully!

Thank you for your positive feedback from the last club night regarding the play-along.

You enjoyed Gennaro leading and giving advice on how to improve.

I think that's everyone's aim, play better and enjoy playing.

Bring and Buy

I hope there are some things here of interest tonight.

Feel free to look around the tables and see if there is anything you would like.

London Accordion Orchestra.

A couple of dates for your diaries.

The next two LAO concerts.

2nd July they have a concert at the Broadway Theatre in Letchworth at 3pm.

More information will be in the next newsletter.

Save this date: October 1st at 5pm LSO St Lukes near Old Street (home of the London Symphony Orchestra) with the incredible German National Accordion Orchestra, one of the best in the world. LAO's MD, Ian Watson, is their guest conductor for 2022 and they will be making their UK debut.

I am sure some of you will not want to miss it.

Tillingbourne Accordion Orchestra

The orchestra is having a Jubilee open evening here in the Taylor Hall at 8pm on June 7th. With a small concert and then social time.

Also, they will be playing at the Sevenoaks Music Festival on Sunday 12th June. The venue is Walthamstow Hall Senior School, Hollybush Lane, Sevenoaks TN13 3UL. There are usually entries from other accordion groups, you are welcome to come along and support them. 2pm-4.30pm

The Not Just Jazz Show

I know a few of you like to come along to Geoff's concert at Victoria Hall Ash GU12 5DN. The next show is Saturday 28th May 2022 in the evening at 7.30pm-10pm.

Entry is £12 in advance from Geoff 07811812347 There is no bar, but you are welcome to fetch your own glasses, drinks, and nibbles. You can then sit and relax and enjoy the music. There are usually a few surprise guests as well.

Super Orchestra Day Sunday 9th October

Julie Luck will be leading this annual event.

It's the biggest annual Accordion Orchestra training day in the UK. Approximately 80 accordionists from all over the south of England come together for a day to rehearse 3 pieces and give an early evening concert. Seasoned orchestral players and people new to making music with others are all welcome.

Once again, we will also have "a mini orchestra".

A free day of ensemble playing for under 16's here in another hall. We have a range of instruments available for children to borrow for the day and encourage kids who have never played the accordion before to give it a try.

Although the day is free for under 16's they must be registered by emailing: mail@londonao.co.uk

We will soon have entry forms for everyone interested in attending.

Next Club Night

Friday 17th June

Doors Open 7.30pm

Play-along will start at 8pm.

Hope to see you all soon.

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