

DGS NEWS UPDATE

October 15th 2017

- **Please note** that meetings from Oct to March take place in the afternoon rather than the evening. From this month, meetings now start at **1.30pm** and finish at 5.15pm
- Grant would like to rehearse the following items:
 1. Slovak Folk Dance– parts attached to this email– Grant has created an extra part if anyone finds the original parts too challenging. Only choose this option though if you really can't manage any others
 2. Grant's 'DGS' piece rehearsed some time ago. If you don't have this, Grant will bring parts
 3. Farandole– grant to bring parts
 4. Peter N may also wish to rehearse something – If so I will send round parts

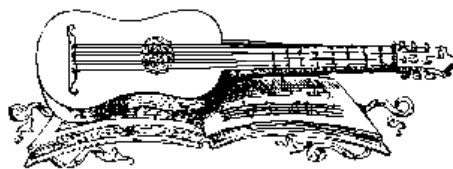
This Month's meeting will conclude with a performance by student James Mascord who is currently preparing his ATCL diploma. He is keen to be able to perform his programme and I thought it would be a nice way to conclude our meeting. He will perform for us from 4pm

November 3rd 2017

Maurice Albin has been busy organising a recital by his former student, Will McNicol. This concert is in memory of former DGS member Joyce Alsford. The concert will take place at KCC on Friday 3rd November 7.30pm (poster attached to this email)

Maurice has also suggested that the DGS ensemble could perform a short programme at the event. Current thinking is that the short concert we are preparing for Colehill could be repeated at this concert if sufficient numbers are available.

Please all let me know your availability to perform on the 3rd Nov by clicking on this [link](#). Let's hope that we can all support this concert either in the ensemble or just as audience!



Colehill Concert and November Meeting

Grant has suggested that as we have the Colehill concert on the 17th Nov, that we reschedule the November meeting to a week earlier (12th November 1.30pm) to prepare for the concert. Again, please let us know your availability using the link for Will McNicol above. When filling out the form– PLEASE WRITE YOUR NAME

Future Dates

OCTOBER 15th 2017
MEETING 1.30pm-5.15pm

NOVEMBER 3rd 2017
Will McNicol Concert and short DGS performance 7.30pm

NOVEMBER 12th 2017
MEETING 1.30pm-5.15pm

NOVEMBER 17th 2017
Colehill Concert 7.30pm

Annual General Meeting

Prior notice that the AGM will take place at the start of the November meeting 1.30pm

CONGRATULATIONS

To all involved in the Hurst Castle concert on the 16th Sept. We performed well with a reduced number of players and earned £400 for the Society. Thanks to Hurst Castle for inviting us to play.