

# The Acoustic Calendar for Wessex



## May 2017

A guide to folk clubs, singarounds, acoustic sessions & open mic

*This list is based on information that may in some cases be out-of-date*

*– please check with venue before travelling*

*(See alphabetical [VENUES LIST](#) for contact details.)*

**NB:** Floor spots are not always available on club guest nights

### Monday 1<sup>st</sup> May

**BANK HOLIDAY – CANCELLATIONS LIKELY**

#### **BRISTOL:**

*For Bristol open mics go to: <http://openmicfinder.com/Bristol>*

**Bristol: *The Inn on the Green***, 2 Filton Road BS7 0PA: 8pm, singaround upstairs in the function room

**Bristol: *Merchants Arms***, Merchants Rd, Hotwells BS8 4PZ: 8.30pm-ish till 11pm sharp, Irish tunes session

**Bristol: *Nova Scotia Folk Club***, The Nova Scotia Inn, 1 Nova Scotia Place: 8pm, open stage

**Bristol: *The Three Tuns***, 78 St. George's Road: 8pm, trad. music & song session, Irish etc

**Bristol: *University of Bristol Folk Club***, Coach and Horses, 2 Highland Square BS8 2YB: 9pm

#### **DEVON:**

**Appledore** (nr. Bideford): ***Royal Hotel***, Bude Street EX39 1PS: 8:30pm to 11pm, acoustic jam session

**Clovelly** (nr. Bideford): ***Red Lion Hotel***, 48 The Quay EX39 5TF: 9pm, acoustic jam session

**Exeter: *The Oddfellows***, 60 New North Rd. EX4 4EP: 9pm, open mic

**Exmouth: *The Famous Old Barrel***, 1 Princes Street EX8 1JA: 8.30pm, acoustic open mic, all styles

**Moretonhampstead** (nr. Newton Abbot): ***White Horse Inn***, George Street TQ13 8PG: Open mic

**Northlew** (nr. Okehampton): ***The Green Dragon Inn***, The Square EX20 3NN: 8.30pm, open mic

**Torquay: *Crown and Sceptre***, 2 Pettitor Road TQ1 4QA: 8.30pm, open mic

**Totnes: *Bay Horse Inn***, 8 Cistern Street TQ9 5SP: 8.45pm, trad open music/song session

#### **DORSET:**

**Bere Regis** (nr. Wareham): ***Drax Arms***, West Street BH20 7HH: 8pm - 10pm, slow Jam, free entry

**Mosterton** (nr. Beaminster): ***The Admiral Hood*** DT8 3HJ: 8.30pm, traditional folk session

#### **GLOUCESTER:**

**Chipping Sodbury** (nr. Bristol): ***The Beaufort Hunt***, 72 Broad Street: 12 noon, song/music session

**Ebrington** (nr. Chipping Campden): ***The Ebrington Arms*** GL55 6NH: 8pm, folk session (tunes & some songs)

#### **HAMPSHIRE:**

**North Boarhunt** (nr. Fareham): ***Forest Folk***, Social Club, Trampers Lane: 7.45pm, singaround

**Pennington** (nr. Lymington): ***The Wheel Inn***, Sway Rd. SO41 8LJ: 8pm, friendly singaround, all welcome

**Portsmouth: *Thatchers Bar***, 95 London Road PO2 0BN: 9pm – 11pm, open mic, free entry

**Romsey:** *The Old House At Home*, 62 Love Lane SO51 8DE: 8pm-11pm, 'good mix of Irish and English'  
**Southampton:** *The Stile*, 163 University Rd. SO17 1TS: 9pm, *Univ. of Southampton Folk Society's* session  
**Southampton:** *The Talking Heads*, 320 Portswood Road: 8.30pm, *The Candle Club*, open mic  
**Southampton:** *The Talking Heads*, 320 Portswood Road: *Southampton Ukulele Jam Beginners Group*

### SOMERSET:

**Bath:** *The Nest*, 7 Bladud Buildings BA1 5LS: 8pm – 11pm, open mic, free drink for performers, book a slot  
**Croscombe** (nr. Wells): *The George Inn*, Long St. BA5 3QH: 7pm-ish, trad music session, all welcome  
**Glastonbury:** *Hawthorns Hotel*, 8 Northload Street BA6 9JJ: 8pm, open unplugged, acoustic/folk session  
**Glastonbury:** *The King Arthur*, 31-33 Benedict Street BA6 9NB: Free Bluegrass session  
**Uphill** (nr. Weston-super-Mare): *The Dolphin*, 82-84 Uphill Way: 8.30pm, English folk jam, all welcome

## Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> May

### BRISTOL:

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### DEVON:

**Appledore** (nr. Bideford): *The Champ*, Meeting St. EX39 1RJ: 7.30pm–10pm, *Reel Hot Folk Session*  
**Bradninch:** *Bradninch Folk Club*, Ye Old White Lion, 26 High Street EX5 4QL: 8:30pm, club night  
**Frogmore** (near Kingsbridge): *The Globe Inn* TQ7 2NR: 8.30pm, mixed folk session  
**Littlehempston** (nr. Totnes): *Tally Ho*: 8pm, 'Join the band' session with *Amber Fire Ceilidh Band*  
**Plymouth:** *Artillery Arms*, Pound Street, Stonehouse PL1 3RH: 8.30pm, mixed folk session  
**Sandford** (nr. Crediton): *The Lamb Inn*, The Square EX17 4LW: Mixed folk session (mainly song)  
**Tiverton:** *Exe Valley Voices*, Old Heathcote School Community Centre, 81 King St: 7.30pm  
**Topsham** (nr. Exeter): *The Bridge Inn*, Bridge Hill EX3 0QQ: 8pm, (mainly English) session  
**Torquay:** *Crown and Sceptre*, 2 Petitor Road TQ1 4QA: Jazz session  
**Weare Giffard** (nr. Bideford): *Dambuskers Acoustic Night*, Cyder Presse EX39 4QR: 8.30pm  
**Welcombe** (nr. Bideford): *The Old Smithy* EX39 6HG: 9pm, Jam session  
**Westward Ho!** (nr. Bideford): *The Village Inn*, Youngaton Rd. EX39 1HU: 8pm, jam session

### DORSET:

**Dorchester:** *Folk Tuesday*, Tom Brown's, 47 High East St: 7.30pm, floor spots & singaround/tune session  
**Drimpton** (nr. Beaminster): *The Royal Oak*, 1 Bridport Road DT8 3RD: Music club  
**Swanage:** *The Swanage Folk Orc*, The Globe Inn, 3 Bell St. BH19 2RY: 7pm, all welcome to join in  
**Weymouth:** *Quaystage2*, Pilgrim House, Hope Square DT4 8TU: 8pm, folk/acoustic music/songs

### GLOUCESTER:

**Frampton on Severn** (nr. Gloucester): *Folk at Frampton*, Village Hall: 7.30pm, music club, £2  
**Gloucester:** *The Fountain Inn*, 53 Westgate Street GL1 2NW: 8.30pm, (mainly) English session  
**Nailsworth** (nr. Stroud): *The George*, Newmarket GL6 0RF: 8.30pm, session and songs in the bar  
**Winchcombe:** *White Hart Inn*, High Street GL54 5LJ: 8pm, folk club

### HAMPSHIRE:

**Portsmouth:** *The George Inn*, Portsdown Hill Rd. PO6 1BE: 9pm, acoustic session, all welcome

### SOMERSET:

**Bath:** *The Barley Mow*, 32 Bathwick Street BA2 6NZ: 9:30pm, Irish session  
**Bath:** *Pig and Fiddle*, 2 Saracen Street BA1 5BR: 8pm, open mic, all performance styles  
**Bradford On Tone** (nr. Taunton): *The White Horse* TA4 1HF: 8pm, American Old Time (Appalachian)  
**Bridgwater:** *Bridgwater Morning Voices*, Bridgwater Arts Centre, 11-13 Castle St: 10.30am, £4, choir  
**Burnham on Sea:** *The Waterfront Bar*, 8 Esplanade TA8 1BE: 8.30pm, unplugged acoustic session  
**Cheddar:** *Moor Voices*, Hannah More Cottage, Lower North St: 7pm – 8.30pm, folk choir for beginners  
**Glastonbury:** *Hawthorns Hotel*, 8 Northload Street BA6 9JJ: 8.30pm, open mic, all styles & abilities  
**Nailsea** (near Bristol): *Blue Flame*, West End BS48 4DE: 8.30pm, informal singers/musicians night

**North Cadbury** (nr. ): *Catash Inn*, Cary Rd: 7.30pm–10.30pm, Folk/Acoustic Club, book a slot  
**Pitminster** (nr. Taunton): *Queens Arms* TA3 7AZ: 8pm, American Old Time (Appalachian) session  
**Priddy** (near Wells): *Hunters Lodge* BA5 3AR: 7.30pm onwards, instrumental session.  
**Watchet**: *The Esplanade Club*, 6 The Esplanade (Harbourside) TA23 0AJ: 8.30pm, open mic, PA

### WILTSHIRE:

**Bradford-on-Avon**: *Bradford-on-Avon Folk Club*, The Swan Hotel, 1 Church Street: 8pm in the cellar bar

## Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> May

### BRISTOL:

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### DEVON:

**Appledore** (nr. Bideford): *The Champ*, 5 Meeting St. EX39 1RJ: 9pm – 11pm, *Blues Night*, open mic  
**Appledore** (nr. Bideford): *Royal Hotel*, Bude Street EX39 1PS: 8pm, *The Maverick Session*, jam night  
**Bow** (nr. Crediton): *White Hart* EX17 6EN: 8.00pm, Irish music session  
**Exeter**: *The Angel Bar*, 32 Queen Street EX4 3SR: 8:30pm – 11pm, open mic, free entry  
**Kingsbridge**: *The Creeks End Inn*, Squares Quay TQ7 1HZ: 8pm-ish, open mic session  
**Plymouth**: *Devonport Folk*, St. Aubyn's Church, Chapel Street, Devonport PL1 4DP : 7.30pm, music session  
**Seaton**: *Jurassic Folk and Jam*, The Eyre Court Hotel, 2 Queen St. EX12 2NY: 7.30pm, free entry  
**Sidmouth**: *East Devon Folk Song Club*, The Anchor Inn, Old Fore Street EX10 8LP: 7.30pm, trad. singaround  
**South Brent**: *The Royal Oak*, Station Road TQ10 9BE: 8.30pm, traditional folk and song  
**Swimbridge** (nr. Barnstaple): *The Jack Russell* EX32 0PN: 8.30pm, jam session (some songs)  
**Totnes**: *The Albert*, 32 Bridgetown TQ9 5AD: 8pm, open mic

### DORSET:

**Boscombe** (nr. Bournemouth): *Chaplin's Cellar Bar*, 529 Christchurch Rd BH1 4AG: 9.30pm, open mic  
**Bournemouth**: *Brunny Folk*, Brunswick Hotel, 199 Malmesbury Park Rd: 7.30pm for 8pm  
**Bridport**: *The Ropemakers*, 36 West Street Mews DT6 3QP: 8:30pm, Open Mic Night, hosted by Kes  
**Charmouth** (nr. Bridport): *Royal Oak*, The Street DT6 6PE: 8pm, folk & acoustic session  
**Dorchester**: *Blue Raddle*, 9 Church Street DT1 1JN: 8.30pm, open traditional music session  
**Pulham** (nr. Dorchester): *The Halsey Community Choir*, The Halsey Arms: 7pm, all welcome  
**Swanage**: *The Black Swan*, 159 High St. BH19 2NE: 9pm-11pm, *The Folk Orc Folk Club*, floor spots  
**Weymouth**: *Wessex Folk Nite*, The Sailor's Return, 1 St. Nicholas St: 8pm, music & song

### GLOUCESTER:

**Gloucester**: *Cross Keys Inn*, Cross Keys Lane GL1 2HQ: 8:30pm – 11:30pm, acoustic open mic, free  
**South Cerney** (nr. Cirencester): *Eliot Arms*, Clarks Hay GL7 5UA: Music session  
**Stroud**: *Song Sessions At The Little Vic*, Queen Victoria Inn, 5 Gloucester St. GL5 1QG: 8.30pm

### HAMPSHIRE:

**Lymington**: *Lymington Folk & Blues Club*, The Thomas Tripp, Stanford Road SO41 9GF: 8pm  
**Portsmouth**: *Broadside Folk Club*, Old House At Home, 104 Locksway Road, Southsea, PO4 8JR: 8pm  
**Southampton**: *The Hop Inn*, Wood Mill Lane SO18 2PH: 8.30pm, *Folk at the Riverside*, songs/tunes  
**Winchester**: *Winchester Folk Club*, Railway Inn, 3 St Pauls Hill SO22 5AE: 8pm, Club Night, £5

### SOMERSET:

**Bath**: *Bath Acoustic Music Club*, St. James' Wine Vaults, St. James Square BA1 2TW: 8pm  
**Bath**: *The Royal Oak*, Lower Bristol Road BA2 3BW: 8.30pm, English music session  
**Bathpool** (nr. Taunton): *Bathpool Chapel*, 103 Bridgwater Road TA2 8BD: 8pm, singers/musicians circle  
**Bawdrip** (near Bridgwater): *Knowle Inn*, 115 Bath Road TA7 8PN: 8.30pm, jam session  
**Bayford** (nr. Wincanton): *The Unicorn Inn* BA9 9NL: 7.30/8pm, music session  
**Blue Anchor** (near Minehead): *Celtic Session*, Blue Anchor Hotel TA24 6JP: 8:30pm, all welcome  
**Bridgwater**: *Arts Centre*, Castle Street TA6 3DD: 7.30pm – 9pm in the Studio, community choir session

