

Folk Dance and Snowdrop Weekend 2024

2nd to 4th February 2024

Yarn Market Hotel, Dunster, Exmoor National Park
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Dampier's Round

Peter and Moira Gutteridge who hail from Worcestershire have been our regular resident musicians at our Folk Dance weekends for many years and bring a lively sound on a variety of instruments - mainly fiddle, guitar and bass, but often flute, keyboard and harp.

Dampier's have established a reputation as a Folk Festival Dance Band, a Playford Ball Band, Ceilidh or Barn Dance Band. They run workshops in playing folk music at Halsway Manor, Folk Festivals, Chinnor, and the Oxford Music Day.

Ray Goodswen

Ray has been a traditional dance caller and teacher since his time at St Luke's College in Exeter. He started teaching to share his love of traditional dance with others so that they might share in the pleasure. He was for 13 years the dance director at Sidmouth Festival and also director of the Eastbourne International Folk Dance Festival. Nowadays he spends more time calling for local clubs whilst still running courses at Halsway Manor the Westfolk weekend in Paignton (now in its 37th year) and other events. However there is nothing more that he enjoys than actually dancing with his wife Liberty.

* Our introductory offer is available to the first ten claimants

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Weekend Itinerary

Resident Hosts *Angela Morecroft and Antony Brunt
(Resident Proprietor and EFDSS Member)*

Resident Caller *Ray Goodswen*

Resident Musicians *Dampier's Round*

PROGRAMME

Friday Arrive and check in during afternoon
18.00 Welcome reception
18.15 Dinner in hotel restaurant
20.00 Dance (finishes 22.30pm)

Saturday
8.30 Breakfast - (available until 9.30)
9.30 - 12.15 Dance workshop
(Coffee break at 10.45 approx.)
12.30 Lunch (soup and rolls)
13.15 Depart for Snowdrop Valley and walk
18.15 Dinner in hotel restaurant
20.00 Dance (finishes 22.45pm)

Sunday
8.30 Breakfast - (available until 9.30)
9.30 - 11.00 Dance Workshop followed by coffee break
11.15 - 1.00 Farewell Dance
13.15 Sunday lunch
18.30 **Optional** evening meal (not included in price)

Folk Dance Weekend 2024 Booking Form

PLEASE USE BLOCK CAPITALS

Name Mr/Mrs/Ms/Miss.....

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Address.....

Postcode.....Tel. No.....

E-mail

Inclusive charge for the break.

Double, £330 per person (£305 before 31/03/23) ?

Twin room, £330 per person (£305 before 31/03/23) ?

Single room, £350 per person (£320 before 31/03/23) ?

**To claim the lower price the whole cost needs to be paid by
31st March 2023**

**Introduce someone who comes for the first time and you each save £20
against your final balance***

Please add their names or tell us later.....

DEPOSIT PAYABLE WITH RETURN OF BOOKING FORM -

£75 per person BALANCE PAYABLE ON DEPARTURE

All monies paid are non-refundable but in the event of a cancellation we will hold it, for a period of twelve months, against a future booking, subject to the deduction of £30 per person administration charge.

Extra night accommodation at £60 per person B&B (Dinner £30) **Yes/No**

Do you have any dietary or other special requirements (please specify)

Please return the completed Booking Form (together with the deposit), by crossed cheque made payable to: Yarn Market Hotel as soon as possible. Address: Yarn Market Hotel, 25-33 High Street, Dunster, Somerset TA24 6SF (Tel 01643 821425)

Or payment by Credit or Debit Card,

Card Number _ _ _ _ _

Start Date..... Expiry Date..... Issue no..... Three digit code _ _ _

Signature **Date.....**