

**FREE EVERY MONTH**

**APRIL 2024**

# **THE OLD CODGER**

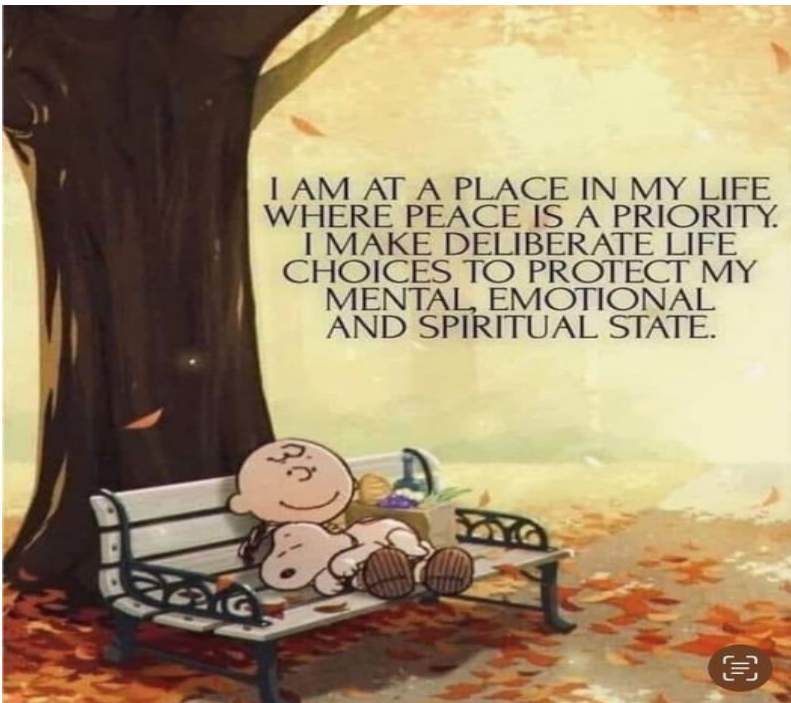
**The eccentric GIG GUIDE**

**& entertainment magazine**

**with reviews, news, humour, gig listings.  
covering the Portsmouth area and beyond**

**KEEP MUSIC LIVE**

**[www.oldcodgermag.co.uk](http://www.oldcodgermag.co.uk)**



**ISSUE 5 vol 5**

**Copyright Old Codger 2016**

# **HAPPY MUSIC MAKERS**

**Unit 4, The Basepoint Business Centre,  
Waterberry Drive, Waterlooville PO7 7TH**

**Next to the Royal Mail depot**

**On site one hour free customer parking  
all major cards accepted**

## **OPEN HOURS**

**Monday to Friday - 10am till 4.00pm**

**Saturdays 10pm till 4.00pm**

**Closed Wednesdays and Sundays**

**e-mail us at – [info@happymusicmakers.co.uk](mailto:info@happymusicmakers.co.uk)**

***SALES – SPARES – REPAIRS & RESTRINGS***

**PHONE 02392 299 554 or 0738 1568 882**

**MORE THAN YOUR LOCAL MUSIC STORE**

- COMPETATIVE PRICES**
- PART EXCHANGE WELCOME**
- WE BUY CERTAIN GEAR FOR CASH**
- TRY BEFORE YOU BUY!!**

**GREAT SELECTION OF NEW & USED**



**[www.happymusicmakers.co.uk](http://www.happymusicmakers.co.uk)**

**FREE EVERY MONTH**

**ISSUE 5 VOL 5**

# **THE ELIZABETH FOUNDATION**

**Helping Deaf Children Learn to Listen and Talk**



**For more information Phone 02392 372 735  
or go online [www.elizabeth-foundation.org](http://www.elizabeth-foundation.org)**

---

## **EDITORIAL (or OLD CODGER RANT)**

**Hi** welcome to the April issue of The Old Codger, yet another early Easter Bank holiday, I know it's meant to be a religious event and celebration, but to some of us it's a time to have a break from work and relax!! I have never quiet worked out how and why they make changes to the actual dates of Easter! I have had all this explained to me by enlightened human beings, but I still feel it's all rather creepy..... And it seems a good time for lots of rain! (As if we haven't had enough recently, Rain that is!) So we may be lucky and see more sun! This year could well see our political system change, but it will take time to get to grips with all the problems the Country faces at present, as Sir Rod Stewart said at the beginning of March "They all stink!" Great selection of gigs again in the listings, make a note for May Bank Holiday weekend for the 'Hayling Island Ukulele Festival', don't worry about the weather, it's an inside event so the sun should shine!! It's amazing how many musician's and venues don't e-mail us their gig listings, it's FREE. Just email – [info@oldcodgermag.co.uk](mailto:info@oldcodgermag.co.uk) copy date is the 12th of the month for the following months issue. - **old Codger Bob**

