

NORTH STAFFS FOLK DIARY

June - August 2010

DETAILS OF VENUES & ORGANISERS

Bhurtpore Inn, Aston, nr Nantwich. 3rd Tue. Pete Hall 01630 661429.
Biddulph "Up In Arms"l, Biddulph Arms or Biddulph Town Hall
 (variable) Eric Cox 01782 514896.
Black Lion, Consall Alt Tues Paul Gibson 01782 326688
Blacksmith's Arms, Alton Fri Geoff Smith 07817 208152.
Blacksmith's Arms, Birch Cross, nr Marchington Thu Kate Evans 01889 569343
Blue Bell, Tushingham nr Whitchurch. 4th Tue. Pete Hall 01630 661429.
Bridge, Audlem usually 5th Tue (if there is one) Pete Hall 01630 661429
Bull's Head, Marchington, 1st Sat Eileen & Phil Strong (Landlady/Landlord) 01283 820358.
Bull's Head, Marchington, 3rd Friday Tim Veitch 01283 840361
Crown, Hyde Lea, nr Stafford, 3rd Thu Steve Gullick 07847 382266
Cuckoo's Nest Folk Club*, Swan Hotel, St Edward St, Leek. Dave Rhead 01538 385260.
Dabbers Folk Club, Rifleman, James Hall Street, Nantwich. 1st Thur Bernard Potter 01270 258097.
Eccleshall Folk Club*, King's Arms. 2nd & 4th Thu . Derek Aldred 01785 851964.
Greyhound, George Street, Newcastle 2nd & 4th Mon (Irish) Martin D'Arcy 01782 622947
Huntsman, Cheadle 3rd Tuesday Lin Hulse 01782 395304.
Jervis Arms, Onecote. 2nd Sun. after 9pm , Rick Ford 01538 300026.
 1st Friday (Americana) Rick Ford 01538 300026.
Lamb and Flag, Little Haywood 1st Thu Frank Ryan 01889 881184.
Lord Nelson, Oakamoor 3rd Fri **Lorna Davies 01538 360256.**
Old Star, Uttoxeter 2nd Sun Fred Hopwood 01889 563123.
Potteries Folk Club*, closed June to August. . Jason Hill 01782 813401.
Red Bull, Church Lawton 2nd Tue. Pauline Lovekin 01782 562303.
Red Bull, Church Lawton last Thu (Americana) **Geoff Berrow 07985 425932**
Red Lion, Cheddleton NO INFO Dave Rhead 01538 385260
Red Lion, Cheswardine. 2nd Tue Pete Hall 01630 661429.
Royal Cottage, Upper Hulme. Last Fri. Val Williamson 01538 372602.
Royal Exchange, Stone. Tuesday Geoff Smith 07817 208152.
Spittalbrook Inn, Lichfield Road, Stafford. Tue. Colin Oats 01785 664352.
Swan, Cheadle (variable Sunday) Paul Gibson 01782 326688.
Swan, Stone 3rd Sun afternoon poems & pints Steve Batchelor 07599 905903
White Lion, Knighton. 1st Tue. Pete Hall 01630 661429.
White Star, Stoke Wed Geoff Smith 07817 208152.
White Star, Stoke NOT July or August **Malcolm Hawksworth 07805 529492.**
 Note: car park charge of £1
White Star, Stoke last Thursday (poems & Pints) Mark Bailey 07783 744962
Windmill, Werrington, alt Mon Paul Gibson 01782 326688.
Wilkes Head, St. Edwards St, Leek. Mon. Malcolm Moger (landlord) 07976 592787.
Yew Tree, Cauldon Low. 1st Tue. Bob Dring 01782 623801.