**Bruton:** *Castle Inn*, 45-49 High Street BA10 0AW: Open Mic  
**Clevedon:** *The Moon & Sixpence*, 15 The Beach BS21 7QU: 9pm, open mic  
**Draycott** (nr. Cheddar): *The Cider Barn* BS27 3RU: 7.30pm – 9.30pm, open mic, free drink for all performers  
**Flax Bourton** (nr. Bristol): *The Greedy Goose*, Gatcombe Farm BS48 3QT: 8.30pm, open mic, PA  
**Glastonbury:** *The King Arthur*, 31-33 Benedict Street BA6 9NB: Open mic  
**Highbridge:** *The Coopers Arms*, 24 Market Street: 8pm – 11:30pm, open mic, free entry, all genres  
**Horsington** (nr. Templecombe): *The Half Moon Inn* BA8 0EF: 8.45pm, musicians/singers, FREE  
**Minehead:** *The Quay Inn*, Quay Street TA24 5UJ: 8pm – 11pm, open mic  
**Wellington:** *The Cottage Inn*, 31 Champford Lane TA21 8BH: 8.30pm, acoustic session  
**Wells:** *The Full Moon*, 42 Southover BA5 1UH: 8pm – 11pm, open mic, hosted by Ross Kirk, free entry  
**Yeovil:** *Woods Wine Bar*, 70 Middle Street BA20 1LU: 8pm, open mic

### WILTSHIRE:

**Highworth** (nr. Swindon): *White Horse Folk Club*, St. Michael's Church Room: 8pm, *Bring own drink*  
**Swindon:** *The Nine Elms*, Old Shaw Lane, Nine Elms SN5 5PD: 8:30pm, (mainly) bluegrass session

## Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> May

### BRISTOL:

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**Bristol:** *The Farm Pub*, Hopetoun Rd, St. Werburghs BS2 9YL: 8.30pm, Irish trad session, open to all  
**Bristol:** *The Kingfisher Cafe*, 17 Straits Parade BS16 2LE: 7pm to 9.30pm, acoustic open floor

### DEVON:

**Appledore** (nr. Bideford): *The Champ*, 5 Meeting St: 9pm–11.30pm, *Pete-G's Eclectic Open Mic*  
**Bideford:** *Bideford Folk Club*, The Joiner's Arms, 6 Market Place EX39 2DR: 7.30pm, all welcome, *free*  
**Bishopsteignton** (nr. Teignmouth): *Red Rock Brewery*, Higher Humber Farm: 7.30pm, acoustic night  
**Brixham:** *Quayside Hotel*, 49 King St. TQ5 9TJ: 8pm, Folk Night in the Ernie Lister Bar, music/song  
**Buckfastleigh:** *The Globe Inn*, 123 Plymouth Road TQ11 0DA: 8.30pm – 11pm, unplugged jam session  
**Churchstow** (nr. Kingsbridge): *Church House Inn* TQ7 3QW: 8.15pm, music session  
**Denbury** (nr. Newton Abbot): *Union Inn*, The Green TQ12 6DQ: 9pm, acoustic mixed session  
**Exmouth:** *The Bicton Inn*, 5 Bicton St. EX8 2RU: 8.30pm, folk session  
**Okehampton:** *Plymouth Inn*, 26 West St. EX20 1HH: 9pm – 11pm, jam, small PA  
**Plymouth:** *Minerva Inn*, 31 Looe Street PL4 0EA: 8.30pm, folk session (music & singing)  
**Totnes:** *Bay Horse Inn*, 8 Cistern Street TQ9 5SP: 8.45pm, Eli's open session, all styles  
**Willand** (nr. Cullompton): *Methodist Church Hall*: 7.30pm, *The More the Merrier*, folk dance music

### DORSET:

**Christchurch:** *The Coda Folk Orc*, CODA Music Centre, Chewton Farm Rd. BH23 5QL: 7.30pm, all welcome  
**Dorchester:** *The George*, Trinity Street DT1 1TU: 8.30pm, *Howl Open Mic*  
**Portland:** *The Cove House Inn*, Chiswell Green Lane: 8.30pm, trad tune session, all welcome  
**West Parley** (nr. Bournemouth): *Owls Nest*, 196 Christchurch Rd. BH22 8SS: 8pm, Irish session  
**Wimborne:** *Wimborne Folk Club*, The Horns Inn, Burt's Hill BH21 7AA: 8.15pm, singaround, free

### GLOUCESTER:

**Chipping Sodbury** (nr. Bristol): *Chipping Sodbury Folk Night*, Beaufort Hunt, 72 Broad Street: 8pm  
**Frampton Cotterell** (nr. Bristol): *Crossbow House*, School Road BS36 2DB: 2pm-3.30pm, singalong  
**Kempley** (nr. Dymock): *Village Hall*: GL18 2BP: Music session  
**Prestbury** (nr. Cheltenham): *The Plough*, Mill St, GL52 3BG: Music session  
**Stroud:** *Minchinhampton Folk Club*, Old Crown, Paganhill, Park End: 8.15pm, come early for a spot

### HAMPSHIRE:

**Bishops Waltham** (nr. Southampton): *Nonsuch Folk Club*, Social Club: 8pm, singaround, *ring first*  
**Blackwater** (nr. Camberley): *Windmill Acoustic Sessions*, Crown & Cushion, Minley Rd: 8.30pm  
**Pennington** (nr. Lymington): *The Musketeer*, 26 North St. SO41 8FZ: 9pm, sing-a-round  
**Petersfield:** *The Good Intent*, 40-46 College Street GU31 4AF: 8.30pm, open mic & jam night

## SOMERSET:

**Bath:** *The Blind Tiger Playgroup*, The Bell, 103 Walcot St. BA1 5BW: Open mic, 8.30pm

**Burnham-on-sea:** *Ritz Acoustic Club*, 24 Victoria St TA8 1AN: 8pm, open mic

**Cheddar:** *Moor Harmony*, Hannah More Cottage, Lower North St. BS27 3HE: 7pm – 8.30pm, folk choir

**Weston Super Mare:** *Cheers*, 124 High St: 9pm – 1am, acoustic night in the back bar, open mic

**Weston-super-Mare:** *The London Inn/The London Oak*, 110-114 High St BS23 1HP: 9pm, open mic

## WILTSHIRE:

**Corsham:** *Acoustic Oak*, The Royal Oak, 72 High Street SN13 0HF: 8pm, music & song

**Swindon:** *The Sun Inn*, Coate SN3 6AA: 7.30pm(-sh), open mic with the *Chisledon Jammers*

## Friday 5<sup>th</sup> May

### BRISTOL:

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**Bristol:** *Dragon Folk Club, Bridge Inn*, Main Road, Shortwood, Mangotsfield BS16 9NG: 8.15pm

### DEVON:

**Beer** (nr. Seaton): *The Dolphin Hotel*, Fore St. EX12 3EQ: 9pm – 11pm, open mic

**Bere Ferrers** (near Yelverton): *Old Plough* PL20 7JL: 8.30pm, open mic

**Brixham:** *Brixham Folk Club*, Brixham Theatre, Bolton Square: 7.30pm in the Lounge Bar

**Exeter:** *The Barnfield Music Club*, Barnfield Theatre: 7.45pm, open mic, musicians/singers, £1

**Haytor** (nr. Newton Abbot): *Tinpickle and Rhum* TQ13 9XT: 7pm, *Tinpickle Session*, tunes & songs

**Torquay:** *Crown and Sceptre*, 2 Petitor Road TQ1 4QA: 8.30pm, folk session

### DORSET:

**Chickerell** (near Weymouth): *The Victoria Inn* DT3 4EA: 8pm, acoustic session

### HAMPSHIRE:

**New Milton:** *Memorial Centre*, Whitefield Rd. BH25 6DE: Blues night, 7.30pm for 8pm

**Southampton:** *Fo'c'sle Folk Club*, The Richmond Inn, 108 Portswood Rd, Portswood: 8pm

### SOMERSET:

**Bath:** *The Star Inn*, 23 Vineyards BA1 5NA: 8.30pm, music session – mainly Irish

**Horton Cross** (nr. Ilminster): *The Monks Yard*, Horton Cross Farm TA19 9PT: 7.30pm, acoustic session

**Milverton:** *Milverton Music Club*, The Victoria Rooms, Fore Street: 7.45pm, BRING DRINKS

**Panborough:** *Mr Punch's Folk Club*, The Panborough Inn BA5 1PN: 8pm, £1 entrance

**Redhill** (nr. Bristol): *Redhill Village Hall Club*, Church Road BS40 5SG: 8pm – 11pm, open mic

**Taunton:** *The Creative Innovation Centre*, Memorial Hall, Paul St. TA1 3PF: 7.30pm, open mic, book a slot

### WILTSHIRE:

**Swindon:** *Swindon Folksingers Club*, Ashford Rd Social Club (upstairs) SN1 3NT: 8.15pm – 11pm

**Trowbridge:** *The Village Pump Folk Club*, The Lamb Inn, Mortimer St. BA14 8BN: 8pm, floor spots

## Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> May

### BRISTOL:

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**Bristol:** *The Saltcellar Folk Club*, Totterdown Baptist Church, Wells Rd. BS4 2AX: 7.30pm

### SOMERSET:

**Ashcott** (near Bridgwater): *Ring o'Bells* TA7 9PZ: 8.30pm, musicians, singers, jamming

## Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> May

## BRISTOL:

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## DEVON:

Appledore (nr. Bideford): *The Beaver*, 95 Irsha St: 8:30pm, *Baz's Sunday Marmalade* (jam session)

Appledore (nr. Bideford): *Coach & Horses*, 5 Market Street EX39 1PW: 4pm onwards, folk session

Lee Mill Bridge (near Ivybridge): *Folk on the Moor*, The Westward Inn PL21 9EE: 8pm

Paignton: *The Parkers Arms*, 343 - 347 Totnes Road TQ4 7DE: 4pm, open mic, hosted by Chris Thomas

Plymouth: *The Dolphin*, 14 The Barbican PL1 2LS: 1.30pm onwards, mixed session (some songs)

Plymouth: *The Morley Arms*, Billacombe Road PL9 7HP: 3pm - 6pm, bluegrass, blues & skiffle session

Sticklepath (nr. Okehampton): *Devonshire Inn* EX20 2NW: Mixed folk session - music & song

Topsham (near Exeter): *The Bridge Inn*, Bridge Hill EX3 0QQ: 1pm, Lunchtime Folk Session

Topsham (nr. Exeter): *Topsham Folk Club*, The Globe Hotel, 34 Fore Street: 7.30pm in the Malt House

## DORSET:

Laymore (nr. Winsham, Chard): *The Squirrel Inn* TA20 4NT: 3pm, *Howl Open Mic*

Poole: *Branksome Railway Hotel*, 429 Poole Rd: 3pm – 5.30pm, singaround run by Mick Ryan

Portland: *The George Inn*, 133 Reforne DT5 2AP: 7pm to 11pm, Irish session, trad tunes & songs

Wimborne: *Brunny Folk*, Royal British Legion Club, West Borough BH21 1LT: 7pm till 10pm, *book a slot*

## GLOUCESTER:

Whitecroft (nr. Lydney): *Forest Folk Club*, Royal Oak, Park Hill GL15 4PG: 7.30pm for 8pm start

## HAMPSHIRE:

Bursledon (nr. Southampton): *Woolston & Bursledon Folk Club*, Village Hall SO31 8BZ: 7:30pm

Southampton: *The Talking Heads*, 320 Portswood Road SO17 2TD: 2pm, trad Irish session

## SOMERSET:

Axbridge: *The Oak House*, The Square BS26 2AP: 8pm – 11pm, open acoustic night in the bar

Bath: *The Royal Oak*, Lower Bristol Road BA2 3BW: 8pm, French music session

Crowcombe: *Sunday Club*, Halsway Manor TA4 4BD: 8pm, folk / acoustic music & song

East Harptree (nr. Bristol): *Waldegrave Arms*, Church Lane BS40 6BD: 3pm, open mic, hosted by Ross Kirk

Frome: *The Cornerhouse*, 1 Christchurch Street East BA11 1QA: 8pm, mixed/jazz jam session

Glastonbury: *Hawthorns Hotel*, 8 Northload Street BA6 9JJ: 5pm till 7pm, blues jam

Minehead: *The Britannia Inn*, 1 Manor Road, Alcombe TA24 6EH: 4pm - 8pm, open acoustic session

Pensford (nr. Bristol): *The Sunday Social(ist)*, George & Dragon, High St: 2pm-5pm, acoustic session

Sampford Arundel (nr. Wellington): *The Beambridge Inn* TA21 0HB: 7pm, open mic with Mark Venus

Taunton: *The Plough Inn*, 75 Station Road: 8.30pm, open mic, all genres, *free drink for performers*

Wellington: *Rule 7*, 21 High Street TA21 8QT: Open mic

## WILTSHIRE:

Chippenham: *Old Road Tavern*, Old Road SN15 1JA: 9pm, Irish session

# Monday 8<sup>th</sup> May

## BRISTOL:

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Bristol: *Nova Scotia Folk Club*, The Nova Scotia Inn, 1 Nova Scotia Place: 8pm, open stage

Bristol: *The Three Tuns*, 78 St. George's Road: 8pm, trad. music & song session, Irish etc

Bristol: *University of Bristol Folk Club*, Coach and Horses, 2 Highland Square BS8 2YB: 9pm

## DEVON:

Appledore (nr. Bideford): *Royal Hotel*, Bude Street EX39 1PS: 8:30pm to 11pm, acoustic jam session

Chittlehampton (nr. Umberleigh): *The Bell Inn* EX37 9QL: 8pm, music session

Exeter: *The Oddfellows*, 60 New North Rd. EX4 4EP: 9pm, open mic

Exmouth: *The Famous Old Barrel*, 1 Princes Street EX8 1JA: 8.30pm, acoustic open mic, all styles

**Kingsteignton** (nr. Newton Abbot): *Acoustic Warehouse*, Passage House: 7.30pm, open stage, £1  
**Plymouth**: *The Dolphin*, 14 The Barbican PL1 2LS: 7.30pm, Come All Ye, mixed tunes and song session  
**South Zeal** (nr. Okehampton): *King's Arms* EX20 2JP: 9pm till 11pm, open mic  
**Topsham** (nr. Exeter): *Blues at the Bridge*, the Bridge Inn EX3 0QQ: 8pm, open mic & blues jam  
**Torquay**: *Crown and Sceptre*, 2 Petitor Road TQ1 4QA: 8.30pm, open mic  
**Welcombe** (nr. Bideford): *The Old Smithy* EX39 6HG: 9pm till late, *Folk Night*