---

## **TASS ROMSEY**

**TV: AUDIO: SERVICE: SALES:**

**incorporating SECONDHAND SALES + SUREVIEW TV & AUDIO**

**Part of TASS ROMSEY PHONE 01794 521 677**

**[romsey.tass@gmail.com](mailto:romsey.tass@gmail.com)**

**TV & AUDIO REPAIRS & SERVICING**

**TV & AUDIO SECONDHAND SALES TAPE TO DVD COPYING**

**[www.tassromsey.co.uk](http://www.tassromsey.co.uk)**

**SERVICING YOUR EQUIPMENT SINCE 1976**

**FREE EVERY MONTH**

**ISSUE 5 VOL 5**

**APRIL OPEN MIC NIGHTS**

**Every effort on the part of the 'Old Codger' is made to give correct information. So please contact the venue to check that what is listed is still on, before setting out on your journey. We do try to keep our listings up to date!**

**First and third Sunday of the month**

**Alleycats open Mic @** The Barley Mow, Castle Road, Southsea PO5 3DE 6.45pm

**2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the month**

**Alleycats Open Mic @** The Milton Arms, Milton Road, Portsmouth PO4 8PR 6.45pm

**Mondays**

**Folk Song Club @** The Chichester Inn, West Street, Chichester PO19 1RP 8pm

**Open Mic @** The Woolpack, Fishbourne Rd, Fishbourne, Nr Chichester PO19 3JJ

**Open Mic – Originals @** Casemates Studios, Hilse, Portsmouth 8pm till 11pm

**Open Mic @** The Fawsett Inn, Fawsett Road, Southsea PO4 0DP 8.00pm

**Open Mic @** The White Horse, The Square, Westbourne PO10 8UE 8.00pm

**Roots Night @** The Railway Inn, St. Paul's Hill, Winchester SO22 5AE 8.00pm

**Every 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of the month**

**Open Mic @** The Lifeboat, Sea Front, Hayling Island PO11 9HL 7.30pm

**Tuesdays**

**Open Mic @** The Lord Raglan, Queens Street, Emsworth PO10 7NJ 8pm

**Every 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of the month**

**Open Mic @** Fifth Hants Volunteer Arms, Albert Road, Southsea PO5 2SL

**Every other Tuesday**

**Alleycats @** The Maypole, 9 Havant Road, Hayling Island PO11 0PS 8pm

**Wednesdays**

**Open Mic @** The Sports & Social Club Havant Road, Emsworth PO10 7JF 8.00pm

**Broadside Folk Club @** The Golden Eagle, Delamere Rd, Southsea PO4 0JA 7.30pm

**Wednesday Afternoons**

**Ukulele Jam - all welcome 3 – 5pm @** Crown Hotel, High St, Emsworth PO10 7AW

**Every 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of the month**

**Open Mic @** The White Swan, Station Road, Bosham PO18 8NG 8.00pm

**Last Wednesday of the month**

**“Open Mic” @** The Heroes, London Road, Waterlooville PO7 7DZ 8pm

**Thursdays**

**Jam Session @** The Farmers Inn, Catherington Lane, Catherington PO8 0TD 8pm

**Open Mic @** The Crown Hotel, High Street, Emsworth PO10 7AW 8.00pm

**Open Mic @** The Good Intent, College Street, Petersfield GU31 4AF 8.00pm

**Open Mic @** The Staggeringly Good Brewery, Rodney Rd, Southsea PO48SS 8pm

**Open Mic @** The Bold Forrester, Albert Rd, Southsea 7pm

**First Thursday of The Month**

**Jam Night @** The Portcullis Taphouse, West Street, Portchester PO16 9UY 8.00pm

\*\*\*\*\*

**PAUL WALKER Phone 02392 241 567**

**For all repairs on stringed instruments**

**Plus Brass and Woodwind**

**52 Moreland Road, Waterlooville PO7 5PS**

**WHAT'S ON ROUND THE CLUBS**

**Forrest Folk** The first Monday of the month for the popular 'Sing-a-rounds'. Appearing on the 15th April '**Merryhell**' sadly **sold out**. On the 20 May '**Norrie MacIver**' they meet at The Village Hall, Trampers Lane, North Boarhunt nr Fareham. For more information and tickets etc.....

