

Enharmonicon The 30<sup>th</sup> UK filk convention Best Western Marks Tey 2-4 February 2018

Progress report 2 November 2017

#### Hello!

We are so excited for Enharmonicon, which is now less than four months away! Please read this progress report carefully as we have lots of exciting things to talk about, including a few requests for you. This email also contains the all-important hotel booking form. Please get that back to us as soon as you can.

If you know someone who hasn't signed up to this excellent con yet (rumours that this includes at least half the committee may or may not be true), please give them a little nudge to remind them that prices go up on December 1st.

More details about everything at our website: www.contabile.org.uk/enharmonicon

# Set request form

Interested in performing or holding a workshop at Enharmonicon? You can fill in the form online to sign up for a set. Don't worry if you don't know the details of your set yet - just try and update us when you can. You can ask for a 30 or 60 minute slot - we will try to accommodate you if you would like a different length but can't guarantee it! Please bear in mind your slot time will include set-up and teardown. If you're not sure what your technical requirements might be, get in touch and we'll help you work it out.

Depending on how many requests we get, we may not be able to fit everyone in, so please don't assume you have a set until you've had confirmation from us. Send in your forms by November 30th; we're aiming to get back to everyone by mid-December to confirm.

## Sams workshops

Do you want to build your own Sam?

Come on, let's go and play! As part of our 30th anniversary celebrations  $\Omega$ mega will be running a series of workshops over the weekend for people to make their own mini Sam award statuettes. For almost two decades  $\Omega$ mega has been making all sorts of amazing creations from a base of an artist's mannequin to serve as the awards at the UK Filk Awards, known as the Sams.

There will be a limited number of spaces on these workshops, so please sign up soon by dropping us an email to enharmonicon@gmail.com

All materials will be supplied, so whether you have never won anything in your life, or want to add to your well-stuffed trophy cabinet, please join us.

## Send in memories/photos

As it's the 30th annual UK Filk Convention we'd love if we could celebrate the history of our community and so we are asking you to help. We'd appreciate any memories or photos you can send to us about the UK filk community, whether it's about decades ago or just months. Help us commemorate this very special time.

By sending these to us you are consenting to us using these publicly in relation to Enharmonicon. These will be fully credited unless anonymity is requested.

## The full 30!

Are you one of the amazing few who have made it to every single UK filk convention thus far? Please let us know!

### Pronoun stickers

This year we will have pronoun stickers available for people to add to their badges. These are not required, but we would like to encourage everyone to wear one, no matter how obvious you feel it may be. This is so that everyone can be referred to with the correct pronouns without othering trans and non-binary people. People are free to change their sticker, or to have multiple stickers.

"She/her", "he/him", and "they/them" will be available, as well as blank stickers. Please check badge stickers before you refer to someone with a pronoun. If you have any further questions or suggestions please contact the convention email address: enharmonicon@gmail.com

For more information on gender neutral pronouns there is a guide at http://motto.time.com/4327915/gender-neutral-pronouns/ Some text in this is adapted from https://thebodyisnotanapology.com/magazine/pronoun-round-etiquette/.



#### 2-4 February 2017 Best Western Hotel, Marks Tey

# Hotel Booking Request Form Please delete fields as appropriate

PLEASE NOTE: We would love it if you went to the website and filled in the Google form there for your hotel booking. If that doesn't work for you, proceed below...

Name:
Are you sharing/prepared to share a room? Yes/No
IF YES Name of sharer:
<b>OR</b> Would you like us to organise a room share for you? Yes/No
Room type preferred (prices without/with breakfast):
Single - £60/£68

Double/Twin - £68/£75

Adjoining room (2 adults, 2 children) - £115/£155 Adjoining room (family of 4 adults) - £130/£155

#### Nights required:

Thursday 1st February	Yes/No
Friday 2nd February	Yes/No
Saturday 3rd February	Yes/No
Sunday 4th February	Yes/No
Monday 5th February	Yes/No

Please note: only Friday-Sunday are guaranteed available at the convention price

relevant allergies/ wheelchair access/ground floor room etc)

Return by email to enharmonicon@gmail.com, or by post to 2A Wendover Road, Eltham, London, SE9 6NP

You can also send us all the information in this form as text by email, or take a photo of your form and send it, or send us an interpretive dance video of your form. Okay, that might be pushing it a bit, but please get your information to us by the end of December.



#### Set Request Form

Name of Act/Performer:
Contact Details:
Name:
Email.

Phone:

Set Length Desired (short sets are 30min and long sets are 60min, including set up and break down time, other lengths may be possible if required, please state):

Tech Requirements (the more details you can give about number of performers, instruments etc, the better):

Description for Programme Book:

If you have any further requirements/info such as preferred times/days, please state it here:

## Membership list (as of 20th November 2017)

Abi Crook (G)
Alistair Crook (G)
Rachel Crook (G)
Betsy Tinney (G)
Ωmega (G)

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Marilisa (C)
Jackie (C)
Emily (C)

KT (C) Kate Soley-Barton

Shadow Andrew Barton

Aunty Marion Minnow

Michael Bernardi

Matt

Susan Booth

Lisa

Blind Lemming Chiffon

Fhtagn Christo Deborah

Liz Rafe

Miki Dennis Katy

Sue Edwards

Pippa Simon Colin Fine

Gwen Funnell

Franklin Rick Hewett Ju Honisch Valerie Housden

Rhodri James Janet Johnston Talis

Silke Debbie Levy

Rayner Lucas Steve Macdonald

Sib

Minstrel Billy

Janet Maughan Robert Maughan

Steve Melnikoff Bob Moore

Lesley Moore Fantom James Alex

Alison Richards Mike Richards Roger Robinson

Mich Songbird

Dave Stevenson

Jessica Lydia Naomi

Barbara Stewart

John Stewart Ben Supper Michelle Supper

Nat

Melusine Colin Tuckley Peter Tyers Peter Wareham Karen Westhead Kathy Westhead Mike Westhead Peter Westhead

Hitch Tiggy

Dale Williamson

Thomas Heike Aileen Inamac Teddy

Hilary Ann
Donnacat
Janet Johnston

Nye

Paul Bristow Andrew January

(C): Committee (G): Guest