### DORSET:

**Blandford Forum**: *The Royal British Legion*, Church lane DT11 7AD: 8pm, American old-time session  
**Bournemouth**: *The Cricketers Folk Club*, The Cricketers Arms BH1 4RN: 8pm, guests & floor spots  
**Cattistock** (near Dorchester): *Fox & Hounds*, Duck St. DT2 0JH: 8-ish till late-ish, folk session  
**Dorchester**: *Tom Brown's*, 47 High East Street DT1 1HU: 9pm, *Troubadour Showcase*, 100% original songs

### HAMPSHIRE:

**Pennington** (nr. Lymington): *The Wheel Inn*, Sway Rd. SO41 8LJ: 8pm, friendly singaround, all welcome  
**Portsmouth**: *Thatchers Bar*, 95 London Road PO2 0BN: 9pm – 11pm, open mic, free entry  
**Romsey**: *The Old House At Home*, 62 Love Lane SO51 8DE: 8pm-11pm, 'good mix of Irish and English'  
**Southampton**: *The Stile*, 163 University Rd. SO17 1TS: 9pm, *Univ. of Southampton Folk Society's* session  
**Southampton**: *The Talking Heads*, 320 Portswood Road: 8.30pm, *The Candle Club*, open mic  
**Southampton**: *The Talking Heads*, 320 Portswood Road SO17 2TD: *Southampton Ukulele Jam*  
**Winchester**: *The Hyde Tavern*, 57 Hyde Street SO23 7DY: 8pm, Traditional folk jam

### SOMERSET:

**Bath**: *The Nest*, 7 Bladud Buildings BA1 5LS: 8pm – 11pm, open mic, free drink for performers, book a slot  
**Croscombe** (nr. Wells): *The George Inn*, Long St. BA5 3QH: 7pm-ish, trad music session, all welcome  
**Glastonbury**: *Hawthorns Hotel*, 8 Northload Street BA6 9JJ: 8pm, open unplugged, acoustic/folk session  
**Priddy** (near Wells): *The Queen Victoria*, Pelting Drove BA5 3BA: 8.45pm, folk session, all welcome  
**Crewkerne**: *The Royal Oak*, 54 Hermitage St. TA18 8ET: 8.30pm, Howl Open Mic

### WILTSHIRE:

**Bradford on Avon**: *The Bear*, 26 Silver Street BA15 1JY: 8.30pm, English traditional session  
**Devizes**: *Devizes Folk Club*, The Lamb Inn, 20 St John's St: 8pm, floor spot discounts  
**Dilton Marsh** (nr. Westbury): *The Prince of Wales*, 94 High Street: 8pm, acoustic music & song  
**Highworth** (nr. Swindon): *Rose & Crown*, The Green SN6 7DB: 8.30pm, folk, roots & acoustic session  
**Swindon**: *The Beehive*, 55 Prospect Hill SN1 3JS: 8.30pm, folk, roots and acoustic music session

## Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> May

### BRISTOL:

*For Bristol open mics go to: <http://openmicfinder.com/Bristol>*

**Bristol**: *The Cross Hands*, 1 Staple Hill Rd. Fishponds BS16 5AA: 8pm, acoustic folk club, £2 entry

### DEVON:

**Appledore** (nr. Bideford): *The Champ*, Meeting St. EX39 1RJ: 7.30pm–10pm, *Reel Hot Folk Session*  
**Exmouth**: *The Bicton Inn*, 5 Bicton St. EX8 2RU: 8.30pm, open mic night  
**South Brent**: *Pack Horse Hotel*, Plymouth Road TQ10 9BH: Mixed folk session - mainly song  
**Tiverton**: *Exe Valley Voices*, Old Heathcote School Community Centre, 81 King St: 7.30pm  
**Torquay**: *Crown and Sceptre*, 2 Petitor Road TQ1 4QA: Jazz session  
**Weare Giffard** (nr. Bideford): *Dambuskers Acoustic Night*, Cyder Presse EX39 4QR: 8.30pm  
**Welcombe** (nr. Bideford): *The Old Smithy* EX39 6HG: 9pm, Jam session  
**Westward Ho!** (nr. Bideford): *The Village Inn*, Youngaton Rd. EX39 1HU: 8pm, jam session

### DORSET:

**Bridport**: *The Woodman Inn*, 61 South Street DT6 3NZ: 8.30pm, singers and musicians welcome  
**Dorchester**: *Folk Tuesday*, Tom Brown's, 47 High East St: 7.30pm, floor spots & singaround/tune session

## GLOUCESTER:

**Dursley:** *Ye Olde Dursley Hotel* (formerly the *Old Bell*), 13 Long Street GL11 4HL: 8pm, music session  
**Frampton on Severn** (nr. Gloucester): *Folk at Frampton*, Village Hall: 7.30pm, music club, £2  
**Gloucester:** *England's Glory*, 66-68 London Road GL1 3PB: 8.30pm, (mainly English) music session  
**Gloucester:** *Great Western*, 91 Alfred Street GL1 4BU: (Mainly) Irish music session  
**Nailsworth** (nr. Stroud): *The George*, Newmarket GL6 0RF: 8.30pm, session and songs in the bar  
**Oakridge Lynch** (nr. Stroud) *The Butchers Arms* GL6 7NZ: 8pm, Irish music session

## HAMPSHIRE:

**Farrington:** *Green Man Folk Club* – see *Lower Farringdon*  
**Lower Farringdon** (nr. Alton): *Green Man Folk Club*, Golden Pheasant, Gosport Road: singaround  
**Petersfield:** *The Good Intent*, 40-46 College Street GU31 4AF: 7pm, acoustic tunes and songs  
**Portsmouth:** *The George Inn*, Portsdown Hill Rd. PO6 1BE: 9pm, acoustic session, all welcome  
**Ringwood:** *Ringwood Folk Club*, Bisterne Village Hall, B3347 BH24 3BN, 8pm, *Bring own drinks*  
**Southampton:** *Junction Inn*, Priory Rd, St. Denys SO17 2JZ: 8:30pm, English tunes session

## SOMERSET:

**Ash** (nr. Martock): *The Bell Inn*, Main Street TA12 6NS: 8.30pm, traditional folk session  
**Bath:** *The Barley Mow*, 32 Bathwick Street BA2 6NZ: 9:30pm, Irish session  
**Bath:** *Pig and Fiddle*, 2 Saracen Street BA1 5BR: 8pm, open mic, all performance styles  
**Bridgwater:** *Bridgwater Morning Voices*, Bridgwater Arts Centre, 11-13 Castle St: 10.30am, £4, choir  
**Burnham on Sea:** *The Waterfront Bar*, 8 Esplanade TA8 1BE: 8.30pm, unplugged acoustic session  
**Cheddar:** *Moor Voices*, Hannah More Cottage, Lower North St: 7pm – 8.30pm, folk choir for beginners  
**Glastonbury:** *Hawthorns Hotel*, 8 Northload Street BA6 9JJ: 8.30pm, open mic, all styles & abilities  
**Midsomer Norton** (nr. Radstock): *The White Hart*, 7 The Island BA3 2HQ: 8pm, acoustic open mic, PA  
**Nailsea** (nr. Bristol): *Nailsea Folk Club Singers & Musicians Night*, Grove Sports Centre, 8pm, free entry  
**Priddy** (near Wells): *Hunters Lodge* BA5 3AR: 7.30pm onwards, instrumental session.  
**Watchet:** *Pebbles Tavern*, 24 Market Street TA23 0AN: 8pm, acoustic evening, no amps, play/sing

## WILTSHIRE:

**Bradford-on-Avon:** *Bradford-on-Avon Folk Club*, The Swan Hotel, 1 Church Street: 8pm in the cellar bar  
**Maiden Bradley:** *Somerset Arms*, Church Street BA12 7HW: 8.30pm, singers and musicians night

# Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> May

## BRISTOL:

*For Bristol open mics go to: <http://openmicfinder.com/Bristol?>*

**Bristol:** *The Crown Inn*, 14 High Street, Staple Hill BS16 5HP: 8pm, tune sets plus a few songs

## DEVON:

**Appledore** (nr. Bideford): *The Champ*, 5 Meeting St. EX39 1RJ: 9pm – 11pm, *Blues Night*, open mic  
**Appledore** (nr. Bideford): *Royal Hotel*, Bude Street EX39 1PS: 8pm, *The Maverick Session*, jam night  
**Bradninch:** *Bradninch Acoustic Music Club*, The Baptist Church Hall, Millway EX5 4NL: 8pm, £1.50  
**Exeter:** *The Angel Bar*, 32 Queen Street EX4 3SR: 8:30pm – 11pm, open mic, free entry  
**Exeter:** *The Globe*, 39 Clifton Road, Newtown EX1 2BL: Gypsy Jazz session  
**Honiton:** *Beehive Folk & Acoustic*, Beehive Arts Centre, Dowell Street EX14 1LZ: 7.30pm in the bar  
**Lympstone** (near Exmouth): *Lympstone Folk*, The Globe EX8 5EY: 9pm, small, friendly club  
**Newton Abbot:** *Ye Olde Cider Bar*, 99 East St. TQ12 2LD: Music session  
**South Brent:** *The Royal Oak*, Station Road TQ10 9BE: 7.30pm – 8.30pm, *Children's Folk Night*  
**South Brent:** *The Royal Oak*, Station Road TQ10 9BE: 8.30pm, traditional folk and song  
**Torquay:** *Crown and Sceptre*, 2 Petitor Road TQ1 4QA: Appalachian session  
**Totnes:** *The Albert*, 32 Bridgetown TQ9 5AD: 8pm, open mic  
**Totnes:** *Bay Horse Inn*, 8 Cistern Street TQ9 5SP: 8.45pm, trad singing session (British folk)

## DORSET:

**Boscombe** (nr. Bournemouth): *Chaplin's Cellar Bar*, 529 Christchurch Rd BH1 4AG: 9.30pm, open mic



**Pulham** (nr. Dorchester): *The Halsey Community Choir*, The Halsey Arms: 7pm, all welcome  
**Weymouth**: *Wessex Folk Nite*, The Sailor's Return, 1 St. Nicholas St: 8pm, music & song

### GLOUCESTER:

**Gloucester**: *Cross Keys Inn*, Cross Keys Lane GL1 2HQ: 8:30pm – 11:30pm, “acoustic open mic”, free  
**Nailsworth** (nr. Stroud): *The Old Village Inn*, Bath Road GL6 0HH: 8.30pm, open mic, all welcome  
**Stroud**: *Mr Twitchett's Coffee House & Bar*, Subscription Rooms, George St: *Twitchetts Live* (session)

### HAMPSHIRE:

**Hambledon** (nr. Waterlooville): *Hambledon Folk Club*, Village Hall, West Street PO7 4RW: 8:30pm  
**Portsmouth**: *Broadside Folk Club*, Old House At Home, 104 Locksway Road, Southsea, PO4 8JR: 8pm  
**Southampton**: *The Hop Inn*, Wood Mill Lane SO18 2PH: 8.30pm, *Folk at the Riverside*, songs/tunes

### SOMERSET:

**Bath**: *The Royal Oak*, Lower Bristol Road BA2 3BW: 8.30pm, Irish music session  
**Bridgwater**: *Arts Centre*, Castle Street TA6 3DD: 7.30pm – 9pm in the Studio, community choir session  
**Bridgwater**: *Arts Centre*, Castle Street TA6 3DD: 8pm – 10.30pm, free folk session  
**Clevedon**: *The Moon & Sixpence*, 15 The Beach BS21 7QU: 9pm, open mic  
**Doultong** (nr Shepton Mallet): *The Beacon Acoustic Club*, The Waggon & Horses BA4 4LA: 8pm  
**Glastonbury**: *The King Arthur*, 31-33 Benedict Street BA6 9NB: Open mic  
**Watchet**: *The Bell Inn*, 3 Market Street TA23 0AN: 8pm, open mic, run by Gillian Taplin  
**Yeovil**: *Woods Wine Bar*, 70 Middle Street BA20 1LU: 8pm, open mic

### WILTSHIRE:

**Bradford-on-Avon**: *The Swan Hotel*, 1 Church Street BA15 1LN: Irish Session, 8.30pm  
**Swindon**: *The Nine Elms*, Old Shaw Lane, Nine Elms SN5 5PD: 8:30pm, (mainly) bluegrass session

## Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> May

### BRISTOL:

For **Bristol open mics** go to: <http://openmicfinder.com/Bristol>

**Bristol**: *The Kingfisher Cafe*, 17-18 Straits Parade BS16 2LE: 7pm to 9.30pm, acoustic open floor

### DEVON:

**Appledore** (nr. Bideford): *The Champ*, 5 Meeting St: 9pm–11.30pm, *Pete-G's Eclectic Open Mic*  
**Bideford**: *Bideford Folk Club*, The Joiner's Arms, 6 Market Place EX39 2DR: 7.30pm, all welcome, *free*  
**Bishopsteignton** (nr. Teignmouth): *Red Rock Brewery*, Higher Humber Farm: 7.30pm, acoustic night  
**Brixham**: *BBT2 (Brixham Blues Second Thursday)*, Maritime Inn, 79 King St: 8.30pm, floor spots  
**Buckfastleigh**: *The Globe Inn*, 123 Plymouth Road TQ11 0DA: 8.30pm – 11pm, open mic  
**Denbury** (nr. Newton Abbot): *Union Inn*, The Green TQ12 6DQ: 9pm, acoustic mixed session  
**Lydford** (nr. Okehampton): *The Castle Inn* EX20 4BH: Open mic, mainly acoustic instruments  
**Marldon** (nr. Paignton) *Ye Olde Smokey House*, Vicarage Rd: 7.30pm, *Folk Plus Acoustic Music Club*  
**Plymouth**: *Minerva Inn*, 31 Looe Street PL4 0EA: 8.30pm, folk session (music & singing)  
**Totnes**: *Bay Horse Inn*, 8 Cistern Street TQ9 5SP: 8.45pm, Eli's open session, all styles  
**Totnes**: *Totnes Folk Song Club*, Dartmouth Inn, 28 Warland TQ9 5EL: 8pm

