



DALES TRADITIONAL MUSIC AND DANCE COLLECTIVE
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for

Yorkshire Dales and Other Musicians, Callers, Singers, Dancers, Poets and
Listeners

1. RIPLEY TOWN HALL

An interesting development in a message from Mark Wallace on:

nidd.music.and.dance@gmail.com

Our next dance is to raise money for a Crowd Funding project to purchase Ripley Town Hall which you can read more about here:

<https://www.crowdfunder.co.uk/p/purchase-of-ripley-town-hall>.

The tickets are £15 this time which, after paying for the hall, will be given to the Crowdfunder project and hopefully ensure that we will continue to be able to use this wonderful hall for dances as well as the many other community events that it is used for.

Peter Barnard will be the caller for this dance and he has passed on a small explanation of what to expect.

"Expect to dance more dances than you would normally expect at a ceilidh! Peter has been working on unearthing the dances that were still danced in the Dales villages in the 20th century, and it seems that couple dances were as popular as the set dances. So, we will be alternating couple dances and set dances. Many of these dances were simple to learn and to dance. There will be waltzes, polkas, and named dances such as The Boston Two Step, together with local favourites such as Buttered Peas and Meeting Six. A good time for all!"

If you would like to join us, reply to the email address above and let me know how many tickets to reserve for you and then you can pay on the door. In the past it has been free for children but as this is a fundraising dance we're asking for an extra £5 per family if you're bringing your children. Please let me know how many are coming. Tickets are also available to buy on [TicketSource](https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/nidd-music-and-dance) which will include a booking fee: <https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/nidd-music-and-dance>.

Here is a flyer with all the info that you need, please share it with others.

Fundraising Dance

***Let's buy Ripley Town Hall
for the community!***

<https://www.crowdfunder.co.uk/p/purchase-of-ripley-town-hall>

Ripley Town Hall, Ripley, Main Street, HG3 3AX

***Yorkshire Dales music and dance with
The No Lazy Dancing Dance Band and caller Peter Barnard***

Saturday 14th September 2024



Doors 6:30 Dancing 7:00 until 10:00

Adults £15 or Family £15 per adult plus £5. Bar will be open.

Contact for booking : Mark Wallace

Email: nidd.music.and.dance@gmail.com

Mobile: 07714 939646

www.ticketsource.co.uk/nidd-music-and-dance

We look forward to seeing you, Mark.

2. Quick reminders;

- a) Saturday 12th October Grassington Town Hall 7pm to 10pm. See flyers attached to the email bringing this newsletter.
- b) Sunday 13th October 2pm to 5pm Pub session at the Buck.

3. STOP PRESS! Our Dales tune sessions will be in the bar at Ripley Town Hall starting at 7:00pm on 29th August and will hopefully be a monthly session. Mark again.



Happy traditional Dales music making!

Richard 20/8/2024 strand@hawswick.net