Phone Charles on **01329 833 625** or Janet on **02392 264 288**

\*\*\*\*\*

**Emsworth Music Club** Have appearing on April 12th '**The Zac Schulze Gang**' then on the 10th May '**The Jon Amor Trio**'

For more information on the club go to - **www.emsworthmusicclub**

\*\*\*\*\*

**Hambledon Folk Club** The club have appearing on the 10th April '**Tarren**'. With on the 8th May '**Lynne Heraud and Pat Turner**'. The Club meets at The Youth Hut, West Street, Hambledon PO7 4RW. For reservations phone **02392 623 719**.

\*\*\*\*\*

**The BOARHUNT BLUES CLUB** sadly **March was the final gig at the Boarhunt!!**

\*\*\*\*\*

**The Gosport Jazz Club** Have appearing on the 10th April '**John Maddock's Jazz Men**' then on the 24th '**Kevin Grenfell's Jazz Giants**'. This all takes place at the Gosport & Fareham Ruby Club, Dolphin Cresent, Gosport PO12 2HE or go to the web site - **www.gosportjazz.org.uk** for further information.

\*\*\*\*\*

**The Bullfrog Blues Club** Have appearing on April 4th '**The Malone Sibun Band**' then on the 5th May '**The West Side Blues Band**'. They meet at the NBE CSA Club, in Onslow Road, Southsea, Portsmouth PO5 2NH

\*\*\*\*\*

**Grayshott Folk Club** Have appearing on April 22nd '**The Leisure Society**'. For tickets and other information – Phone Des O'Byrne on **01428 607096** . The event at the Grayshott Village Hall, Headly Road, Greyshott, nr Hindhead, Surrey GU26 6TZ

\*\*\*\*\*

**COMING UP AT WEMSFEST**

**APRIL 2024**

6th **LINDISFARNE @** St. James Church, Church Path, Emsworth

13th **IMAR @** St. James Church, Church Path, Emsworth PO10 7DP

19th **FEAST OF FIDDLES – 30 Anniversary Tour** Start 7.30pm  
@ St. James Church, Church Path, Emsworth PO10 7DP

**MAY 2024**

11th **STEVE WICKHAM & RAY COEN @** Chidham Village Hall PO18 8TZ

31st **LONDON ASTROBEAT ORCHESTRA** Present '**The Talking Heads**'  
@ Westbourne Community Hall, River Street, Westbourne PO10 8TG

For more information of events listed, tickets and other info go to

**www.wemsfest.co.uk**

**APRILS MUSIC QUIZ.....**

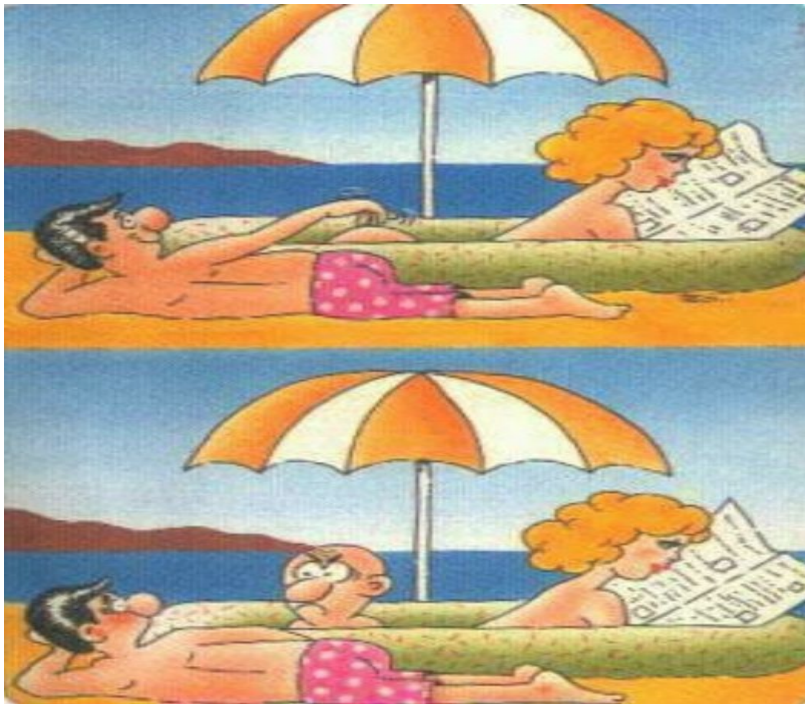
- (1) Name** the singer who had a UK Top 10 hit in 1971 with "Me and You, and a Dog named Boo?"
- (2) Which** duo in 1983 had a hit titled "Waves"?
- (3) Before** his solo career which Puerto Rican band was Ricky Martin a member of?
- (4) Name** the UK group which had their debut hit in 1969 with "No Mules Fool?" with the singer Roger Chapman?
- (5) Which** British 60's group had all three of it's UK Top 40 hits in 1964 with the songs - "Tell Me When", "Like Dreamers Do", and "Three Little Words"?
- (6) Name** the singer who had a Top 10 single "Just Another Day" in 1992?
- (7) What** was the name of the male singer who replaced Kym Marsh when she left the group 'Hear Say'?
- (8) Which** one time 'Home and Away' actress had hits in 1997 with "Everything I wanted", and "All I wanna Do"?
- (9) Who** designed the cover of The Beatles "Sgt Peppers Lonely Hearts Club Band"?
- (10) After** leaving the Decca label in 1966, what was the title of the first Top10 hit for the Small Faces on the Immediate label the following year?
- (11) Name** the female singer who took the song "Lilac Wine" into the 1997 Top 20?
- (12) The** song "Hang on Sloopy" was a 1965 UK Top 10 hit for which American group?
- (13) Originally** released in 1966, which group had a UK Top 40 hit in 1972 with the instrumental "Wade in The Water"?
- (14) The** single "Natural Born Boogie" hit the UK Top 10 in 1969, can you name the act?
- (15) On** which Rolling Stones single did Mick Jagger say "He'll Be Your Knight in Shinning Armour"?
- (16) Which** American soul group had a UK Top 10 hit in 1974 with "Down on the Beach Tonight"?
- (17) Where** did the 'cowboy' come from that Mike Harding sang about in his 1975 Hit?
- (18) "Sunshine on Leith"** was the title of a 1988 single by which duo?
- (19) Baccara** only had two Top 40 hits in the 1970's "Yes Sir I Can Boogie" (No1 in 1977) can you name the other one?
- (20) In** 1961, which legendary pop star made the UK Top 10 with "Theme For A Dream"?
- (21) Name** the top sixties UK group that had a Top 20 hit in 68 with "Sleepy Joe"?
- (22) In** 1967 which female singer sang "Don't Sleep in the Subway"?
- (23) What** are the names of the two man song writing team behind the 1970's biggest hits of the following acts – The Sweet / Mud / Suzi Quatro?
- (24) Which** group had their 11<sup>th</sup> UK Top 10 hit with "Driving in my Car"?
- (25) The** daughter of the late singer Elvis Presley, Lisa Maria Presley, had a Uk Top 20 hit in 2003 what was the title song?
- (26) The** UK group Dave Dee, Dozy, Beaky, Mick and Tich made the Top 40 for the thirteenth and last time in 1969, can you name the song?

