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NEWSLETTER FEBRUARY 2008

WORKSHOP MEMBERS' CONCERT – SATURDAY 15th MARCH 2 pm.



Very many thanks to all of you who are taking part in this annual extravaganza. This is the one occasion of the year where members have the opportunity to showcase their skills, whatever their level of experience. If this is your first time playing in front of an audience then good luck! You will find the Duxford audience extremely supportive and everyone's contribution is very much valued. This is the main opportunity you have to delight and impress your friends and family with the skills on which you have been working since September – above all, enjoy it!

BARN DANCE AND SOCIAL – SATURDAY 1ST MARCH AT 7.45

A barn dance and social with live band 'Fendragon and caller Philippa Spencer at Duxford School. It has an anglo-french theme, think 'Allo 'allo meets The Archers, and please feel free to dress accordingly!

Tickets needed – see Peter Howarth or anyone at the front desk.

LOAN FEES FOR WORKSHOP INSTRUMENTS:

Please will all those who have had the use of a Workshop instrument since September 2007 and not yet paid the loan fee see Peter Rice, our instrument manager, as soon as possible. Cheques should be made payable to 'Duxford Saturday Workshop Trust'. If you have any queries about the amount due see either Peter or Arwen.

GIFT AID DONORS:

Many, many thanks to all those people who have signed a Gift Aid form. A lot of members have done so this year and this makes a big difference to Workshop. Anyone who pays tax is able to donate *at no extra cost to themselves!* Please see Judy Thomson or anyone on the front desk if you are not sure of the system.

SHOP:

A big thank you also to Angela Bould who is now running Workshop's shop. This is situated at the far end of the Junior corridor next to our new office. Do use this facility!

TUTORS' ENTERTAINMENT



The annual tutors' entertainment will take place at 7.30 pm. on Saturday 19th April at Sawston Village College.

The inspiration behind this year's extravaganza comes from the enormously popular TV show 'Strictly Come Dancing'. You may very well wonder from where we will find the likes of Bruce and Tess, Matt and Flavia, Vincent and Mark, but have no fear, Workshop is on the case. Various 'acts' will take their turn to compete in a ruthless competition, being judged and going for that all coveted first place. With plenty of audience participation, food and if you're lucky,

even the odd bit of ballroom dancing this guarantees to be an occasion not to be missed! Put it in your diary now!

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

Barn Dance/Village Hop
details or take a flyer from the front desk.
Members' Concert
Tutors' Entertainment

Saturday 1st March 2008 – see Peter Howarth for

Saturday 15th March 2008 2.00pm

Saturday 19th April 2008 7.30 p.m.

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