

ALSTONEFIELD VILLAGE HALL CONCERTS

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SOLD OUT

20
Oct

Amy Wadge

Returning to Alstonefield two years after her last sell-out show, Amy is a **Grammy Award**-winning singer-songwriter who in February 2016 won Song of the Year for co-writing Ed Sheeran's worldwide hit, Thinking Out Loud. Recent successes include having four songs on Kylie Minogue's new album and providing the music for the new BBC series, 'Keeping Faith'

23
Nov

Dave Pegg & A J Clarke

When musical virtuoso Dave Pegg, with decades of experience in bands such as Fairport Convention and Jethro Tull, bumped into Anthony John Clarke, one of the most entertaining and amusing raconteurs and songwriters on the scene, something special was bound to happen - and it does!



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8
Dec

John Tams & Barry Coope

John Tams has had a career spanning four decades in pretty much every performance medium. He's a former member of the Albion Band and Home Service, six times winner of the BBC Radio 2 Folk Awards, and songwriter for the **War Horse** theatre production.

12
Jan

IOTA (Sally Barker, Anna Ryder, Marion Fleetwood)

All three write, sing and sway in perfect harmony and each is a seasoned performer of the UK Folk/Rock scene. IOTA evoke the spirit and musical energy of The Roches whilst channelling the Supremes, Destiny's Child and Charlie's Angels!!



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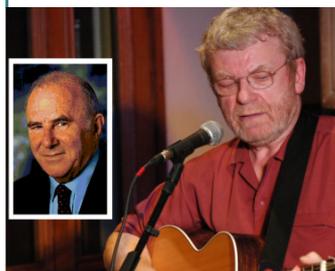
Stephen Fearing

One of Canada's finest guitar players and a unique vocalist who has shared the stage with everyone from Merle Haggard and Buck Owens to Richard Thompson and Martin Carthy. He's performed often in the UK both as a solo artist, with the award winning roots trio Blackie & the Rodeo Kings.

2
Mar

Kevin Dempsey & Joe Broughton

Since forming in 1999 this incredible duo have recorded four albums and toured extensively in over 20 countries round the world. Combining emotive songs, unrivalled instrumental capability and a spectacular high energy show, they never fail to create a spellbinding atmosphere



23
Mar

The 'near legendary' PETE ATKIN

BBC producer and musician who in the early 1970s made six highly collectable albums with writer and TV personality, **Clive James**, who wrote the words. Unclassifiable at the time, their work stands as a defining example of what has become known as 'English Chanson'.

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**6
April**

Eleanor McEvoy

one of Ireland's most accomplished contemporary singer/songwriters - best known for composing the song Only A Woman's Heart, which she sang to provide the title track of the best-selling Irish album in Irish history.



19 April

Gigspanner

Since his departure from Steeleye Span at the end of 2013, legendary fiddle player Peter Knight has turned his full attention to his trio Gigspanner, and in the process has firmly established their burgeoning reputation as one of the most innovative acts on the folk/roots scene.

**11
May**

Brooks Williams

Ranked in the Top 100 Acoustic Guitarists, blues and American roots musician Brooks Williams is a mean finger-picker and a stunning slide guitarist. He was also nominated for Best Male Vocalist by Spiral Earth, one of the UK's most respected roots music publications.



**8
June**

Charlie Dore w/Julian Littman

Although best known as a singer-songwriter (in particular for her 1990 single Pilot of the Airwaves), Charlie Dore has had a multi-faceted career that includes acting and composition for film and TV. Joined here by her musical partner, Steeleye Span's Julian Littman.

**22
June**

Reg Meuross

Reg has that rare gift of being able to touch people through his songs and performance, on a really human level, his words and music painting pictures that remain with the listener long after the song has been sung.



**14
Sep**

Polly Bolton & Bella Gaffney (band)

A new act on the folk scene and the best in show at Towersey 2018, in our humble opinion. Described as "Celtic bluegrass fusion", playing mandolin and guitar, they are accompanied by Sarah Smout on cello and Holly Brandon on violin, in their 'full band' line-up.

**28
Sept**

Iain Morrison Trio

Returning to Alstonefield as a three-piece, a year after his intimate show with Michael Chorney, Morrison's musical career has skyrocketed from his eclectic days on his native Isle of Lewis to playing alongside Jerry Douglas on BBC 4's Transatlantic Sessions.



**19
Oct**

Christine Collister with Michael Fix

One of the UK's most highly regarded singers, previously a member of Richard Thompson's band and a in a duo with Clive Gregson. She's also one of the members of the hugely popular Daphne's Flight. Touring again with top Australian guitarist, Michael Fix.