**Answers on page 14 of this issue**

\*\*\*\*\*

**JOEY THE VAN MAN phone 07456 652 812**

**Man & Van – based in Emsworth \* Local & Long Distance Service**



**THE OLD CODGER INFORMATION**

**So if your running an Open Mic night or ukulele night (or day session) regular gig nights then this Old Codger would love to hear from you.** Copy date is the 12<sup>th</sup> of the month for the following months issue. Once it's gone to print, the magazines gone to print and you have lost your Free advertising! So make a note the 12<sup>th</sup> of the month! For more information e-mail - [info@oldcodgermag.co.uk](mailto:info@oldcodgermag.co.uk)

**Views** expressed by contributors are not necessary of 'The Old Codger' eccentric community magazine. All manuscripts, illustrations, and photographs submitted to 'The Old Codger' whether at our request or otherwise are submitted entirely at the suppliers risk. Whilst every care is taken, in the event of loss or damage to materials, etc..... 'The Old Codger' cannot hold it self responsible. Nor can it accept any liability for mistakes or misprint.

**No part of the publication may be reproduced in any formed without our permission.** If you have any articles, letters, pictures or comments you would like us to consider for publication, we would be delighted to hear from you. When visiting or buying from our advertisers, please mention that you saw their advert in 'The Old Codger', the advertisers support us so please support them.

**Published and sponsored by - HAPPY MUSIC MAKERS, Waterlooville**

**Printed by - M G IMAGING, 15b South Street, Havant PO9 1BU**

**02392 474 727 [www.mg-i.co.uk](http://www.mg-i.co.uk)**

**FREE EVERY MONTH**

**ISSUE 5 VOL 5**



# **HAPPY MUSIC MAKERS**





**FREE EVERY MONTH**

**ISSUE 5 VOL 5**

**So you thought the internet was cheaper?**

**Be pleasantly surprised @**

# **HAPPY MUSIC MAKERS**

**Unit 4, The Basepoint Business Centre,  
Woodberry Drive, Waterlooville PO7 7TH**

**NEXT TO THE ROYAL MAIL DEPOT**

**[www.happymusicmakers.co.uk](http://www.happymusicmakers.co.uk)**

## **OPEN HOURS**

Monday to Saturday 10.00am till 4.00pm

Closed Wednesdays & Sundays

**On-site one hour free customer parking**

**ALL MAJOR CARDS ACCEPTED**

**SALES** – instruments, we are a general Music Shop

Accessories – a wide range to keep you playing

Spares – for those that want to D.I.Y.