### DORSET:

**Child Okeford** (nr Blandford Forum): *The Baker Arms*: 8pm, folk club format, all welcome  
**Christchurch**: *The Coda Folk Orc*, CODA Music Centre, Chewton Farm Rd. BH23 5QL: 7.30pm, all welcome  
**Dorchester**: *The George*, Trinity Street DT1 1TU: 8.30pm, *Howl Open Mic*  
**Edmondsham** (nr. Wimborne): *Acoustic night at Folk in the Hut*, Edmondsham Hut BH21: 8pm  
**Portland**: *The Cove House Inn*, Chiswell Green Lane: 8.30pm, trad tune session, all welcome  
**Wimborne**: *Wimborne Folk Club*, The Horns Inn, Burt's Hill BH21 7AA: 8.15pm, singaround, free

### GLOUCESTER:

**Prestbury** (nr. Cheltenham): *The Plough*, Mill St, GL52 3BG: Music session

**Sapperton** (nr. Cirencester): *The Daneway Inn* GL7 6LN: 8.30pm, eclectic folk session  
**Stroud**: *Minchinhampton Folk Club*, Old Crown, Paganhill, Park End: 8.15pm, come early for a spot

### HAMPSHIRE:

**Bishops Waltham** (nr. Southampton): *Nonsuch Folk Club*, Social Club: 8pm, singaround, *ring first*  
**Blackwater** (nr. Camberley): *Windmill Acoustic Sessions*, Crown & Cushion, Minley Rd: 8.30pm  
**Milford on Sea** (near Lymington): *Folk Club*, Community Centre, Sea Road SO41 0PH: 7.30pm  
**Pennington** (nr. Lymington): *The Musketeer*, 26 North St. SO41 8FZ: 9pm, sing-a-round  
**Petersfield**: *The Good Intent*, 40-46 College Street GU31 4AF: 8.30pm, open mic & jam night  
**Portsmouth**: *Shenanigan's Irish Bar*, 57 Osborne Rd, Southsea PO5 3LS: 7.30pm, Irish session

### SOMERSET:

**Ash** (nr. Martock): *Songs and Things*, The Bell Inn, Main Street TA12 6NS: 8.30pm, mainly singing  
**Bath**: *The Blind Tiger Playgroup*, The Bell, 103 Walcot St. BA1 5BW: Open mic, 8.30pm  
**Bath**: *The Rec House*, High Street, Twerton BA2 1DQ: 8pm, open mic, 16+, free, bring your own bottle  
**Burnham-on-sea**: *Ritz Acoustic Club*, 24 Victoria St TA8 1AN: 8pm, open mic  
**Cheddar**: *Moor Harmony*, Hannah More Cottage, Lower North St. BS27 3HE: 7pm – 8.30pm, folk choir  
**Frome**: *The Griffin*, 25 Milk Street BA11 3DB: Open mic  
**Frome**: *Lamb and Fountain*, 57 Castle Street BA11 3BW: 8:30pm. till late, mainly Celtic session  
**Weston Super Mare**: *Cheers*, 124 High St: 9pm – 1am, acoustic night in the back bar, open mic  
**Weston-super-Mare**: *The London Inn/The London Oak*, 110-114 High St BS23 1HP: 9pm, open mic

### WILTSHIRE

**Bratton** (nr. Westbury): *The Duke at Bratton*, Melbourne St. BA13 4RW: 8:30pm-ish, open mic  
**Corsham**: *Acoustic Oak*, The Royal Oak, 72 High Street SN13 0HF: 8pm, music & song  
**Swindon**: *The Sun Inn*, Coate SN3 6AA: 7.30pm(-sh), open mic with the *Chisledon Jammers*

## Friday 12<sup>th</sup> May

### BRISTOL:

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**Bristol**: *Dragon Folk Club*, *Bridge Inn*, Main Road, Shortwood, Mangotsfield BS16 9NG: 8.15pm

### DEVON:

**Ermington** (nr. Ivybridge): *Crooked Spire Inn*, The Square PL21 9LP: 8.30pm, open mic, music & song  
**Sidmouth**: *The Marine*, The Esplanade EX10 8BB: 9.30pm, open mic, free entry, all welcome, PA  
**Tiverton**: *The Oak Room*, 2c St. Peter Street EX16 6NU: 7.30pm for 8pm, acoustic night, bar  
**Torquay**: *Crown and Sceptre*, 2 Petitor Road TQ1 4QA: 8.30pm, folk session

### DORSET:

**Sturminster Marshall**: *The Old School*, Church Street BH21: 8pm, Irish session for beginners

### GLOUCESTER:

**Frampton Cotterell** (nr. Bristol): *Crossbow House*, School Road BS36 2DB : 8pm, Folk Music Club  
**Knockdown** (nr. Tetbury): *The Holford Arms* GL8 8QY: 8pm, bluegrass session, all welcome  
**Lechlade**: *Riverfolk Acoustic Club*, Trout Inn, St. John's Bridge, Faringdon Rd: 8pm, singaround, £2  
**Whitecroft** (nr. Lydney): *Miners Arms* GL15 4PE: Open mic, free entry

### HAMPSHIRE:

**Southampton**: *Fo'c'sle Folk Club*, The Richmond Inn, 108 Portswood Rd, Portswood: 8pm  
**Yateley**: *Poppy's Folk & Acoustic Music Club*, Blackwater Valley Golf Centre: 8pm in the Club House

### SOMERSET:

**Bath**: *The Star Inn*, 23 Vineyards BA1 5NA: 8.30pm, music session – mainly Irish  
**Carhampton** (nr. Minehead): *The Blazing Stump Folk Club*, Butcher's Arms: 8pm, singaround/session  
**Cheddar**: *Riverside Inn*, Cliff Street BS27 3PX: 8.45pm – 11pm, open mic, PA and 2x SM58 mics

**Street: Mullions Hotel**, 51 High St: 8.30pm, floor singers' club, all types of (acoustic) music welcome

### WILTSHIRE:

**Swindon: Swindon Folksingers Club**, Ashford Rd Social Club (upstairs) SN1 3NT: 8.15pm – 11pm

## Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> May

### BRISTOL:

For Bristol open mics go to: <http://openmicfinder.com/Bristol>

### DEVON:

**Combe Martin: Shammick Acoustic**, Pack of Cards, High Street EX34 0ET: 8pm

### SOMERSET:

**Minehead: The Acorn Folk Club**, United Reformed Church Hall, Bancks St: 7pm for 7.30pm, £7, book a spot

## Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> May

### BRISTOL:

For Bristol open mics go to: <http://openmicfinder.com/Bristol>

**Bristol: The Rope Walk**, 5 Nelson Parade BS3 4JA: 8pm, Irish session

### DEVON:

**Appledore** (nr. Bideford): **The Beaver**, 95 Irsha St: 8:30pm, *Baz's Sunday Marmalade* (jam session)

**Appledore** (nr. Bideford): **Coach & Horses**, 5 Market Street EX39 1PW: 4pm onwards, folk session

**Kilminster** (nr. Axminster): **The New Inn**, The Hill EX13 7SF: 3pm, open mic, all welcome

**Lee Mill Bridge** (near Ivybridge): **Folk on the Moor**, The Westward Inn PL21 9EE: 8pm

**Parracombe** (nr. Barnstaple): **The Hunters Inn** EX31 4PY: 8pm, folk evening

**Plymouth: Bristol Castle**, 6 Duncan Street (off Duke St.), Devonport PL1 4EP: 3pm, folk music session.

**South Brent: The Royal Oak**, Station Road TQ10 9BE: 7.45pm, Bluegrass session

**Topsham** (nr. Exeter): **Topsham Folk Club**, The Globe Hotel, 34 Fore Street: 7.30pm in the Malt House

**Totnes: Bay Horse Inn**, 8 Cistern Street TQ9 5SP: 8.30pm, Jazz session, players welcome

### DORSET:

**Poole: Branksome Railway Hotel**, 429 Poole Rd: 3pm – 5.30pm, singaround run by Mick Ryan

**Stourton Caundle** (near Sturminster Newton): **The Trooper** DT10 2JW: 8pm, song session

### GLOUCESTER:

**Cheltenham: Cheltenham Folk Club**, Sandford Park Alehouse, 20 High St. GL50 1DZ : 7.45pm to 10.30pm

**Hanham** (nr. Bristol): **Hanham Community Centre**, High St. BS15 3EJ: 7:45pm, open mic

**Stroud: Barney's at The Little Vic**, Queen Victoria, 5 Gloucester St: 7pm, £2, floor singers welcome

### HAMPSHIRE:

**Bursledon** (nr. Southampton): **Woolston & Bursledon Folk Club**, Village Hall SO31 8BZ: 7:30pm

**Portsmouth: Rose in June**, 102 Milton Road PO3 6AR: 2pm to 5pm(ish), folk music session

**Southampton: The Talking Heads**, 320 Portswood Road SO17 2TD: 2pm, trad Irish session

### SOMERSET:

**Bath: The Star Inn**, 23 Vineyards BA1 5NA: 8.30pm-11pm, *A Sunday Song* (mostly unaccompanied)

**Castle Cary: The George Hotel**, Market Place BA77AH: 8pm, informal acoustic folk session

**Glastonbury: Hawthorns Hotel**, 8 Northload Street BA6 9JJ: 5pm till 7pm, blues jam

**Huish Episcopi** (nr. Langport): **Somerset Story Circle**, The Rose & Crown (Eli's): 7pm, trad storytelling session

**Minehead: The Britannia Inn**, 1 Manor Road, Alcombe TA24 6EH: 4pm - 8pm, open acoustic session

**Nunney: Nunney Acoustic Café**, Village Hall BA11 4NR: 2pm – 5pm. COME EARLY OR BOOK

**Taunton: The Plough Inn**, 75 Station Road: 8.30pm, open mic, all genres, *free drink for performers*

## WILTSHIRE:

**Chippenham:** *Old Road Tavern*, Old Road SN15 1JA: French music session

**Melksham:** *Melksham Folk Club*, Rachel Fowler Centre: 8pm, BRING YOUR OWN

## Monday 15<sup>th</sup> May

## BRISTOL:

*For Bristol open mics go to: <http://openmicfinder.com/Bristol>*

**Bristol:** *The Inn on the Green*, 2 Filton Road, Horfield BS7 0PA: 8pm, folk session in the bar

**Bristol:** *Merchants Arms*, Merchants Rd, Hotwells BS8 4PZ: 8.30pm-ish till 11pm sharp, Irish tunes session

**Bristol:** *Nova Scotia Folk Club*, The Nova Scotia Inn, 1 Nova Scotia Place: 8pm, open stage

**Bristol:** *The Three Tuns*, 78 St. George's Road: 8pm, trad. music & song session, Irish etc

**Bristol:** *University of Bristol Folk Club*, Coach and Horses, 2 Highland Square BS8 2YB: 9pm

## DEVON:

**Appledore** (nr. Bideford): *Royal Hotel*, Bude Street EX39 1PS: 8:30pm to 11pm, acoustic jam session

**Exeter:** *The Oddfellows*, 60 New North Rd. EX4 4EP: 9pm, open mic

**Exmouth:** *The Famous Old Barrel*, 1 Princes Street EX8 1JA: 8.30pm, acoustic open mic, all styles

**Kingsteignton** (nr. Newton Abbot): *Acoustic Warehouse*, Passage House: 7.30pm, open stage, £1

**South Zeal** (nr. Okehampton): *King's Arms* EX20 2JP: 8pm, music session

**Torquay:** *Crown and Sceptre*, 2 Petitor Road TQ1 4QA: 8.30pm, open mic

**Totnes:** *Bay Horse Inn*, 8 Cistern Street TQ9 5SP: 8.45pm, trad open music/song session

## DORSET:

**Poole:** *Pickin at the Pilot*, The Pilot, Adastral Square BH17 8SA: 8pm, Bluegrass, Old Time and Country

**Wimborne:** *'I Can't Believe it's not a Folk Club'*, Oddfellows Arms, 2 Church Street: 8.30pm

## GLOUCESTER:

**Chipping Sodbury** (nr. Bristol): *The Beaufort Hunt*, 72 Broad Street: 12 noon, song/music session

## HAMPSHIRE:

**Pennington** (nr. Lymington): *The Wheel Inn*, Sway Rd. SO41 8LJ: 8pm, friendly singaround, all welcome

**Portsmouth:** *Thatchers Bar*, 95 London Road PO2 0BN: 9pm – 11pm, open mic, free entry

**Romsey:** *The Old House At Home*, 62 Love Lane SO51 8DE: 8pm-11pm, 'good mix of Irish and English'

**Southampton:** *The Stile*, 163 University Rd. SO17 1TS: 9pm, *Univ. of Southampton Folk Society's* session

**Southampton:** *The Talking Heads*, 320 Portswood Road: 8.30pm, *The Candle Club*, open mic

**Southampton:** *The Talking Heads*, 320 Portswood Road: *Southampton Ukulele Jam Beginners Group*

## SOMERSET:

**Bath:** *The Nest*, 7 Bladud Buildings BA1 5LS: 8pm – 11pm, open mic, free drink for performers, book a slot

**Croscombe** (nr. Wells): *The George Inn*, Long St. BA5 3QH: 7pm-ish, trad music session, all welcome

**Glastonbury:** *Hawthorns Hotel*, 8 Northload Street BA6 9JJ: 8pm, open unplugged, acoustic/folk session

**Wells:** *The Full Moon*, 42 Southover BA5 1UH: 8.30pm, folk music session, all welcome

**Wells:** *Jazz in Wells*, The Venue, 42 South Street BA5 1SL: 8pm, performers and listeners welcome

## WILTSHIRE:

**Cricklade** (nr. Swindon): *The Red Lion*, 74 High St. SN6 6DD: 8.30pm, folk, roots & acoustic session

**Devizes:** *Devizes Folk Club*, The Lamb Inn, 20 St John's St: 8pm, floor spot discounts

**Holt** (nr. Trowbridge): *Music Makers*, Old Ham Tree, Ham Green: 8.30pm, singaround/session

## Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> May

## BRISTOL:

*For Bristol open mics go to: <http://openmicfinder.com/Bristol>*

### DEVON:

**Appledore** (nr. Bideford): *The Champ*, Meeting St. EX39 1RJ: 7.30pm–10pm, *Reel Hot Folk Session*  
**Bere Ferrers** (near Yelverton): *Old Plough* PL20 7JL: 8.30pm, Jam Session.  
**Bradninch**: *Bradninch Folk Club*, The Castle Hotel, Fore St. EX5 4NN: 8pm, guest night (book slot)  
**Exmouth**: *Exmouth Folk Night*, The Manor Hotel EX8 2AG: 8pm, come early for a spot  
**Nadderwater** (nr. Exeter): *Royal Oak Inn* EX4 2JH: Traditional singaround led by Barry Lister  
**Plymouth**: *Artillery Arms*, Pound Street, Stonehouse PL1 3RH: 8.30pm, mixed folk session  
**Tiverton**: *Exe Valley Voices*, Old Heathcote School Community Centre, 81 King St: 7.30pm  
**Torquay**: *Crown and Sceptre*, 2 Petitor Road TQ1 4QA: Jazz session  
**Weare Giffard** (nr. Bideford): *Dambuskers Acoustic Night*, Cyder Presse EX39 4QR: 8.30pm  
**Welcombe** (nr. Bideford): *The Old Smithy* EX39 6HG: 9pm, Jam session  
**Westward Ho!** (nr. Bideford): *The Village Inn*, Youngaton Rd. EX39 1HU: 8pm, jam session