JUNE EVENTS

Closed June: Potteries

Tue 01 Yew Tree / Spittalbrook / White Lion (K) / Royal Exchange /
 Wed 02 **Chris White and Joe Broughton**, "Up in Arms" (Biddulph Arms)
 White Star
 Thu 03 Dabbers FC / Blacksmiths (B) / Lamb & Flag
 Fri 04 Blacksmiths (A) / Jervis Americana
 Sat 05 Bull's Head
 Mon 07 Wilkes Head
 Tue 08 Red Bull / Spittalbrook / Red Lion (Ches) / Royal Exchange / BlackLion
 Wed 09 White Star
 Thu 10 **Tom and Barbara Brown**, Eccleshall FC
Local artist charity night, Cuckoo's Nest FC
 Blacksmiths (B)
 Fri 11 Blacksmiths (A)
 Sun 13 Jervis Arms
Vice Bishops, Old Star
 Mon 14 Wilkes Head / Greyhound (N) / Windmill
 Tue 15 Huntsman / Spittalbrook / Bhurtpore / Royal Exchange
 Wed 16 White Star
Emily Portman Trio/Jonny Kearney and Lucy Farrell, "Up in Arms" (Biddulph Arms)
 Thu 17 Blacksmiths (B) / Crown
 Fri 18 Blacksmiths (A) / Bull's Head
 Sun 20 Swan (S)
 Mon 21 Wilkes Head
 Tue 22 Blue Bell / Spittalbrook / Royal Exchange / BlackLion
 Wed 23 White Star
 Thu 24 Singers' Night, Eccleshall FC
 Blacksmiths (B) / White Star (p&p) / **Red Bull Americana**
 Fri 25 Royal Cottage / Blacksmiths (A)
 Mon 28 Wilkes Head / Greyhound (N) / Windmill
 Tue 29 Bridge / Spittalbrook / Royal Exchange
 Wed 30 White Star / Greyhound (trial night in this venue)
Local Live Showcase, "Up in Arms" (Biddulph Arms)

***Expect an event charge for guest acts, especially at venues marked with an asterisk (*); please check amount with organisers.**

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JULY EVENTS

Closed July: Potteries

Thu 01	Dabbers FC / Blacksmiths (B) / Lamb & Flag
Fri 02	Jervis Americana / Blacksmiths (A)
Sat 03	Bull's Head
Mon 05	Wilkes Head
Tue 06	Yew Tree / Spittalbrook / White Lion (K) / BlackLion / Royal Exchange
Wed 07	White Star
Thu 08	Providence Jug Band , Eccleshall FC Tba , Cuckoo's Nest FC Blacksmiths (B)
Fri 09	Blacksmiths (A)
Sat 10	Folk in the Park (Biddulph Grange Country Park)
Sun 11	Vice Bishops , Old Star Jervis Arms
Mon 12	Wilkes Head / Greyhound (N) / Windmill
Tue 13	Red Bull / Spittalbrook / Red Lion (Ches)/ Royal Exchange)
Thu 15	Blacksmiths (B) / Crown
Wed 14	Chumbawamba , "Up in Arms" (Biddulph Town Hall) White Star
Fri 16	Blacksmiths (A) / Bull's Head / Lord Nelson
Sun 18	Swan (S)
Mon 19	Wilkes Head
Tue 20	Huntsman / Spittalbrook / Bhurtpore / Royal Exchange)/ BlackLion
Wed 21	Richard Digance , "Up in Arms" (Biddulph Town Hall) White Star
Thu 22	Singers' Night, Eccleshall FC Blacksmiths (B)
Fri 23	Blacksmiths (A)
Sun 25	Swan (C)
Mon 26	Wilkes Head / Greyhound (N) / Windmill
Tue 27	Spittalbrook / Blue Bell / Royal Exchange Loudmouth Women & Artisan , "Up in Arms" (Biddulph Town Hall)
Wed 28	White Star
Thu 29	Blacksmiths (B) / White Star (p&p) / Red Bull Americana Harvey Andrews & The Tindall Family , "Up in Arms" (Biddulph Town Hall)
Fri 30	Royal Cottage / Blacksmiths (A)

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AUGUST EVENTS

Closed in August – "Up in Arms", Potteries, Cuckoo's Nest

Mon 02	Wilkes Head
Tue 03	Yew Tree / Spittalbrook / White Lion (K) / Royal Exchange / BlackLion
Wed 04	White Star
Thu 05	Dabbers FC / Blacksmiths (B) / Lamb & Flag
Fri 06	Blacksmiths (A) / Jervis Americana
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Cajuns Denbo

Banda Bacana

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Saturday July 10

Biddulph Grange Country Park