Restrings plus Repairs and Set-ups

Contact us at - **[info@happymusicmakers.co.uk](mailto:info@happymusicmakers.co.uk)**

**02392 299 554 or 0783 1568 882**

**'MORE THAN YOUR LOCAL MUSIC STORE'**

**\*\* Directions** – from Waterlooville town Centre, drive down Maurepas Way on to the Hambledon Road, (B2150). Turn Left at the roundabout into Electra Ave, with McDonalds and Lidl Supermarket on the left – Nissan Car Garage on the right. Turn right at the roundabout into Waterberry Drive, along past offices on the left with the Horizon Leisure Centre on the right. Then on past with the Royal Mail depot on the right with Basepoint next right, as you drive in, turn to the left as you enter with HMM in the end unit no 4. On-site One Hour FREE customer parking.

**COMPETATIVE PRICES – Try before you buy!**

**PART EXCHANGE WELCOME**

**FREE EVERY MONTH**

**ISSUE 5 VOL 5**

# **THE 2024 'HAYLING ISLAND UKULELE FESTIVAL'**

**This FREE event is from 3th May the Friday evening until the Sunday. All this happens at The British Legion, Legion Road, Hayling Island PO11 9ES  
Then on the 5th Monday -**

## **'SAM BROWN AND THE INTERNATIONAL UKULELE CLUB OF SUNNING COMMON'**

**TICKETS** in advance £12.50 / on the door £15.00

**Tickets available from The British Legion on 02392 467 614**

**Doors open on the Monday at 12.00am**

**After the amazing success of the 1<sup>st</sup> Ukulele Festival there will be Live performances from local groups, plus playalongs and workshops. For more information Google -**

**THE HAYLING ISLAND UKULELE FESTIVAL 2024**

**EVERYONE IS WELCOME**



**FREE EVERY MONTH**

**ISSUE 5 VOL 5**

**THE OLD CODGER ENTERTAINMENT GUIDE**

The Gig Listings FREE e-mail [info@oldcodgermag.co.uk](mailto:info@oldcodgermag.co.uk)

*Copy date is the 12 of the month for the following months issue*

Every effort on the part of 'The Old Codger' is made to give correct information. So please contact the venue to check that what is listed is still on, before setting out on your journey. We do try to keep our listings up to date.