### DORSET:

**Chideock** (nr. Bridport): *The George Inn*, Main Street DT6 6JD: 8.30pm, folk / acoustic session  
**Dorchester**: *Folk Tuesday*, Tom Brown's, 47 High East St: 7.30pm, floor spots & singaround/tune session  
**Swanage**: *The Swanage Folk Orc*, The Globe Inn, 3 Bell St. BH19 2RY: 7pm, all welcome to join in

### GLOUCESTER:

**Frampton on Severn** (nr. Gloucester): *Folk at Frampton*, Village Hall: 7.30pm, music club, £2  
**Mitcheldean**: *White Horse Hotel*, High Street GL170AT: 8.30pm, (mainly) English music session  
**Nailsworth** (nr. Stroud): *The George*, Newmarket GL6 0RF: 8.30pm, session and songs in the bar

### HAMPSHIRE:

**Portsmouth**: *The George Inn*, Portsdown Hill Rd. PO6 1BE: 9pm, acoustic session, all welcome  
**Ringwood**: *Ringwood Folk Club*, Bisterne Village Hall, B3347 BH24 3BN, 8pm, *Bring own drinks*

### SOMERSET:

**Bath**: *The Barley Mow*, 32 Bathwick Street BA2 6NZ: 9:30pm, Irish session  
**Bath**: *Pig and Fiddle*, 2 Saracen Street BA1 5BR: 8pm, open mic, all performance styles  
**Bradford On Tone** (nr. Taunton): *The White Horse* TA4 1HF: 8pm, American Old Time (Appalachian)  
**Bridgwater**: *Bridgwater Morning Voices*, Bridgwater Arts Centre, 11-13 Castle St: 10.30am, £4, choir  
**Burnham on Sea**: *The Waterfront Bar*, 8 Esplanade TA8 1BE: 8.30pm, unplugged acoustic session  
**Cheddar**: *Moor Voices*, Hannah More Cottage, Lower North St: 7pm – 8.30pm, folk choir for beginners  
**Easton in Gordano** (nr. Bristol): *Gordano Folk Club*: Kings Arms, 12 St. George's Close: floor spots  
**Emborough** (nr. Radstock): *Old Down Inn* BA3 4SA: 8.30pm, *Trad. Singers Night*, lead by Jeff Blake  
**Glastonbury**: *Hawthorns Hotel*, 8 Northload Street BA6 9JJ: 8.30pm, open mic, all styles & abilities  
**Pitminster** (nr. Taunton): *Queens Arms* TA3 7AZ: 8pm, American Old Time (Appalachian) session  
**Priddy** (near Wells): *Hunters Lodge* BA5 3AR: 7.30pm onwards, instrumental session.  
**Watchet**: *Pebbles Tavern*, 24 Market Street TA23 0AN: Shanty Night, all welcome to join in  
**Yeovil**: *The Great Lyde*, 1 Cavalier Way BA21 5UA: 9pm, open mic with backing from house band

### WILTSHIRE:

**Bradford-on-Avon**: *Bradford-on-Avon Folk Club*, The Swan Hotel, 1 Church Street: 8pm in the cellar bar

## Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> May

### BRISTOL:

*For Bristol open mics go to: <http://openmicfinder.com/Bristol>*

### DEVON:

**Appledore** (nr. Bideford): *The Champ*, 5 Meeting St. EX39 1RJ: 9pm – 11pm, *Blues Night*, open mic  
**Appledore** (nr. Bideford): *Royal Hotel*, Bude Street EX39 1PS: 8pm, *The Maverick Session*, jam night  
**Brixham**: *Maritime Inn*, 79 King Street TQ5 9AH: 9pm, trad/acoustic session, music/song  
**Christow** (nr. Exeter), *Teign House Inn*, Teign Valley Road EX6 7PL: 8.30pm, folk session  
**Exeter**: *The Angel Bar*, 32 Queen Street EX4 3SR: 8:30pm – 11pm, open mic, free entry

**Hatherleigh:** *Tally Ho*, 14 Market Street EX20 3JN: 9pm, open mic  
**Pennymoor:** *Pennymoor Singaround*, Cruwys Arms EX16 8LF: 8pm, all welcome  
**Seaton:** *Jurassic Folk and Jam*, The Eyre Court Hotel, 2 Queen St. EX12 2NY: 7.30pm, free entry  
**South Brent:** *The Royal Oak*, Station Road TQ10 9BE: 8.30pm, traditional folk and song  
**Teignmouth:** *Oystercatchers Café*, 12 Northumberland Place TQ14 8DD: 8.30pm, *Acoustic Blues Night*  
**Totnes:** *The Albert*, 32 Bridgetown TQ9 5AD: 8pm, open mic

### DORSET:

**Beaminster:** *The Fleet Club*, 8 Fleet Street DT8 3EF: The Fleet Acoustic Folk Session  
**Boscombe** (nr. Bournemouth): *Chaplin's Cellar Bar*, 529 Christchurch Rd BH1 4AG: 9.30pm, open mic  
**Bournemouth:** *Brunny Folk*, Brunswick Hotel, 199 Malmesbury Park Rd: 7.30pm for 8pm  
**Dorchester:** *Blue Raddle*, 9 Church Street DT1 1JN: 9pm, Irish music session  
**Pulham** (nr. Dorchester): *The Halsey Community Choir*, The Halsey Arms: 7pm, all welcome  
**Sherborne:** *The Crown Inn*, Greenhill DT9 4EP: 8:30-ish to closing time, folk music session  
**Swanage:** *The Black Swan*, 159 High St. BH19 2NE: 8.15pm, open acoustic evening, feel free to join in  
**Weymouth:** *Wessex Folk Nite*, The Sailor's Return, 1 St. Nicholas St: 8pm, music & song

### GLOUCESTER:

**Gloucester:** *Cross Keys Inn*, Cross Keys Lane GL1 2HQ: 8:30pm – 11:30pm, “acoustic open mic”, free  
**South Cerney** (nr. Cirencester): *Eliot Arms*, Clarks Hay GL7 5UA: Music session  
**Stroud:** *Song Sessions At The Little Vic*, Queen Victoria Inn, 5 Gloucester St. GL5 1QG: 8.30pm

### HAMPSHIRE:

**Portsmouth:** *Broadside Folk Club*, Old House At Home, 104 Locksway Road, Southsea, PO4 8JR: 8pm  
**Southampton:** *The Hop Inn*, Wood Mill Lane SO18 2PH: 8.30pm, *Folk at the Riverside*, songs/tunes  
**Winchester:** *The Hyde Tavern*, 57 Hyde Street SO23 7DY: 8pm, *Winchester Folk Club*: singaround

### SOMERSET:

**Bath:** *The Royal Oak*, Lower Bristol Road BA2 3BW: 8.30pm, English music session  
**Bridgwater:** *Arts Centre*, Castle Street TA6 3DD: 7.30pm – 9pm in the Studio, community choir session  
**Clevedon:** *The Moon & Sixpence*, 15 The Beach BS21 7QU: 9pm, open mic  
**Draycott** (nr. Cheddar): *The Cider Barn* BS27 3RU: 7.30pm – 9.30pm, open mic, free drink for all performers  
**Flax Bourton** (nr. Bristol): *The Greedy Goose*, Gatcombe Farm BS48 3QT: 8.30pm, open mic, PA  
**Glastonbury:** *The King Arthur*, 31-33 Benedict Street BA6 9NB: Open mic  
**Horsington** (nr. Templecombe): *The Half Moon Inn* BA8 0EF: 8.30pm, folk music session  
**Minehead:** *Kildare Lodge*, Townsend Road TA24 5RQ: 8pm – 11pm, Performance Evening/singaround  
**Wells:** *The Full Moon*, 42 Southover BA5 1UH: 8pm – 11pm, open mic, hosted by Ross Kirk, free entry  
**Yeovil:** *Woods Wine Bar*, 70 Middle Street BA20 1LU: 8pm, open mic

### WILTSHIRE:

**Highworth** (nr. Swindon): *White Horse Folk Club*, St. Michael's Church Room: 8pm, *Bring own drink*  
**Swindon:** *The Nine Elms*, Old Shaw Lane, Nine Elms SN5 5PD: 8:30pm, (mainly) bluegrass session

## Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> May

### BRISTOL:

*For Bristol open mics go to:* <http://openmicfinder.com/Bristol>

**Bristol:** *The Kingfisher Cafe*, 17-18 Straits Parade BS16 2LE: 7pm to 9.30pm, acoustic open floor

### DEVON:

**Appledore** (nr. Bideford): *The Champ*, 5 Meeting St: 9pm–11.30pm, *Pete-G's Eclectic Open Mic*  
**Bideford:** *Bideford Folk Club*, The Joiner's Arms, 6 Market Place EX39 2DR: 7.30pm, all welcome, *free*  
**Bishopsteignton** (nr. Teignmouth): *Red Rock Brewery*, Higher Humber Farm: 7.30pm, acoustic night  
**Buckfastleigh:** *The Globe Inn*, 123 Plymouth Road TQ11 0DA: 8.30pm – 11pm, unplugged jam session  
**Denbury** (nr. Newton Abbot): *Union Inn*, The Green TQ12 6DQ: 9pm, acoustic mixed session  
**Exmouth:** *The Bicton Inn*, 5 Bicton St. EX8 2RU: 8.30pm, open folk night with Becky Brooks

**Frogmore** (near Kingsbridge): *The Globe Inn* TQ7 2NR: 8.30pm, mixed folk session  
**Plymouth:** *Minerva Inn*, 31 Looe Street PL4 0EA: 8.30pm, folk session (music & singing)  
**South Brent:** *The Royal Oak*, Station Road TQ10 9BE: 8pm, mixed folk session  
**South Molton:** *The Coaching Inn*, Queen Street EX36 3BJ: 8pm, open acoustic event, all styles, no charge  
**Totnes:** *Bay Horse Inn*, 8 Cistern Street TQ9 5SP: 8.45pm, Eli's open session, all styles  
**Willand** (nr. Cullompton): *Methodist Church Hall*: 7.30pm, *The More the Merrier*, folk dance music

### DORSET:

**Christchurch:** *The Coda Folk Orc*, CODA Music Centre, Chewton Farm Rd. BH23 5QL: 7.30pm, all welcome  
**Dorchester:** *The George*, Trinity Street DT1 1TU: 8.30pm, *Howl Open Mic*  
**Portland:** *The Cove House Inn*, Chiswell Green Lane: 8.30pm, trad tune session, all welcome  
**Wareham:** *Anglebury House*, 15 - 17 North Street BH20 4AB: 8pm, singaround, all welcome, FREE  
**Wimborne:** *Wimborne Folk Club*, The Horns Inn, Burt's Hill BH21 7AA: 8.15pm, singaround, free

### GLOUCESTER:

**Chipping Campden:** *Red Lion Inn*, Lower High Street GL55 6AS: 8pm, music session  
**Prestbury** (nr. Cheltenham): *The Plough*, Mill St, GL52 3BG: Music session  
**Stroud:** *Minchinhampton Folk Club*, Old Crown, Paganhill, Park End: 8.15pm, come early for a spot  
**Thornbury** (nr. Bristol): *Christ the King Social Club*, 11 Castle Street BS35 1HA: 8pm, music session

### HAMPSHIRE:

**Bishops Waltham** (nr. Southampton): *Nonsuch Folk Club*, Social Club: 8pm, singaround, *ring first*  
**Blackwater** (nr. Camberley): *Windmill Acoustic Sessions*, Crown & Cushion, Minley Rd: 8.30pm  
**Pennington** (nr. Lyminster): *The Musketeer*, 26 North St. SO41 8FZ: 9pm, sing-a-round  
**Petersfield:** *The Good Intent*, 40-46 College Street GU31 4AF: 8.30pm, open mic & jam night

**Southampton:** *the d.@rt centre*, Wildern Lane, Hedge End SO30 4EJ: 7pm – 9pm, open mic, free entry  
**Wherwell** (nr. Andover): *White Lion Folk Club*, White Lion, Winchester Road SP11 7JF: 8.30pm

