



Sunday September 20th. 2026 at 1 p.m.

Tom Langham's Hot Fingers

featuring Miss Emily Campbell

It's the font of all knowledge – some would say !

What an absolute pleasure it is to be announcing yet another visit from Mr Langham and his 'Chosen Cotswold Cohorts' to give a demonstration of their 'Remarkable, Renowned, Musical Skills' upon the 'Well-Trod, Dove Podium. As I write this Bugle I can hear the loud rumble of thunder in the distance. If it gets too close and is accompanied by 'Violent Strikes of Lightening' and 'Cats and Dogs Rain' I might well have to take refuge in the cupboard under the stairs for a while ! Let us hope that 'The Storm is Passing Over,' as the words in the famed Gospel Number sung by that 'Gifted Vocalist, Miss Christine Tyrrell with 'Phil Mason's New Orleans All Stars' tell us ! There is a sentence containing fond, food for thought for all of us of a certain age ! I always considered that Bands did not come much better than Mr Mason's in those far off days when they visited the Centre of the Universe two or three times every year without fail.

However, I digress, not for the first time. Our 'July Offering' featured the outstanding 'Six Piece Alligator Gumbo Band' from Leeds who excelled with their carefully chosen 'New Orleans Programme' played with a great feeling for the music. They most certainly were worthy of more ears being tuned in to their melodious sounds in our Hall ! I am almost certain they will be returning in July of 2027, appearing as one of our 'Sunday Afternoon Concerts' which will also be included as part of the programme of the very popular and highly renowned 'Large Buxton Festival Fringe' , a first for Dove, so spreading the 'word' in an effort to interest ever more goodly folk in our 'Jazz Activities' - and put more bums on seats ! We are on the cusp of finalising our 2027's Programme' when many of the 'Tried and Trusted Dove Favourites' will be making a 'Triumphant Return' to the 'Centre of the Universe.' You will not be disappointed! 'More News Next Month'

It's a problem to find fresh 'Journalistic Tit-Bits' to grab your attention concerning today's 'Magical Musicians' amongst the many whom we have been privileged to invite to 'Grace the Dove Stage' with their skills over the past nearly forty years now.

'Tom's Top Draw Hot Fingers Combo' has numerous envious admirers amongst fellow 'Musos' but few who can deliver the goods with the same 'Amazing Langham Largesse.' Those of you who are enjoying the 'Captivating Experience' of a 'Meticulously Researched Langham Musical Masterclass' for the first time are in for a 'Treat.' Just, relax, sit back and marvel at 'Tom's Gifted Group' that will feature the 'Universally Loved,' for some unknown reason, **Malcolm Sked** who takes care of all matters '**Bass, both String and Brass**', the multi instrumental **Danny Blythe** playing **Reeds, Stringed Instruments and Harmonica** and the delectable 'Cotswold Nightingale,' **Miss Emily Campbell** vocalising as only she can!

It is a tight group of friends and musicians that does not rest on its laurels. It is continually evolving by developing their sympathetic interpretation of a vast range of musical sources that they draw their exciting musical repertoire from. There is an added bonus in **Spats** appearing on any 'Musical Platform,' in addition to his significant contributions on the **Guitar, Banjo, Ukulele and Vocals**. We will be able to enjoy his Meticulously Researched, Unrivalled, Encyclopaedic Knowledge of the 'Characters' who Wrote and Performed this Music, not forgetting those in the 'Wings' who brought it all together and made it happen. All of this fascinating link material between numbers is delivered with Tom's unique, effortless, relaxed flair and humour that comes to him so naturally.

All of the usual 'Dove Jazz Attractions' will be available on the 20th, Raffle Tickets for Amazing Prizes that you can buy as you pay to enter the Venue, Butcher Burnham's Bespoke Pork Pies only £3.00 with optional free condiments from the Bar, along with their usual wide range of refreshing drinks, including Tea and Coffee served in 'Ceramic Mugs'. We will be pleased to have the pleasure of your 'Valued Company' on the 11th October when 'Rich Bennetts New Orleans All Stars' will be dropping in to see us and no doubt play the odd tune or two after last year's 'Remarkable Performance.'

Our next attraction:

October 11th. 2026 at 1 p.m

Rich Bennett's New Orleans All Stars

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