**APRIL'S LISTINGS**

**Tuesday 2nd**

Live music tbc @ The George, Portsdown Hill Road, Portsmouth PO6 1BE

Tuesday Tunes with Helene! @ 3.30 – 5pm Auckland Arms, Southsea PO5 3NB

Knee Deep in Life @ The Wedgewood Rooms, Albert Road, Southsea PO4 0JN

Jazz Jam Session @ Auckland Arms, Netley Road, Southsea PO5 3NB 8pm start

Karaoke @ The Heroes, London Road (in the precinct) Waterlooville PO7 7DZ

**Wednesday 3rd**

Irish Night @ The Good Intent, College Street, Petersfield GU31 4AF 8pm

**Thursday 4th**

Grad Da Mic @ The Wedgewood Rooms, Albert Road, Southsea PO4 0JN

Live Music tbc @ The Barley Mow, Castle Road, Southsea PO5 3DE

Chris Porter, Ray Caruana + Guests @ Auckland Arms, Southsea PO5 3NB 8pm

The Ocelots + Ben Craig + Never the Twain @ The Railway, Winchester SO22 5AE

**Friday 5th**

Snake Davis @ The Spring Arts Centre, East Street, Havant 8pm

Indie 80's @ The Wedgewood Rooms, Albert Road, Southsea PO4 0JN

The Butterfly Collective @ The Brook, Portswood Road, Southampton

The Voodoo Goats @ The Heroes, London Road, Waterlooville PO7 7DZ

Boo Hewerdine @ The Railway Inn, St. Paul's Hill, Winchester SO22 5AE

**Saturday 6th**

Jordan Mills (Solo) @ The Lord Raglan, Queens Street, Emsworth PO10 7NJ

Queen Bee + The Honey Trappers @ Bird in Hand, Gosport Rd, Fareham PO16 0PZ

Something Else @ The White Horse, 44 N Wallington, Fareham

Soul Kinda Wonderful @ The Spring Arts Centre, East St, Havant 8pm

The Hill Brothers & Mary Blandford @ Jolly Sailor, Clarence Parade, Southsea 8pm

The Foo Forgers + The Strayers @ The Brook, Portswood Road, Southampton

Class of 69 – Northern Soul @ Saltens Club, 43 Newtown Rd, Warsash SO31 9FY

Parallel Lines @ The Heroes, London Road, Waterlooville PO7 7DZ

**Sunday 7th**

The Blackout @ The Bird in Hand, Gosport Road, Fareham PO16 0PZ

Atomic Badger @ The Golden Lion, Bedhampton Road, Havant 3pm start

Lunchtime Blues Jam Session from 1pm @ Auckland Arms, Southsea PO5 3NB

The Rubies Abba Tribute @ The Jolly Sailor, Clarence Parade, Southsea 6.30pm

Steve Hampton @ The Heroes, London Road, Waterlooville PO7 7DZ

**Monday 8th**

Basic Partner @ The Wedgewood Rooms, Albert Road, Southsea PO4 0J

Continued on page 12

**THE APRIL 'OLD CODGER' ENTERTAINMENT GUIDE****Tuesday 9th****Sykick Surfers @** The George Inn, Portsdown Hill Road, Portsmouth 8.30pm**Karaoke @** The Heroes, London Road, (in the Precinct) Waterlooville PO7 7DZ**Wednesday 10th****Irish Night @** The Good Intent, College Street, Petersfield GU31 4AF**Chris Ricketts Sea Songs & Stories @** Wedgewood Rooms, Southsea PO4 0JN**The Shadders @** The Heroes, London Road, Waterlooville PO7 7DZ 8pm**Jamie Dixon @** The Railway Inn, St. Paul's Hill, Winchester SO22 5AE**Thursday 11th****Josh Wellar & Sara Barron (Comedy) @** The Spring Arts Centre, East St,Havant**Live Music tbc @** The Barley Mow, Castle Road, Southsea PO5 3DE**Friday 12th****Sykick Kickers @** The Lord Raglan, Queen Street, Emsworth PO10 7BJ**The Rewind @** The Bird in Hand, Gosport Road, Fareham PO16 0PZ**Clare Martin (Jazz) @** The Spring Arts Centre, East Street, Havant 8pm start**Rock 'n' Roll Night @** The Jolly Sailor, Clarence Parade, Southsea PO5 2EU 8pm**Wedge Comedy Club @** Wedgewood Rooms, Albert Road, Southsea PO4 0JN**The Signatures, Steve Ellis, Stefen Taylor @** The Brook, Southampton SO17 3SD**Cheesy Moments @** The Heroes, London Road, Waterlooville PO7 7DZ**Saturday 13th****Fantastic Planet @** The Bird in Hand, Gosport Road, Fareham PO16 0PZ 8.30pm**Something Else @** The Trinity Tavern, Trinity Street, Fareham 8.30pm**Pop Up Bowie (Tribute) @** The Spring Arts Centre, East Street, Havant 8pm start**The Half Beats @** The Jolly Sailor, Clarence Parade, Southsea PO5 2EU 8pm**Smooje & Turrel 'Redellen' Tour @** Wedgewood Rooms, Albert Rd,Southsea**Sensational Debbie C @** Auckland Arms, Netley Road, Southsea PO5 3NB 8.45pm**The Mafia @** The Anchor, Selsey Road, Sidlesham PO20 7QU**Noasis (Tribute) @** The Brook, Portswood Rd, Portswood, Southampton SO17 3SD**T S & The Young Blades @** The Heroes, London Road, Waterlooville PO7 7DZ**Zappa!! Treacherous Cretins @** The Railway, St. Paul's Hill, Winchester SO22 5AE**Sunday 14th****The Worried Men @** The Bird in Hand, Gosport Road, Fareham PO16 0PZ**Martins Disco / Karaoke @** The Golden Lion, Bedhampton Rd, Havant 3pm start**The Roustabouts (R 'n' R) @** Sir Walter Tytrell, Brook, Lyndhurst SO43 7HD**Ocean Sounds Jazz 4pm till 7pm @** The Barley Mow, Castle Road, Southsea**Dave Baker Project @** Auckland Arms, Netley Road, Southsea PO5 3NB 3pm start**Beautiful Mechanica @** The Wedgewood Rooms, Albert Road, Southsea PO4 0JN**The Hills Brothers Acoustic @** The Jolly Sailor, Clarence Parade, Southsea 2pm**Rachel Mathams (Solo Singer) @** The Heroes, London Road, Waterlooville**Once Awake @** The Railway Inn, St. Paul's Hill, Winchester SO22 5AE

\*\*\*\*\*

**STELLAS VOICE Charity Shops****COSHAM – HAVANT - WATERLOOVILLE****VISIT US AT - [www.stellasvoice.org.uk](http://www.stellasvoice.org.uk)**