### SOMERSET:

**Bath:** *The Blind Tiger Playgroup*, The Bell, 103 Walcot St. BA1 5BW: Open mic, 8.30pm  
**Bridgwater:** *Bridgwater Arts Centre*, 11-13 Castle Street TA6 3DD: 8pm in the bar, acoustic session  
**Brunton:** *Castle Inn*, 45-49 High Street BA10 0AW: 8pm, (mainly) Irish session  
**Burnham-on-sea:** *Ritz Acoustic Club*, 24 Victoria St TA8 1AN: 8pm, open mic, *Showcase Night*  
**Cheddar:** *Moor Harmony*, Hannah More Cottage, Lower North St. BS27 3HE: 7pm – 8.30pm, folk choir  
**Henstridge** (nr. Templecombe): *The Folk in the Vale*, Bird in Hand, 2 Ash Walk BA8 0QD: 8pm, *book a slot*  
**Weston Super Mare:** *Cheers*, 124 High St: 9pm – 1am, acoustic night in the back bar, open mic  
**Weston-super-Mare:** *The London Inn/The London Oak*, 110-114 High St BS23 1HP: 9pm, open mic

### WILTSHIRE:

**Corsham:** *Acoustic Oak*, The Royal Oak, 72 High Street SN13 0HF: 8pm, music & song  
**Swindon:** *The Sun Inn*, Coate SN3 6AA: 7.30pm(-sh), open mic with the *Chisledon Jammers*

## Friday 19<sup>th</sup> May

### BRISTOL:

*For Bristol open mics go to:* <http://openmicfinder.com/Bristol>

**Bristol:** *Dragon Folk Club*, *Bridge Inn*, Main Road, Shortwood, Mangotsfield BS16 9NG: 8.15pm

### DEVON:

**Exeter:** *d'Accord!* (French music and dance), St. Matthews Hall, Newtown EX1 2LJ: 7.30pm, *contact first*  
**Milton Abbot** (nr. Tavistock): *Milton Abbot Folk Club*, Village Hall PL19 0PA: 8pm  
**Torquay:** *Crown and Sceptre*, 2 Petitor Road TQ1 4QA: 8.30pm, folk session

### HAMPSHIRE:

**New Milton:** *Memorial Centre*, Whitefield Rd. BH25 6DE: Acoustic Folk Night, 7.30pm for 8pm.

**Southampton:** *Fo'c'sle Folk Club*, The Richmond Inn, 108 Portswood Rd, Portswood: 8pm

### SOMERSET:

**Bath:** *The Star Inn*, 23 Vineyards BA1 5NA: 8.30pm, music session – mainly Irish

**Monkton Heathfield** (nr. Taunton): *Tacchi-Morris Arts Centre*, TA2 8PD: 7pm, open mic in the bar

**Panborough:** *Mr Punch's Folk Club*, The Panborough Inn BA5 1PN: 8pm, £1 entrance

### WILTSHIRE:

**Swindon:** *Swindon Folksingers Club*, Ashford Rd Social Club (upstairs) SN1 3NT: 8.15pm – 11pm

**Trowbridge:** *The Village Pump Folk Club*, The Lamb Inn, Mortimer Street BA14 8BN: 8pm, open floor

## Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> May

### BRISTOL:

For Bristol open mics go to: <http://openmicfinder.com/Bristol>

### DEVON:

**Brendon** (near Lynton): *The Staghunters* EX35 6PS: 8.30pm, singaround

**South Molton:** *Conservative Club*, 21 Broad St. EX36 3AQ: 8pm, acoustic session, all styles welcome.

### SOMERSET:

**Huish Episcopi** (nr. Langport): *Eli's (The Rose & Crown)* TA10 9QT: 8.30pm, traditional singaround

### WILTSHIRE:

**Bradford on Avon:** *Day of Morris Dance & Music* (<http://www.boamorrisday.org>), inc. sessions in 8 pubs

## Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> May

### BRISTOL:

For Bristol open mics go to: <http://openmicfinder.com/Bristol>

### DEVON:

**Appledore** (nr. Bideford): *The Beaver*, 95 Irsha St: 8:30pm, *Baz's Sunday Marmalade* (jam session)

**Appledore** (nr. Bideford): *Coach & Horses*, 5 Market Street EX39 1PW: 4pm onwards, folk session

**Axminster:** *Castle Inn*, Castle Hill EX13 5NN: 3pm, *Howl open mic*

**Bere Ferrers** (near Yelverton): *Old Plough* PL20 7JL: 8.15pm, acoustic night, all styles

**Chagford** (nr. Newton Abbot): *Sandy Park Inn*, Sandy Park TQ13 8JW: 8pm, open mic, free entry

**Hartland** (nr. Bideford): *Hartland Quay Hotel* EX39 6DU: 6pm, 'whatever folky music takes your fancy!'

**Lee Mill Bridge** (near Ivybridge): *Folk on the Moor*, The Westward Inn PL21 9EE: 8pm

**Paignton:** *The Parkers Arms*, 343 - 347 Totnes Road TQ4 7DE: 4pm, open mic, hosted by Chris Thomas

**Topsham** (nr. Exeter): *Topsham Folk Club (Guest Night)*, Matthews Hall, Fore Street EX3 0EF: 8pm

### DORSET:

**Bridport:** *The Hope & Anchor*, 13 St. Michael's Lane DT6 3RA: 4.30pm – 7pm, jam session

**Poole:** *Branksome Railway Hotel*, 429 Poole Rd: 3pm – 5.30pm, singaround run by Mick Ryan

**Wimborne:** *Brunny Folk*, Royal British Legion Club, West Borough BH21 1LT: 7pm till 10pm, *book a slot*

### GLOUCESTER:

**Dursley:** *Dursley Acoustic Music Night*, 13 Five Acres GL11 4JP: 7.30pm onwards at David's home

**Whitecroft** (nr. Lydney): *Forest Folk Club*, Royal Oak, Park Hill GL15 4PG: 7.30pm for 8pm start

### HAMPSHIRE:

**Bursledon** (nr. Southampton): *Woolston & Bursledon Folk Club*, Village Hall SO31 8BZ: 7:30pm

**Havant:** *Havant Folk Club*, Hockey & Cricket Club: 7:45pm, informal singaround/acoustic session

**Southampton:** *The Talking Heads*, 320 Portswood Road SO17 2TD: 2pm, trad Irish session



### SOMERSET:

**Bath:** *The Star Inn*, 23 Vineyards BA1 5NA: 8.30pm-11pm, A *Sunday Song* (mostly unaccompanied)  
**Glastonbury:** *Hawthorns Hotel*, 8 Northload Street BA6 9JJ: 5pm till 7pm, blues jam  
**Glastonbury:** *Red Brick Building Centre*, Morland Road BA6 9FT: 2pm - 5pm: Open Acoustic Session  
**Minehead:** *The Britannia Inn*, 1 Manor Road, Alcombe TA24 6EH: 4pm - 8pm, open acoustic session  
**Taunton:** *The Plough Inn*, 75 Station Road: 8.30pm, open mic, all genres, *free drink for performers*  
**Wiveliscombe:** *White Hart Hotel*, West Street TA4 2JP: 6pm to 9pm, acoustic singaround/session in the bar

### WILTSHIRE:

**Chippenham:** *Old Road Tavern*, Old Road SN15 1JA: 9pm, Irish session  
**Christian Malford** (nr. Chippenham): *The Rising Sun*, Station Rd. SN15 4BL: 7.30pm, open mic

## Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> May

### BRISTOL:

*For Bristol open mics go to: <http://openmicfinder.com/Bristol>*

**Bristol:** *Nova Scotia Folk Club*, The Nova Scotia Inn, 1 Nova Scotia Place: 8pm, open stage  
**Bristol:** *The Three Tuns*, 78 St. George's Road: 8pm, trad. music & song session, Irish etc  
**Bristol:** *University of Bristol Folk Club*, Coach and Horses, 2 Highland Square BS8 2YB: 9pm

### DEVON:

**Appledore** (nr. Bideford): *Royal Hotel*, Bude Street EX39 1PS: 8:30pm to 11pm, acoustic jam session  
**Exeter:** *The Oddfellows*, 60 New North Rd. EX4 4EP: 9pm, open mic  
**Exmouth:** *The Famous Old Barrel*, 1 Princes Street EX8 1JA: 8.30pm, acoustic open mic, all styles  
**Kingsteignton** (nr. Newton Abbot): *Acoustic Warehouse*, Passage House: 7.30pm, open stage, £1  
**Torquay:** *Crown and Sceptre*, 2 Petitor Road TQ1 4QA: 8.30pm, open mic  
**Totnes:** *Bay Horse Inn*, 8 Cistern Street TQ9 5SP: Irish session, 8.15pm

### DORSET:

**Bournemouth:** *The Cricketers Folk Club*, The Cricketers Arms BH1 4RN: 8pm, singaround  
**Dorchester:** *Tom Brown's*, 47 High East Street DT1 1HU: 9pm, *Troubadour Showcase*, 100% original songs

### HAMPSHIRE:

**Pennington** (nr. Lymington): *The Wheel Inn*, Sway Rd. SO41 8LJ: 8pm, friendly singaround, all welcome  
**Portsmouth:** *Thatchers Bar*, 95 London Road PO2 0BN: 9pm – 11pm, open mic, free entry  
**Romsey:** *The Old House At Home*, 62 Love Lane SO51 8DE: 8pm-11pm, 'good mix of Irish and English'  
**Southampton:** *The Stile*, 163 University Rd. SO17 1TS: 9pm, *Univ. of Southampton Folk Society's* session  
**Southampton:** *The Talking Heads*, 320 Portswood Road: 8.30pm, *The Candle Club*, open mic  
**Southampton:** *The Talking Heads*, 320 Portswood Road SO17 2TD: *Southampton Ukulele Jam*  
**Winchester:** *The Hyde Tavern*, 57 Hyde Street SO23 7DY: 8pm, Traditional folk jam

### SOMERSET:

**Bath:** *The Nest*, 7 Bladud Buildings BA1 5LS: 8pm – 11pm, open mic, free drink for performers, book a slot  
**Crewkerne:** *The Royal Oak*, 54 Hermitage St. TA18 8ET: 8.30pm, Howl Open Mic  
**Croscombe** (nr. Wells): *The George Inn*, Long St. BA5 3QH: 7pm-ish, trad music session, all welcome  
**Glastonbury:** *Hawthorns Hotel*, 8 Northload Street BA6 9JJ: 8pm, open unplugged, acoustic/folk session

### WILTSHIRE:

**Bradford on Avon:** *The Bear*, 26 Silver Street BA15 1JY: 8.30pm, English traditional session  
**Devizes:** *Devizes Folk Club*, The Lamb Inn, 20 St John's St: 8pm, floor spot discounts  
**Dilton Marsh** (nr. Westbury): *The Prince of Wales*, 94 High Street: 8pm, acoustic music & song  
**Swindon:** *The Beehive*, 55 Prospect Hill SN1 3JS: 8.30pm, folk, roots and acoustic music session

## Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> May

### BRISTOL:

*For Bristol open mics go to: <http://openmicfinder.com/Bristol>*

**Bristol:** *The Cross Hands*, 1 Staple Hill Rd. Fishponds BS16 5AA: 8pm, acoustic folk club, £2 entry

### **DEVON:**

**Appledore** (nr. Bideford): *The Champ*, Meeting St. EX39 1RJ: 7.30pm–10pm, *Reel Hot Folk Session*

**Chipshop** (nr. Tavistock): *Copper Penny Inn*, PL19 8NT: 8pm, acoustic evening in the skittle alley

**South Brent:** *Pack Horse Hotel*, Plymouth Road TQ10 9BH: Mixed folk session - mainly song

**Tiverton:** *Exe Valley Voices*, Old Heathcote School Community Centre, 81 King St: 7.30pm

**Torquay:** *Crown and Sceptre*, 2 Petitor Road TQ1 4QA: Jazz session

**Weare Giffard** (nr. Bideford): *Dambuskers Acoustic Night*, Cyder Presse EX39 4QR: 8.30pm

**Welcombe** (nr. Bideford): *The Old Smithy* EX39 6HG: 9pm, Jam session

**Westward Ho!** (nr. Bideford): *The Village Inn*, Youngaton Rd. EX39 1HU: 8pm, jam session

### **DORSET:**

**Dorchester:** *Folk Tuesday*, Tom Brown's, 47 High East St: 7.30pm, floor spots & singaround/tune session

**Salwayash** (nr. Bridport): *Colmers Folk Club*, Anchor Inn DT6 5HU: 8.30pm, all welcome

### **GLOUCESTER:**

**Bisley** (nr. Stroud): *The Bear Inn, George St. GL6 7BQ*: 8pm, Irish Session

**Dursley:** *Ye Olde Dursley Hotel* (formerly the *Old Bell*), 13 Long Street GL11 4HL: 8pm, music session

**Frampton on Severn** (nr. Gloucester): *Folk at Frampton*, Village Hall: 7.30pm, music club, £2

**Nailsworth** (nr. Stroud): *The George*, Newmarket GL6 0RF: 8.30pm, session and songs in the bar

**Newent:** *King's Arms*, Ross Road GL18 1BD: 8.30pm, (mainly) English music session

**Oakridge Lynch** (nr. Stroud) *The Butchers Arms* GL6 7NZ: 8pm, Irish music session

### **HAMPSHIRE:**

**Portsmouth:** *The George Inn*, Portsdown Hill Rd. PO6 1BE: 9pm, acoustic session, all welcome

**Ringwood:** *Ringwood Folk Club*, Bisterne Village Hall, B3347 BH24 3BN, 8pm, *Bring own drinks*

### **SOMERSET:**

**Bath:** *The Barley Mow*, 32 Bathwick Street BA2 6NZ: 9:30pm, Irish session

**Bath:** *Pig and Fiddle*, 2 Saracen Street BA1 5BR: 8pm, open mic, all performance styles

**Bridgwater:** *Bridgwater Morning Voices*, Bridgwater Arts Centre, 11-13 Castle St: 10.30am, £4, choir

**Burnham on Sea:** *The Waterfront Bar*, 8 Esplanade TA8 1BE: 8.30pm, unplugged acoustic session

**Cheddar:** *Moor Voices*, Hannah More Cottage, Lower North St: 7pm – 8.30pm, folk choir for beginners

**Glastonbury:** *Hawthorns Hotel*, 8 Northload Street BA6 9JJ: 8.30pm, open mic, all styles & abilities

**Priddy** (near Wells): *Hunters Lodge* BA5 3AR: 7.30pm onwards, instrumental session.

**Stoke St. Gregory** (nr. Taunton): *The Royal Oak*: 7pm, open mic for ITV's talent show 'The Voice', *book*

### **WILTSHIRE:**

**Bradford-on-Avon:** *Bradford-on-Avon Folk Club*, The Swan Hotel, 1 Church Street: 8pm in the cellar bar

## **Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> May**

### **BRISTOL:**

*For Bristol open mics go to: <http://openmicfinder.com/Bristol>*

### **DEVON:**

**Appledore** (nr. Bideford): *The Champ*, 5 Meeting St. EX39 1RJ: 9pm – 11pm, *Blues Night*, open mic

**Appledore** (nr. Bideford): *Royal Hotel*, Bude Street EX39 1PS: 8pm, *The Maverick Session*, jam night

**Exeter:** *The Angel Bar*, 32 Queen Street EX4 3SR: 8:30pm – 11pm, open mic, free entry

**South Brent:** *The Royal Oak*, Station Road TQ10 9BE: 7.30pm – 8.30pm, *Children's Folk Night*

**South Brent:** *The Royal Oak*, Station Road TQ10 9BE: 8.30pm, traditional folk and song

**Torquay:** *Crown and Sceptre*, 2 Petitor Road TQ1 4QA: Appalachian session

**Totnes:** *The Albert*, 32 Bridgetown TQ9 5AD: 8pm, open mic

**Totnes:** *Bay Horse Inn*, 8 Cistern Street TQ9 5SP: 8.45pm, trad singing session (British folk)

### DORSET:

**Boscombe** (nr. Bournemouth): *Chaplin's Cellar Bar*, 529 Christchurch Rd BH1 4AG: 9.30pm, open mic  
**Pulham** (nr. Dorchester): *The Halsey Community Choir*, The Halsey Arms: 7pm, all welcome  
**Weymouth**: *Wessex Folk Nite*, The Sailor's Return, 1 St. Nicholas St: 8pm, music & song

### GLOUCESTER:

**Gloucester**: *Cross Keys Inn*, Cross Keys Lane GL1 2HQ: 8:30pm – 11:30pm, "acoustic open mic", free  
**Nailsworth** (nr. Stroud): *The Old Village Inn*, Bath Road GL6 0HH: 8.30pm, open mic, all welcome

### HAMPSHIRE:

**Portsmouth**: *Broadside Folk Club*, Old House At Home, 104 Locksway Road, Southsea, PO4 8JR: 8pm  
**Southampton**: *The Hop Inn*, Wood Mill Lane SO18 2PH: 8.30pm, *Folk at the Riverside*, songs/tunes

### SOMERSET:

**Bath**: *The Royal Oak*, Lower Bristol Road BA2 3BW: 8.30pm, Irish music session  
**Bridgwater**: *Arts Centre*, Castle Street TA6 3DD: 7.30pm – 9pm in the Studio, community choir session  
**Clevedon**: *The Moon & Sixpence*, 15 The Beach BS21 7QU: 9pm, open mic  
**Glastonbury**: *The King Arthur*, 31-33 Benedict Street BA6 9NB: Open mic  
**Watchet**: *Celtic session*, The Esplanade Club, 6 The Esplanade (Harbourside) TA23 0AJ: 8pm  
**Yeovil**: *Woods Wine Bar*, 70 Middle Street BA20 1LU: 8pm, open mic

### WILTSHIRE:

**Swindon**: *The Nine Elms*, Old Shaw Lane, Nine Elms SN5 5PD: 8:30pm, (mainly) bluegrass session

## Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> May

### BRISTOL:

*For Bristol open mics go to: <http://openmicfinder.com/Bristol>*

**Bristol**: *The Kingfisher Cafe*, 17-18 Straits Parade BS16 2LE: 7pm to 9.30pm, acoustic open floor

### DEVON:

**Appledore** (nr. Bideford): *The Champ*, 5 Meeting St: 9pm–11.30pm, *Pete-G's Eclectic Open Mic*  
**Bideford**: *Bideford Folk Club*, The Joiner's Arms, 6 Market Place EX39 2DR: 7.30pm, all welcome, *free*  
**Bishopsteignton** (nr. Teignmouth): *Red Rock Brewery*, Higher Humber Farm: 7.30pm, acoustic night  
**Buckfastleigh**: *The Globe Inn*, 123 Plymouth Road TQ11 0DA: 8.30pm – 11pm, unplugged jam session  
**Denbury** (nr. Newton Abbot): *Union Inn*, The Green TQ12 6DQ: 9pm, acoustic mixed session  
**Exeter**: *The Globe*, 39 Clifton Road, Newtown EX1 2BL: 8pm, open mic, plenty of parking nearby  
**Exmouth**: *The Bicton Inn*, 5 Bicton St. EX8 2RU: 8.30pm, traditional folk night with Derek Brooks  
**Harbertonford** (nr. Totnes): *Maltsters Arms* TQ9 7SZ: 8pm, music & song session hosted by Andy Clarke  
**Hartland** (nr. Bideford): *The Hart Inn*, The Square EX39 6BL: 8:30pm, Irish/Scottish/Shetland/Appalachian  
**Okehampton**: *The Kings Arms*, St. James St. EX20 1DW: 9pm – 11pm, jam, full PA, no backing tracks  
**Plymouth**: *Minerva Inn*, 31 Looe Street PL4 0EA: 8.30pm, folk session (music & singing)  
**Teignmouth**: *Teignmouth Folk Club*, Oystercatchers Café, 12 Northumberland Place TQ14 8DD: 8.30pm  
**Totnes**: *Bay Horse Inn*, 8 Cistern Street TQ9 5SP: 8.45pm, Eli's open session, all styles

### DORSET:

**Broadmayne** (near Dorchester): *Sunray Folk Club*, Village Hall, Main Street DT2 8ES: 8pm  
**Burton Bradstock** (nr. Bridport): *The Anchor Inn*, High St: *The Anchor Sessions*, open stage, book slot  
**Christchurch**: *The Coda Folk Orc*, CODA Music Centre, Chewton Farm Rd. BH23 5QL: 7.30pm, all welcome  
**Dorchester**: *The George*, Trinity Street DT1 1TU: 8.30pm, *Howl Open Mic*  
**Manston** (nr. Sturminster Newton): *The Plough Inn* DT10 1HB: 8pm, friendly music & song session  
**Portland**: *The Cove House Inn*, Chiswell Green Lane: 8.30pm, trad tune session, all welcome  
**Wimborne**: *Wimborne Folk Club*, The Horns Inn, Burt's Hill BH21 7AA: 8.15pm, singaround, free

### GLOUCESTER:

**Prestbury** (nr. Cheltenham): *The Plough*, Mill St, GL52 3BG: Music session  
**Sapperton** (nr. Cirencester): *The Daneway Inn* GL7 6LN: 8.30pm, eclectic folk session  
**Stroud**: *Crown & Sceptre*, 98 Horns Rd. GL5 1EG: 7.30pm, Irish session  
**Stroud**: *Minchinhampton Folk Club*, Old Crown, Paganhill, Park End: 8.15pm, come early for a spot

### HAMPSHIRE:

**Bishops Waltham** (nr. Southampton): *Nonsuch Folk Club*, Social Club: 8pm, singaround, *ring first*  
**Blackwater** (nr. Camberley): *Windmill Acoustic Sessions*, Crown & Cushion, Minley Rd: 8.30pm  
**Pennington** (nr. Lymington): *The Musketeer*, 26 North St. SO41 8FZ: 9pm, sing-a-round  
**Petersfield**: *The Good Intent*, 40-46 College Street GU31 4AF: 8.30pm, open mic & jam night  
**Portsmouth**: *Shenanigan's Irish Bar*, 57 Osborne Rd, Southsea PO5 3LS: 7.30pm, Irish session

### SOMERSET:

**Ash** (nr. Martock): *The Bell Inn*, Main Street TA12 6NS: 8.30pm, traditional folk session  
**Barton St. David** (nr. Somerton): *The Barton Inn*, Main Street TA11 6BZ: 7.30pm, open mic / session  
**Bath**: *The Blind Tiger Playgroup*, The Bell, 103 Walcot St. BA1 5BW: Open mic, 8.30pm  
**Bath**: *The Rec House*, High Street, Twerton BA2 1DQ: 8pm, jam session, 16+, free, bring your own bottle  
**Bridgwater**: *Bridgwater Arts Centre*, 11-13 Castle Street: 8pm, Jazz Session in the bar  
**Burnham-on-sea**: *Ritz Acoustic Club*, 24 Victoria St TA8 1AN: 8pm, open mic  
**Cheddar**: *Moor Harmony*, Hannah More Cottage, Lower North St. BS27 3HE: 7pm – 8.30pm, folk choir  
**Huish Episcopi** (nr. Langport): *Music Night with Diaspora*, Eli's (Rose & Crown), 8pm, session with band  
**Weston Super Mare**: *Cheers*, 124 High St: 9pm – 1am, acoustic night in the back bar, open mic  
**Weston-super-Mare**: *The London Inn/The London Oak*, 110-114 High St BS23 1HP: 9pm, open mic

### WILTSHIRE:

**Corsham**: *Acoustic Oak*, The Royal Oak, 72 High Street SN13 0HF: 8pm, music & song  
**Pewsey**: *The Crown Inn*, 60 Wilcot Road SN9 5EL: 8pm, folk jam  
**Swindon**: *The Sun Inn*, Coate SN3 6AA: 7.30pm(-sh), open mic with the *Chisledon Jammers*

## Friday 26<sup>th</sup> May

### BRISTOL:

*For Bristol open mics go to: <http://openmicfinder.com/Bristol>*

**Bristol**: *Dragon Folk Club, Bridge Inn*, Main Road, Shortwood, Mangotsfield BS16 9NG: 8.15pm

### DEVON:

**Exeter**: *Exeter Folk & Acoustic Music Club*, Victoria Park Tennis Club, Lyndhurst Road: 8pm, £1  
**Sidmouth**: *The Marine*, The Esplanade EX10 8BB: 9.30pm, open mic, free entry, all welcome, PA  
**Tiverton**: *The Oak Room*, 2c St. Peter Street EX16 6NU: 8pm – 10.30pm, instrumental folk music session  
**Torquay**: *Crown and Sceptre*, 2 Petitor Road TQ1 4QA: 8.30pm, folk session

### DORSET:

**Chickerell**: *The Victoria Inn* DT3 4EA: 8pm, session (Bluegrass, Old-Time, American Folk etc)

### GLOUCESTER:

**Gloucester**: *Gloucester Shanty Festival* (<http://www.gloucestershantyfestival.co.uk/>)  
**Knockdown** (nr. Tetbury): *The Holford Arms* GL8 8QY: 8pm, bluegrass session, all welcome  
**Lechlade**: *Riverfolk Acoustic Club*, Trout Inn, St. John's Bridge, Faringdon Rd: 8pm, singaround, £2  
**Pucklechurch** (nr. Bristol): *Village Sports & Social Club*, St. Aldam's Drive BS16 9QQ: 8pm, open mic  
**Whitecroft** (nr. Lydney): *Miners Arms* GL15 4PE: Open mic, free entry

### HAMPSHIRE:

**Southampton**: *Fo'c'sle Folk Club*, The Richmond Inn, 108 Portswood Rd, Portswood: 8pm

### SOMERSET:

**Ashill** (nr. Ilminster): *The Ashill Inn* TA19 9ND: 8.30pm, very friendly singaround/ session, all styles

**Bath:** *The Star Inn*, 23 Vineyards BA1 5NA: 8.30pm, music session – mainly Irish  
**Carhampton** (nr. Minehead): *Butcher's Arms* TA24 6LP: 8.30pm, open mic  
**Street:** *Mullions Hotel*, 51 High St: 8.30pm, floor singers' club, all types of (acoustic) music welcome

