

NOVEMBER EVENTS

Sat	01	Bull's Head Julie Fowlis , "Up in Arms" (Biddulph Town Hall)
Sun	02	Vice Bishops , Old Star Roebuck (H) / Roebuck (L)
Mon	03	Wilkes Head / Windmill
Tue	04	Yew Tree / Spittalbrook / White Lion (K)
Wed	05	White Star
Thu	06	Wicket Inn / Dabbers FC
Fri	07	Blacksmiths / Black Lion Murphy's Marbles , Dove Valley
Sun	09	Vice Bishops , Duncombe Arms Jervis Arms Roebuck (L)
Mon	10	Wilkes Head / Powys Arms
Tue	11	Gresley Arms / Spittalbrook / Red Lion (Ches)
Wed	12	White Star Megson , "Up in Arms" (Biddulph Arms)
Thu	13	Wicket Inn Driftwood , Eccleshall The Dylan Project Cuckoos Nest C
Fri	14	Tom McConville , Potteries FC Blacksmiths
Sat	15	Ceilidh with Cuckoos Nest Ceilidh Band, Coronation Hall Marston Montgomery - £10 including supper Tickets and information Sonia Little 01889 590471
Sun	16	Vice Bishops , Old Star Roebuck (H) / Roebuck (L)
Mon	17	Wilkes Head / Windmill
Tue	18	Spittalbrook / Bhurtpore / 3 rd Tuesday
Wed	19	White Star / George
Thu	20	Wicket Inn
Fri	21	Blacksmiths / Hunter / Bagot Arms /
Sun	23	Vice Bishops , the Vaults Roebuck (L)
Mon	24	Wilkes Head / Powys Arms
Tue	25	Spittalbrook / Blue Bell
Wed	26	White Star
Thu	27	Wicket Inn Cuckoos Nest FC (tbc see website)
Fri	28	Royal Cottage / Blacksmiths
Sun	30	Roebuck (H) / Roebuck (L)

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DETAILS OF VENUES & ORGANISERS

3rd Tue – venue tba	Lin Hulse 01782 395304.
Bagot Arms , Bagot Street, Abbots Bromley. 3 rd Fri.	Tim Veitch 01283 840361.
Bhurtpore Inn , Aston, nr Nantwich. 3 rd Tue.	Pete Hall 01630 661429.
Biddulph "Up In Arms" , Biddulph Arms or Biddulph Town Hall (variable)	Eric Cox 01782 514896.
Black Lion , Cheddleton, 1 st Fri	Victoria Berringer 01538 361306.
Blacksmith's Arms , Alton Fri (acoustic night)	Geoff Smith 07817 208152.
Blue Bell , Tushingham nr Whitchurch. 4 th Tue.	Pete Hall 01630 661429.
Bull's Head , Marchington, 1 st Sat Eileen & Phil Strong (Landlady/Landlord) 01283 820358.	
Cuckoo's Nest Folk Club* , Swan Hotel, St Edward St, Leek. Usually 2 nd Thu	Dave Rhead 01538 385260.
Dabbers Folk Club , Oddfellows Arms, Welsh Row, Nantwich. 1 st Thur	Bernard Potter 01270 258097.
Dove Valley Blues & Roots Club* , Doveridge Village Club, nr Uttoxeter. Fri/Sat variable	Fred Hopwood 01889 563123.
Duncombe Arms , Ellastone, nr Ashbourne. 2 nd Sun.	Fred Hopwood 01889 563123.
Eccleshall Folk Club* , King's Arms. 2 nd Thu	Derek Aldred 01785 851964.
George , Waterhouses, 3 rd Wed	Alan Hassall 07733 004458
Gresley Arms , Alsagers Bank 2 nd Tue.	Pauline Lovekin 01782 562303.
Hunter , Saverley Green 3 rd Fri.	Lorna Davies 01538 360256.
Jervis Arms , Onecote. 2 nd Sun.	Ellison Allcock 01782 564176, Rick Ford 01538 300026.
New Vic Theatre* . Occasional.	Booking office 01782 717962.
Old Star , Queen Street, Uttoxeter. 1 st & 3 rd Sun.	Fred Hopwood 01889 563123.
Potteries Folk Club* , Foxfield Railway, Caverswall Road, Blythe Bridge	Jason Hill 01782 813401.
Powys Arms , Wetley Rocks, alt Mon	Paul Gibson 01782 326688.
Red Lion , Cheswardine. 2 nd Tue	Pete Hall 01630 661429.
Roebuck , Hilderstone Alternate Sun	Paul Gibson 01782 326688
Roebuck , Derby Street, Leek Sun	Simon 07935 446099
Royal Cottage , Upper Hulme. Last Fri.	Val Williamson 01538 372602.
Spittalbrook Inn , Lichfield Road, Stafford. Tue.	Colin Oates 01785 664352.
The Vaults (Liquor Vaults) -Market Place, Uttoxeter. 4 th Sun.	Fred Hopwood 01889 563123.
White Lion , Knighton. 1 st Tue.	Pete Hall 01630 661429.
White Star , Stoke Wed (acoustic night)	Geoff Smith 07817 208152.
Wicket Inn , Lea Heath, nr Rugeley. Thu & others.	Glyn Evans (landlord) 01889 500277.
Windmill , Werrington, alt Mon	Paul Gibson 01782 326688.
Wilkes Head , St. Edwards St, Leek. Mon.	Malcolm Moger (landlord) 01538 383616.
Yew Tree , Cauldon Low. 1 st Tue.	Bob Dring 01782 623801.

