

# CANNOCK FOLK DANCE CLUB NEWSLETTER

Chairman's Chat

We hope you all had a Merry Christmas and wish you all a very happy 2015.

Welcome to the Spring session of Folk Dancing. We can look back over another successful Autumn with some very good dancing and the regular attendance of several new members. I would like to remind everyone that we were all beginners once and were very grateful for all the patient help we received to help us get going. If we are going to keep the club growing and successful we need every existing member as well as many new members as we can get. So PLEASE help one another and welcome all new members. They will improve quickly with our help. Let's keep our club the Happy Club.

We look forward to many exciting events throughout 2015 so let's get together and have some fun.

Happy Dancing

Vicky Baker

## SPECIAL EVENTS

**Sunday afternoon Tea Dances** organised by Stafford Folk Dance Club in Walton Village Hall  
They will be advertised as barn Dances to encourage new members.  
The cost will be £2.50 and will include tea(or coffee) and a piece of cake from 2 00pm – 5 00pm  
The dates are as follows:  
**Sun 25<sup>th</sup> January, Sun 15<sup>th</sup> February, Sun 22<sup>nd</sup> March and Sun 19<sup>th</sup> April**

## OTHER DISTRICT DIARY DATES

### 2015

- Sat Jan 3      **Lichfield New Year Dance** Shenstone Village Hall 8.00pm (WS14 OJS)  
With Roy Garrington and Deo Volente
- Sun Jan 4      Stafford Music Workshop Walton Village Hall 2.30pm
- Sun Jan 11     Lichfield Advanced Dance Workshop St. Chad's Church Hall The Leasowe 8.00pm (WS13 7HD)
- Sun Feb 1      Stafford Music Workshop Walton Village Hall 2.30pm
- Sun Feb 8      Lichfield Advanced Dance Workshop St. Chad's Church Hall The Leasowe 8.00pm (WS13 7HD)
- Sat Feb 28**   **Stafford Dance** Stafford Sports College, Wolverhampton Road (A449) , Stafford ST17 9DJ  
with Ian Jones with Kendal Green 8 00pm
- Sun Mar 1      Stafford Music Workshop Walton Village Hall 2.30pm
- Fri Mar 6 - 8   **Staffordshire Weekend of Dance** at the Paddocks Hotel  
Symonds Yat West, Ross on Wye  
Caller Joe Hodgeson and The Falconers  
Contact Mrs M Stanford 33 Richard Cooper Road Shenstone 01543 480686
- Sun Mar 8      Lichfield Advanced Dance Workshop St.Chad's Church Hall The Leasowe 8.00pm (WS13 7HD)
- Sat Mar 28**   **Rugeley Dance** Armitage Village Hall 8.00pm with Geoff Cubitt & Stradivarious
- Sun Apr 12     Stafford Music Workshop Walton Village Hall 2.30pm
- Sat Apr 25**   **Lichfield Half Day of Dance** at Shenstone Village Hall 3 00 & 8.00pm (WS14 OJS)  
With David& Kathryn and 3D
- Sat May 9      **Stafford Dance** at Walton Village Hall 8.00 pm (ST17 0LD)  
Caller Victoria Yeomans with Chris & Julie Dewhurst
- Sun May 10     Stafford Music Workshop Walton Village Hall 2.30pm
- Friday 19 June to Sunday 21 June 2015 40<sup>th</sup> Lichfield Folk Festival.**  
Information from the website or Penny McLennan 01543 424292

**PTO For the Tuesday night callers**

## Tuesday Night Callers

<b>Date</b>	<b>Callers</b>
<b>6<sup>th</sup> January</b>	<b>Janet Palmer</b>
<b>13<sup>th</sup> January</b>	<b>June Caddick</b>
<b>20<sup>th</sup> January</b>	<b>Geoff Morgan</b>
<b>27<sup>th</sup> January</b>	<b>June Perry</b>
<b>3<sup>rd</sup> February</b>	<b>Suzanne Moorfield</b>
<b>10<sup>th</sup> February</b>	<b>Vicky Baker</b>
<b>17<sup>th</sup> February</b>	<b>Jean &amp; Peter Goode</b>
<b>24<sup>th</sup> February</b>	<b>Janet Palmer</b>
<b>3<sup>rd</sup> March</b>	<b>June Caddick</b>
<b>10<sup>th</sup> March</b>	<b>Penny McLennen</b>
<b>17<sup>th</sup> March</b>	<b>Eve Evans – Visiting Caller</b>
<b>24<sup>th</sup> March</b>	<b>Suzanne Moorfield</b>
<b>31<sup>st</sup> March</b>	<b>June Perry</b>
<b>7<sup>th</sup> April</b>	<b>Easter – NO CLUB</b>
<b>14<sup>th</sup> April</b>	<b>Geoff Morgan</b>
<b>21<sup>st</sup> April</b>	<b>Vicky Baker</b>
<b>28<sup>th</sup> April</b>	<b>To be announced</b>

Please find a questionnaire included with this Newsletter for you to complete about Dance Workshops.

And finally here is a quote found by a member by Martha Graham

“Nobody cares if you can’t dance well. Just get up and dance. Great dancers are great because of their passion!”