**THE APRIL 'OLD CODGER' ENTERTAINMENT GUIDE****Monday 15th**

**Open Ya Mouth @** The Wedgewood Rooms, Albert Road, Southsea PO4 0JN

**Tuesday 16th**

**Chicago 9 @** The George Inn, Portsdown Hill Road, Portsmouth PO6 1BE

**Gig Buddies Presents 'Be Yourself' @** Wedgewood Rooms, Southsea

**Karaoke @** The Heroes (In the Precinct), London Road, Waterlooville PO7 7DZ

**Wednesday 17th**

**Irish Night @** The Good Intent, College Street, Petersfield GU31 4AF

**Battle Grounds @** The Wedgewood Rooms, Albert Road, Southsea PO4 0JN

**John Smith @** The Brook, Portswood Road, Southampton SO17 3SD

**Thursday 18th**

**Bar Jams – Dece Tour @** The Brook, Portswood Road, Portswood, Southampton

**The Parlours @** The Railway Inn, St. Paul's Hill, Winchester SO22 5AE

**Friday 19th**

**Matt O'Neil @** The Lord Raglan, Queen Street, Emsworth PO10 7BJ 8.30pm

**Camera @** The Bird in Hand, Gosport Road, Fareham PO16 0PZ

**Russell Keith @** The Golden Lion, Bedhampton Road, Havant PO9 3EY

**Something Else @** The Phoenix, Portsmouth

**Witchdoctors + The Blue Carpet Band @** The Wedgewood Rooms, Southsea

**D J Tibbs Motown & Soul @** The Jolly Sailor, Clarence Parade, Southsea 8pm

**China Lake @** The Heroes, London Road, Waterlooville PO7 7DZ

**303 Social Club @** The Railway Inn, St. Paul's Hill, Winchester SO22 5AE

**Saturday 20th**

**The Mafia @** The Jolly Miller, 96 Miller Drive, Fareham PO16 7LN

**Something Else @** The Cosham Social Club, Cosham, Portsmouth

**The Smyths : 84 @** The Wedgewood Rooms, Albert Road, Southsea PO4 0JN

**Le Freak Funk & Disco Band @** The Jolly Sailor, Clarence Parade, Southsea 8pm

**Hairforce 5 @** The Brook, Portswood Road, Portswood, Southampton SO13 3SD

**Spike & The Pieman @** The Heroes, London Road, Waterlooville PO7 7DZ

**Coda (Led Zeppelin Tribute) @** The Railway Inn, St. Paul's Hill, Winchester

**Sunday 21st**

**Mokus @** The Bird in Hand, Gosport Road, Fareham PO16 0PZ

**Sarah Saville @** The Golden Lion, Bedhampton Road, Havant PO9 3EY Start 3pm

**Live Music tbc @** The Jolly Sailor, Clarence Parade, Southsea

**Charlie Forbes @** The Heroes, London Road, Waterlooville PO7 7DZ

**Monday 22nd** Check out the open mic page (bet there's not a lot on TV!!)

**Tuesday 23rd**

**Mokus @** The George Inn, Portsdown Hill Road, Portsmouth PO6 1BE start 8.30pm

**Karaoke @** The Heroes, London Road, Waterlooville PO7 7DZ

**Wednesday 24th**

**Irish Night @** The Good Intent, College Street, Petersfield GU31 4AF 8pm start

**Thursday 25th**

**House of All @** The Wedgewood Rooms, Albert Road, Southsea PO4 0JN

**Live Music tbc @** The Barley Mow, Castle Road, Southsea PO5 3DE

**Funk and The Two Tone Baby + @** Railway, St. Paul's Hill, Winchester SO22 5AE

**FREE EVERY MONTH**

**ISSUE 5 VOL 5**

**This months quiz answers** – (1) Lobo (2) Blancmange (3) Menudo (4) Family (5) The Applejacks (7) Joe Secada (8) Johnny Shentall (Who was married to Lisa Scott-lee of Steps) (9) Danni Minogue (10) Peter Blake (11) 'Here Comes the Nice' (11) Elkie Brooks (12) The McCoys (13) The Ramsey Lewis Trio (14) Humble Pie (15) 'Emotional Rescue' (16) The Drifters (17) 'Rochdale' (18) The Proclaimers (19) 'Sorry I'm A Lady (reached uk no7 in 1978) (20) Sir Cliff Richard (21) Herman's Hermits (22) Petula Clark (23) Nicky Chinn and Mike Chapman (24) Madness (25) 'What's Out' (26) 'Snaker in the Grass' - So how did you do this month? It was that tough a? At least enjoy your music.