### WILTSHIRE:

**Chippenham:** *Chippenham Folk Festival* ([www.chippfolk.co.uk](http://www.chippfolk.co.uk))

**Swindon:** *Swindon Folksingers Club*, Ashford Rd Social Club (upstairs) SN1 3NT: 8.15pm – 11pm

## Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> May

### BRISTOL:

For Bristol open mics go to: <http://openmicfinder.com/Bristol>

### GLOUCESTER:

**Gloucester:** *Gloucester Shanty Festival* (<http://www.gloucestershantyfestival.co.uk/>)

### SOMERSET:

**Wellington:** *Wellington Acoustic Music Club*, Wellington Arts Centre TA21 8PS: 8.30pm, (*day change*)

### WILTSHIRE:

**Chippenham:** *Chippenham Folk Festival* ([www.chippfolk.co.uk](http://www.chippfolk.co.uk))

## Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> May

### BRISTOL:

For Bristol open mics go to: <http://openmicfinder.com/Bristol>

**Bristol:** *Bristol Brewhouse and Kitchen*, 31 Cotham Hill BS6 6JY: 7.30pm, French music session

**Bristol:** *The Rope Walk*, 5 Nelson Parade BS3 4JA: 8pm, Irish session

### DEVON:

**Appledore** (nr. Bideford): *The Beaver*, 95 Irsha St: 8.30pm, *Baz's Sunday Marmalade* (jam session)

**Appledore** (nr. Bideford): *Coach & Horses*, 5 Market Street EX39 1PW: 4pm onwards, folk session

**Frogmore** (near Kingsbridge): *The Globe Inn* TQ7 2NR: 8.30pm, mixed folk session

**Lee Mill Bridge** (near Ivybridge): *Folk on the Moor*, The Westward Inn PL21 9EE: 8pm

**Parracombe** (nr. Barnstaple): *The Hunters Inn* EX31 4PY: 8pm, folk evening

**Pennymoor:** *Cruwys Arms*: Small acoustic session: 12 noon, visitors welcome (space permitting!)

**Scoriton** (nr. Buckfastleigh): *Trade Winds*, Tradesman's Arms: 7.30pm, come-all-ye, singers, musicians etc

**Sidmouth:** *Radway Inn*, 1 Radway Place EX10 8PY: 8.30pm, open mic, P.A., all welcome

**Topsham** (nr. Exeter): *Topsham Folk Club*, The Globe Hotel, 34 Fore Street: 7.30pm in the Malt House

### DORSET:

**Poole:** *Branksome Railway Hotel*, 429 Poole Rd: 3pm – 5.30pm, singaround run by Mick Ryan

**Stourton Caundle** (nr. Sturminster Newton): *The Trooper*: 8pm, instrumental session (singers welcome)

### GLOUCESTER:

**Cheltenham:** *Cheltenham Folk Club*, Sandford Park Alehouse, 20 High St. GL50 1DZ : 7.45pm to 10.30pm

**Gloucester:** *Gloucester Shanty Festival* (<http://www.gloucestershantyfestival.co.uk/>)

### HAMPSHIRE:

**Bursledon** (nr. Southampton): *Woolston & Bursledon Folk Club*, Village Hall SO31 8BZ: 7.30pm

**Southampton:** *The Talking Heads*, 320 Portswood Road SO17 2TD: 2pm, trad Irish session

### SOMERSET:

**Bath:** *St. James' Wine Vaults*, St. James Square BA1 2TW: 8pm, open stage, free

**Bath:** *The Star Inn*, 23 Vineyards BA1 5NA: 8.30pm-11pm, *A Sunday Song* (mostly unaccompanied)

**Chard:** *Perry Street Social Club*, Knapp Mill House, Waterlake Road TA20 2SU: 3pm, *Howl Open Mic*

**Glastonbury:** *Hawthorns Hotel*, 8 Northload Street BA6 9JJ: 5pm till 7pm, blues jam  
**Minehead:** *The Britannia Inn*, 1 Manor Road, Alcombe TA24 6EH: 4pm - 8pm, open acoustic session  
**South Petherton:** *David Hall* TA13 5AA: 7.30pm, acoustic night, £2 audience, £1 performers, book slot  
**Taunton:** *The Plough Inn*, 75 Station Road: 8.30pm, open mic, all genres, *free drink for performers*

### WILTSHIRE:

**Calne:** *The White Hart Hotel*, 2 London Road SN11 0AB: 8pm – 10:30pm, open mic, free entry  
**Chippenham:** *Chippenham Folk Festival* ([www.chippfolk.co.uk](http://www.chippfolk.co.uk))  
**Chippenham:** *Old Road Tavern*, Old Road SN15 1JA: 9pm, open mic

## Monday 29<sup>th</sup> May

### BANK HOLIDAY – CANCELLATIONS LIKELY

#### BRISTOL:

*For Bristol open mics go to: <http://openmicfinder.com/Bristol>*

**Bristol:** *Merchants Arms*, Merchants Rd, Hotwells BS8 4PZ: 8.30pm-ish till 11pm sharp, Irish tunes session  
**Bristol:** *Nova Scotia Folk Club*, The Nova Scotia Inn, 1 Nova Scotia Place: 8pm, open stage  
**Bristol:** *The Three Tuns*, 78 St. George's Road: 8pm, trad. music & song session, Irish etc  
**Bristol:** *University of Bristol Folk Club*, Coach and Horses, 2 Highland Square BS8 2YB: 9pm

#### DEVON:

**Appledore** (nr. Bideford): *Royal Hotel*, Bude Street EX39 1PS: 8:30pm to 11pm, acoustic jam session  
**Exeter:** *The Oddfellows*, 60 New North Rd. EX4 4EP: 9pm, open mic  
**Exmouth:** *The Famous Old Barrel*, 1 Princes Street EX8 1JA: 8.30pm, acoustic open mic, all styles  
**Moretonhampstead** (nr. Newton Abbot): *White Horse Inn*, George Street TQ13 8PG: 9pm, music session  
**Torquay:** *Artizan Gallery*, 7 Lucius Street TQ2 5UW: Acoustic open mic, all genres, £5 (£2 performers)  
**Torquay:** *Crown and Sceptre*, 2 Petitor Road TQ1 4QA: 8.30pm, open mic  
**Torrington:** *Royal Exchange*, 86 New Street EX38 8BT: 8.30pm, “anything goes” acoustic music session

#### HAMPSHIRE:

**Pennington** (nr. Lymington): *The Wheel Inn*, Sway Rd. SO41 8LJ: 8pm, friendly singaround, all welcome  
**Portsmouth:** *Thatchers Bar*, 95 London Road PO2 0BN: 9pm – 11pm, open mic, free entry  
**Romsey:** *The Old House At Home*, 62 Love Lane SO51 8DE: 8pm-11pm, ‘good mix of Irish and English’  
**Southampton:** *The Stile*, 163 University Rd. SO17 1TS: 9pm, *Univ. of Southampton Folk Society's* session  
**Southampton:** *The Talking Heads*, 320 Portswood Road: 8.30pm, *The Candle Club*, open mic  
**Southampton:** *The Talking Heads*, 320 Portswood Road: *Southampton Ukulele Jam Beginners Group*

#### SOMERSET:

**Bath:** *The Nest*, 7 Bladud Buildings BA1 5LS: 8pm – 11pm, open mic, free drink for performers, book a slot  
**Croscombe** (nr. Wells): *The George Inn*, Long St. BA5 3QH: 7pm-ish, trad music session, all welcome  
**Glastonbury:** *Hawthorns Hotel*, 8 Northload Street BA6 9JJ: 8pm, open unplugged, acoustic/folk session  
**Yeovil:** *The Red House*, Dorchester Road BA22 9RA: 8pm, music & song session, organised by Mike Cox

#### WILTSHIRE:

**Chippenham:** *Chippenham Folk Festival* ([www.chippfolk.co.uk](http://www.chippfolk.co.uk))  
**Swindon:** *The Beehive*, 55 Prospect Hill SN1 3JS: 8.30pm, folk, roots and acoustic music session

## Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> May

#### BRISTOL:

*For Bristol open mics go to: <http://openmicfinder.com/Bristol>*

#### DEVON:

**Appledore** (nr. Bideford): *The Champ*, Meeting St. EX39 1RJ: 7.30pm–10pm, *Reel Hot Folk Session*  
**Copplestone** (nr. Crediton): *The Cross* EX17 5NH: 8pm, acoustic night, run by Dave Brassington  
**Exmouth:** *Exmouth Folk Night*, The Manor Hotel EX8 2AG: 8pm, showcase night (pre-booked)

**Sourton** (nr. Okehampton): *The Highwayman Inn* EX20 4HN: 8.30pm, open mic  
**Tiverton: Exe Valley Voices**, Old Heathcote School Community Centre, 81 King St: 7.30pm  
**Torquay: Crown and Sceptre**, 2 Petitor Road TQ1 4QA: Jazz session  
**Weare Giffard** (nr. Bideford): *Dambuskers Acoustic Night*, Cyder Presse EX39 4QR: 8.30pm  
**Welcombe** (nr. Bideford): *The Old Smithy* EX39 6HG: 9pm, Jam session  
**Westward Ho!** (nr. Bideford): *The Village Inn*, Youngaton Rd. EX39 1HU: 8pm, jam session

### DORSET:

**Dorchester: Folk Tuesday**, Tom Brown's, 47 High East St: 7.30pm, floor spots & singaround/tune session  
**Swanage: The Swanage Folk Orc**, The Globe Inn, 3 Bell St. BH19 2RY: 7pm, all welcome to join in

### GLOUCESTER:

**Frampton on Severn** (nr. Gloucester): *Folk at Frampton*, Village Hall: 7.30pm, music club, £2  
**Nailsworth** (nr. Stroud): *The George*, Newmarket GL6 0RF: 8.30pm, session and songs in the bar  
**Staunton** (nr. Gloucester): *Swan Inn*, Ledbury Road GL19 3QA: 8.30pm, (mainly) English music

### HAMPSHIRE:

**Portsmouth: The George Inn**, Portsdown Hill Rd. PO6 1BE: 9pm, acoustic session, all welcome  
**Ringwood: Ringwood Folk Club**, Bisterne Village Hall, B3347 BH24 3BN, 8pm, *Bring own drinks*  
**Winchester: The Golden Lion**, 99 Alresford Rd. SO23 0JZ: 8.30pm, Bluegrass session

### SOMERSET:

**Bath: The Barley Mow**, 32 Bathwick Street BA2 6NZ: 9:30pm, Irish session  
**Bath: Pig and Fiddle**, 2 Saracen Street BA1 5BR: 8pm, open mic, all performance styles  
**Bradford On Tone** (nr. Taunton): *The White Horse* TA4 1HF: 8pm, American Old Time (Appalachian)  
**Bridgwater: Bridgwater Morning Voices**, Bridgwater Arts Centre, 11-13 Castle St: 10.30am, £4, choir  
**Cheddar: Moor Voices**, Hannah More Cottage, Lower North St: 7pm – 8.30pm, folk choir for beginners  
**Combe St Nicholas: The Green Dragon**: 8.30pm, session for musicians and singers  
**Frome: The Griffin**, 25 Milk Street BA11 3DB: 8.30pm, Celtic session  
**Glastonbury: Hawthorns Hotel**, 8 Northload Street BA6 9JJ: 8.30pm, open mic, all styles & abilities  
**Pitminster** (nr. Taunton): *Queens Arms* TA3 7AZ: 8pm, American Old Time (Appalachian) session  
**Priddy** (near Wells): *Hunters Lodge* BA5 3AR: 7.30pm onwards, instrumental session.

### WILTSHIRE:

**Bradford-on-Avon: Bradford-on-Avon Folk Club**, The Swan Hotel, 1 Church Street: 8pm in the cellar bar

## Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> May

### BRISTOL:

*For Bristol open mics go to: <http://openmicfinder.com/Bristol>*

### DEVON:

**Appledore** (nr. Bideford): *The Champ*, 5 Meeting St. EX39 1RJ: 9pm – 11pm, *Blues Night*, open mic  
**Appledore** (nr. Bideford): *Royal Hotel*, Bude Street EX39 1PS: 8pm, *The Maverick Session*, jam night  
**Chagford** (nr. Newton Abbot): *The Globe Inn*, 9 High Street TQ13 8AJ: 8.15pm, open mic  
**Exeter: The Angel Bar**, 32 Queen Street EX4 3SR: 8:30pm – 11pm, open mic, free entry  
**Exeter: The Globe**, 39 Clifton Road, Newtown EX1 2BL: Folk music session  
**South Brent: The Royal Oak**, Station Road TQ10 9BE: 8.30pm, traditional folk and song  
**Totnes: The Albert**, 32 Bridgetown TQ9 5AD: 8pm, open mic  
**Uffculme** (Nr Cullompton): *Culm Valley Music & Performance Club*, Magelake Hall EX15 3DR: 8pm, £2

### DORSET:

**Boscombe** (nr. Bournemouth): *Chaplin's Cellar Bar*, 529 Christchurch Rd BH1 4AG: 9.30pm, open mic  
**Bridport: No. 10 Café Bar**, 10 East Street DT6 3LF: 8.30, open mic  
**Pulham** (nr. Dorchester): *The Halsey Community Choir*, The Halsey Arms: 7pm, all welcome  
**Sherborne: The Crown Inn**, Greenhill DT9 4EP: 8.30pm, open mic

**Weymouth:** *Wessex Folk Nite*, The Sailor's Return, 1 St. Nicholas St: 8pm, music & song

### **GLOUCESTER:**

**Gloucester:** *Cross Keys Inn*, Cross Keys Lane GL1 2HQ: 8:30pm – 11:30pm, “acoustic open mic”, free  
**South Cerney** (nr. Cirencester): *Eliot Arms*, Clarks Hay G17 5UA: Music session

### **HAMPSHIRE:**

**Alton:** *The Eight Bells*, 33 Church Street GU34 2DA: 8pm, Irish session, “a warm welcome is assured”  
**Portsmouth:** *Broadside Folk Club*, Old House At Home, 104 Locksway Road, Southsea, PO4 8JR: 8pm  
**Southampton:** *The Hop Inn*, Wood Mill Lane SO18 2PH: 8.30pm, *Folk at the Riverside*, songs/tunes

### **SOMERSET:**

**Bath:** *The Barley Mow*, 32 Bathwick Street BA2 6NZ: Gypsy Jazz session  
**Bath:** *The Royal Oak*, Lower Bristol Road BA2 3BW: 8.30pm, English music session  
**Bridgwater:** *Arts Centre*, Castle Street TA6 3DD: 7.30pm – 9pm in the Studio, community choir session  
**Chard:** *Kings Head Hotel*, Church Street TA20 2DW: 8pm, folk club, sing, play, all welcome  
**Clevedon:** *The Moon & Sixpence*, 15 The Beach BS21 7QU: 9pm, open mic  
**Glastonbury:** *The King Arthur*, 31-33 Benedict Street BA6 9NB: Open mic  
**Washford** (nr. Watchet): *Celtic Session*, Washford Inn TA23 0PP: 8pm, all welcome  
**Wells:** *The Full Moon*, 42 Southover BA5 1UH: 8pm – 11pm, open mic, hosted by Ross Kirk, free entry  
**West Camel** (nr. Yeovil): *Camelot Music Night*, The Davis Hall: 7.30pm for 8pm, all styles  
**Yeovil:** *Woods Wine Bar*, 70 Middle Street BA20 1LU: 8pm, open mic

### **WILTSHIRE:**

**Swindon:** *The Nine Elms*, Old Shaw Lane, Nine Elms SN5 5PD: 8:30pm, (mainly) bluegrass session