



Dorset Guitar  
Society

# Newsletter

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[www.youtube.com/user/DorsetGuitarSociety](http://www.youtube.com/user/DorsetGuitarSociety)

## Concert Postponed

Unfortunately the planned concert by Gary Ryan and Manus Noble which was due to take place on Saturday 1st June with master class/workshop on the 2nd June has now been **cancelled**. The committee felt that due to lack of time to effectively publicise the concert and master class it was decided to postpone the event to a later time. Hopefully it will be rescheduled to a weekend in September 2013. Apologies to all who had forfeited other engagements in order to keep the date free in their diaries.



## The May DGS meeting

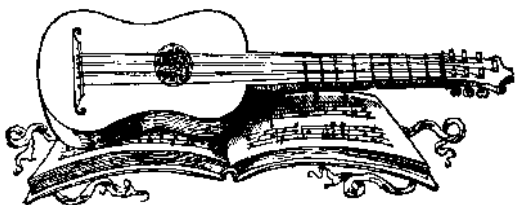
Since Grant will not be present at this month's meeting, Maurice and John will share the leading side of the ensemble rehearsal.

Maurice is planning to take us through Vivaldi (James don't forget your music!) and anything else we have time for. John is going to introduce us to his transcription of the Aria from H V-L's *Bachianas Brasileiras 5*---it is the full version from the eight cellos, and he hopes we can get to perform the whole thing including the Danza with a Soprano at some future date. All the parts are interesting and quite busy at times.

Although we will miss Grant I am sure, next meeting will give us a chance to focus more on any technical problems and do a bit of tidying up.

### Do you need new strings?

Chris would like to remind members that he bulk-buys D'addario strings and is happy to sell them to DGS members at a very reduced price. Also if any one needs guitar repairs or adjustments to their action, he is happy to do this free of charge, or for a small charge depending on time needed.



### Annual Federation of Guitar Societies AGM

This year, Greenwood are holding this year's AGM for the Federation of Guitar Societies.

Sue, John, Margaret, Bob, James, Paul and Peter are attending on behalf of DGS. The day will be structured as follows:

- Group play along (this year conducted by Gerald Garcia)
- Lunch (included in the price)
- FGS AGM held over lunch so as not to interfere with the playing!
- After lunch, individual societies play a piece or two.
- More group playing + final performance of ensemble music with conductor.

Venue:

**Greenwood Guitar Society, Greenwood Centre,  
School Road, Hampton Hill, Middlesex TW12  
1QL**

**Sunday June 23 2013 @ 10.30 - 4.30 Tickets £10**

## Forthcoming Concerts...



### Vincent Lindsey-Clark in Concert

the **point**  
EASTLEIGH

**Saturday 18 May 2013**  
**8.00pm**

*Tickets £12 (conc. £10) from the box office (023 8065 2333)  
or online at [www.thepointeastleigh.co.uk](http://www.thepointeastleigh.co.uk)*

## HAGO Hampshire Area Guitar Orchestra

### At the West Sussex Guitar Club



For those that know of hago, no introduction is necessary, for those that don't, none is possible. Suffice it to say that if you haven't experienced the sheer joy of attending a hago recital, then you have misused the previous years of your life.

Don't miss this performance on **Saturday June 15th 2013.**

Admission: £14, (£10 members), full-time students half price, under 18 free.

To reserve tickets, [click here](#) or ring **01243 696762.**

### Future meeting dates

- 19th May 2013 5.30pm-9.30pm
- 16th June 2013 5.30pm-9.30pm
- 21st July 2013 5.30pm-9.30pm
- 18th August 2013 5.30pm-9.30pm
- 15th September 2013 5.30pm-9.30pm
- Sunday 20th October **2pm to 5.30pm**

### Meeting Times April-September

Hall open from 5.30pm

**Ensemble rehearsal begins** 5.45pm

Conclusion of meeting 9.30pm

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Thank you,