\*\*\*\*\*

**STEVE'S GUITAR CENTRE**

**25 Spur Road, Cosham PO6 3DY**

**02392 826 466**

**GUITARS - Acoustic and Electric**

**Accessories + Spares / Repairs & Set-ups**

**Check out our web site and facebook page**

\*\*\*\*\*

**NEW MEMBERS WELCOME**

South Downs Ukulele's meet every Thursday at The Rogate Village Hall GU31 5BH from 2pm till 4.00pm. For more information -

Google – Southdownsukes

\*\*\*\*\*

Friday 24 May 2024 Elkie Brooks live in concert with her 5 piece band appearing at The Petersfield Festival Hall, Heath Road, GU31 4EA

Doors open 7.00pm for 8.00pm show. Box office 01730 264 182.

\*\*\*\*\*

**IS THE BRITISH MUSIC SCENE IN CRISIS? AT GRASS ROOTS? OR RIGHT ACROSS THE LIVE MUSIC INDUSTRY?**

**Support your local performers and venues**

**use it or lose it!!**

\*\*\*\*\*

**COOPZ REPTILES**

**7 Market Parade, Havant phone 02392 470 581**

**We specialise in Geko's plus Frogs, chameleons**

**plus a lot more.....**

Check out our web site and facebook

**THE APRIL 'OLD CODGER' ENTERTAINMENT GUIDE**

**Friday 26th**

**Hardcase @** The Lord Raglan, Queens Street, Emsworth PO10 7NJ 8pm

**Carbon Copy @** The Bird in Hand, Gosport Road, Fareham PO16 0PZ

**Chris Baneras @** The Windsor Castle, Gosport

**Something Else @** The Park Gate Royal British Legion, Park Gate

**Dacey Riley @** The Jolly Sailor, Clarence Parade, Southsea 6.30pm start

**Doors Alive (Tribute) @** The Brook, Portswood Road, Southampton SO17 3SD

**The Mafia @** The Heroes, London Road,(in the precinct) Waterlooville PO7 7DZ

**Heavy Lungs @** The Railway Inn, St. Paul's Hill, Winchester SO22 5EA

**Saturday 27th**

**Something Else @** The Jolly Miller, 96 Miller Drive, Fareham PO16 7LN

**The Mafia @** The Ship & Castle, The Hard, Portsmouth PO1 3PU

**Sensational Debbie G @** Auckland Arms, Netley Road, Southsea PO5 3NB 8.45pm

**Tankus The Henge @** The Wedgewood Rooms, Albert Road, Southsea PO4 0JN

**The Frank & Dean Show @** The Jolly Sailor, Clarence Parade, Southsea 8pm start

**The Best of Grohl (Tribute) @** The Moonshine Night Club, Southsea

**When Rivers Meet @** The Brook, Portswood Road, Southampton SO17 3SD

**The Jaspers @** The Heroes, London Road, Waterlooville PO7 7DZ

**The Mike Parker Experience @** The Railway, St. Paul's Hill, Winchester SO22 5EA

**The Monochrome State @** O'Neill's Bar, High Street, Winchester

**Sunday 28th**

**Sykick Surfers @** The Bird in Hand, Gosport Road, Fareham PO16 0PZ

**Double X @** The Golden Lion, Bedhampton Road, Havant PO9 1BE 3pm Start

**Rum Boogie Cafe @** Auckland Arms, Netley Road, Southsea PO5 3NB 3pm start

**Emmanuel Sonubi : Curriculum viteas @** Wedgewood Rooms, Southsea

**Sunday session with Dave Barrett @** The Jolly Sailor, Southsea 6.30pm Start

**Louise Serier Jazz Session @** The Heroes, London Road, Waterlooville PO7 7DZ

**Monday 29th** See the Open Mic page or maybe an early night?

**Tuesday 30th**

**Jane Weaver @** The Wedgewood Rooms, Albert Road, Southsea PO4 0JN

\*\*\*\*\*

The gig listing is FREE if your a musician playing solo gigs, duo or band, venue with live music or a promoter then your listings will be FREE! Copy date is the 12 of the month for the following months issue.

Email [info@oldcodgermag.co.uk](mailto:info@oldcodgermag.co.uk)



**ALLEYCATS**

**OPEN MIC  
NIGHT**

**Alleycats** open mic nights have been around in Portsmouth and Southsea for over 20 years and still going strong, thanks to a loyal following of musicians, poets and audience members, plus support from the landlords of some really good venues. They have now added every other Tuesday night The Maypole, 9 Havant Road, Hayling Island PO11 0PS – details on page 4.

**FREE EVERY MONTH**

**APRIL**

**ISSUE 5 VOL 5**



# **THE PORTSMOUTH MUSIC EXPERIENCE**

**Situated in the Portsmouth Guildhall**

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