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

SEPTEMBER EVENTS

Mon 01	Wilkes Head / Powys Arms
Tue 02	Yew Tree / Spittalbrook / White Lion (K)
Wed 03	White Star
Thu 04	Wicket Inn / Dabbers FC
Fri 05	Black Lion / Blacksmiths
Sat 06	Bull's Head Ceilidh with Cuckoos Nest Ceilidh Band, Snape Hall Farm Whitmore.- £5 – proceeds to Air Ambulance Tickets and information from: Brenda Slater 01782 680740
Sun 07	Vice Bishops , Duncombe Arms Roebuck (H) / Roebuck (L)
Mon 08	Wilkes Head / Windmill
Tue 09	Gresley Arms / Spittalbrook / Red Lion (Ches)
Wed 10	White Star Ruth Notman Trio , "Up in Arms" (Biddulph Arms)
Thu 11	Wicket Inn Staffordshire Men , Eccleshall Jacqui McShee's Pentangle (tbc) Cuckoos Nest FC
Fri 12	One Sheet Short , (Keith Kendrick and Geoff Higginbottom) Potteries FC Blacksmiths
Sat 13	Cuillin Blue , Dove Valley
Sun 14	Vice Bishops , Old Star Clay Faces . Wicket Inn Roebuck (L) / Jervis Arms
Mon 15	Wilkes Head / Powys Arms
Tue 16	Spittalbrook / Bhurtpore / 3 rd Tuesday
Wed 17	White Star / George
Thu 18	Wicket Inn
Fri 19	Hunter / Blacksmiths / Bagot Arms
Sun 21	Vice Bishops , The Vaults Roebuck (H) / Roebuck (L)
Mon 22	Wilkes Head / Windmill
Tue 23	Spittalbrook / Blue Bell
Wed 24	White Star The Churchfitters , "Up in Arms, (Biddulph Town Hall)
Thu 25	Wicket Inn Cuckoos Nest FC – tbc see website (cnfc@info)
Fri 26	Royal Cottage / Blacksmiths
Fri 26 or Sat 27	Dove Valley tba
Sun 28	Roebuck (L)
Mon 29	Wilkes Head / Powys Arms
Tue 30	Spittalbrook session contact Pete Hall

NB: We cannot be held responsible for the information included in this 'Diary', which is believed to be accurate at the time of printing. Please check the details (including any charge) with the organiser before travelling to an event.

OCTOBER EVENTS

Wed 01	White Star
Thu 02	Wicket Inn / Dabbers FC
Fri 03	Black Lion / Blacksmiths
Sat 04	Bull's Head Kerfuffle "Up in Arms", (Biddulph Town Hall)
Sun 05	Vice Bishops , Old Star Roebuck (H) / Roebuck (L)
Mon 06	Wilkes Head / Windmill
Tue 07	Yew Tree / Spittalbrook / White Lion (K) Vice Bishops Blues Band , Wicket Inn
Wed 08	White Star
Thu 09	Wicket Inn Singers' Night, Eccleshall Allan Taylor Cuckoos Nest FC
Fri 10	Notts Alliance . Potteries FC Dawson Smith , Dove Valley Blacksmiths
Sat 11	Ceilidh with Festival Ceilidh Band, Alstonfield Village Hall £12 including supper (bring your own beer etc) Tickets and information Dave and Val 01335 310322
Sun 12	Jervis Arms / Roebuck (L) Vice Bishops , Duncombe Arms Royal Oak, Wetton – lunchtime - Dave and Val 01335 310322
Mon 13	Wilkes Head / Powys Arms
Tue 14	Gresley Arms / Spittalbrook / Red Lion (Ches)
Wed 15	White Star / George
Thu 16	Wicket Inn
Fri 17	Hunter / Bagot Arms/ Blacksmiths
Sun 19	Vice Bishops , Old Star Roebuck (H) / Roebuck (L)
Mon 20	Wilkes Head / Windmill
Tue 21	Spittalbrook / Bhurtpore / 3 rd Tuesday
Wed 22	White Star
Thu 23	Wicket Inn Cuckoos Nest FC (tbc – see website)
Fri 24	Blacksmiths Rag Mama Rag , Dove Valley
Sun 26	Vice Bishops , The Vaults Roebuck (L)
Mon 27	Wilkes Head / Powys Arms
Tue 28	Spittalbrook / Blue Bell
Wed 29	White Star Vin Garbutt , "Up in Arms" (Biddulph Arms)
Thu 30	Wicket Inn
Fri 31	Blacksmiths / Royal Cottage

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