

Treble Progress Report 2

I kept six honest serving-men, They taught me all I knew; Their names are What

(Treble is the third British Filk convention,) and Where

(being held at the Burlington Hotel, Grand Parade, Eastbourne,) and When

> (over the weekend of 1st - 3rd February 1991.) and How

(You pay Treble (£15.00), the hotel (£25.00 per person per night), you turn up, and enjoy the con,)

and Why

('Cos it's fun!) and Who

The Treble committee are: Richard the Rampant (Chairthing and Tech), Andy Morris (Treasurer and Tech). Gytha North (Membership and Hotel), Harry Payne. (Publications and lumbered), Pat Brown (Coordination and more Tech), and Ben Brown (no relation and not Tech). Cover artwork by Sue Mason.

The Guests are: Bill and Brenda Sutton, and Zander Nyrond.

Special Notice

1. Gytha, being an idiot did not make a back up of the membership database. You can guess what happened next can't you? If you have paid and your name is not on the list please let me know when and how much you paid so that I can set it right. Likewise, if you know of anyone else who has paid and their name isn't on the list let them or me know. Thanks.

2. This mailing brought to you courtesy of "At the Sign of the Dragon". PR3 will only be sent to members, so pay up soon.

There I was having a quiet break at work reading someone else's news paper when I nearly had a heart attack! Some pensioners in Eastbourne had been offered a free day out by a mysterious benefactor, when they returned to their hotel they discovered that the Bailiffs had gone in and closed the place down while they were out. This was the Sandhurst Hotel, Eastbourne, which had been booked for the first week end in February 1991 by Treble. Luckily Maggie Dalton, of Conference Support, was able to arrange the transfer of the booking to the Burlington Hotel.

The Burlington is larger than we need for Hotel rooms so there will be other guests there. All the function rooms that we are using are at one end of the hotel, with our own bar in the evenings and we should not have much mundane disruption. There is a Pub bar at the other end of the hotel and a cocktail bar in the middle. A certain Pat Brown of our acquaintance has quality tested some of the Single Malts stocked and pronounced them good. The Pub bar does snacks at lunch time only, the restaurant will be doing cheapish food at lunch time and three course dinner in the evening. There are several fast food joints within walking distance. There are more single rooms than we expected, but get your bookings in fast I'm sure we'll run out. Car parking could be difficult if you don't use the multi storey car park just round the corner. There will be a map in PR3. The Programme is taking shape, we particularly want to encourage audience participation and have designed some items to achieve this (*I hope*). There will be a film on Friday night, the Concert on Saturday Night, workshops, circles and programmed meal breaks!

Have you heard yourself on tape? Tried a stringed instrument other than a guitar? Wanted to hear that song every one was singing 3 years ago that hasn't been heard since? Sunk to the depths of filking depravity by hearing a Nyrond being Guest of Honour? Heard Bill or Brenda Sutton live? Tried to persuade Gytha that the axe is really a musical instrument? You should find something new to enjoy.

| Philip Allcock | 34 | Attending | Zander Nyrond | 21 | Guest |
|------------------------|----|-----------|---------------------|----|------------|
| Andrew Barton | 44 | Attending | Nigel Parsons | 45 | Supporting |
| Marion Beet | 23 | Attending | Joan Paterson | 46 | Attending |
| Chris Bell | 27 | Attending | Harry Payne | 5 | Attending |
| David Bell | 15 | Attending | Chris Power | 38 | Attending |
| Kenneth Bell | 28 | Attending | Richard the Rampant | 1 | Attending |
| Brian Biddle | 9 | Attending | Roger Robinson | 6 | Attending |
| Susan Booth | 36 | Attending | Tony Rogers | 14 | Attending |
| Jon Brewis | 24 | Attending | Anne Rundle | 33 | Attending |
| Ben Brown | 3 | Attending | Jean Sheward | 35 | Attending |
| Pat Brown | 4 | Attending | Michael Stein | 32 | Attending |
| Rafe Culpin | 11 | Attending | Bill Sutton | -1 | Guest |
| Lawrence Dean | 7 | Attending | Brenda Sutton | -2 | Guest |
| Michelle Dennis | 41 | Attending | Tibs | 47 | Attending |
| Dawb Everett | 10 | Attending | Julie Tottey | 40 | Attending |
| Gwen Funnell | 25 | Attending | Madalaine Tyrrell | 12 | Attending |
| Bruce Grant | 20 | Attending | Nick Tyrrell | 13 | Attending |
| Valerie Housden | 31 | Attending | Janet Waite | 22 | Attending |
| Rhodri James | 29 | Attending | Peter Wareham | 26 | Attending |
| Tim Kirk | 46 | Attending | Rick Weiss | 43 | Supporting |
| Bob Laurent | 39 | Attending | Karen Westhead | 18 | Attending |
| Bill Longley | 30 | Attending | Kathy Westhead | 16 | Attending |
| Chris Marriott | 8 | Attending | Mike Westhead | 17 | Attending |
| Carmen Miranda's Ghost | 0 | Attending | Peter Westhead | 19 | Attending |
| Andy Morris | 2 | Attending | Richard Wheatley | 48 | Attending |
| Gytha North | 42 | Attending | | | |

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION FORM

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Amount payable: £15.00 per person, £20.00 after 14 January 1991. Cuddly toys and Children under 10 £1.00 (badge only). Children aged 10 - 16 £6.00 Supporting £6.00. Conversion £9.00.

Amount paid £_____

Please enclose SAE if you want a receipt.

I agree to have this information stored on computer database.

Signature_

Have you booked your hotel room? (see seperate sheet)

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