

AUGUST EVENTS

Clubs closed in August: Cuckoo's Nest, Bigddulph "Up in Arms",
Potteries Folk Club

Fri 01	Black Lion / Blacksmiths
Sat 02	Bull's Head
Sun 03	Vice Bishops , Old Star
Mon 04	Wilkes Head / Powys Arms
Tue 05	Yew Tree / Spittalbrook / White Lion (K)
Wed 06	Chumbawumba , The New Vic
Thu 07	Wicket Inn / Dabbers FC
Fri 08	Blacksmiths
Sun 10	Vice Bishops , Duncombe Arms Jervis Arms / Roebuck
Mon 11	Wilkes Head
Tue 12	Gresley Arms / Spittalbrook / Red Lion (Ches)
Thu 14	Wicket Inn Singers' Night, Eccleshall
Fri 15	Hunter / Bagot Arms / Blacksmiths
Sun 17	Vice Bishops , Old Star
Mon 18	Wilkes Head / Powys Arms
Tue 19	Huntsman / Spittalbrook / Bhurtpore
Thu 21	Wicket Inn
Fri 22	Blacksmiths
Sun 24	Clay Faces , Wicket Inn Vice Bishops , the Vaults Roebuck
Mon 25	Wilkes Head
Tue 26	Spittalbrook / Blue Bell
Thu 28	Wicket Inn
Fri 29	Royal Cottage / Blacksmiths

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FOLK IN THE PARK

Saturday 12 July 2008 – Biddulph Grange Country Park

A mixture of Folk/Rock, Cajun and Rock& Roll

Details from Eric Cox Tel 01782 514896

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DETAILS OF VENUES & ORGANISERS

denote venue changes

Bagot Arms , Bagot Street, Abbots Bromley. 3 rd Fri.	Tim Veitch 01283 840361.
Bhurtpore Inn , Aston, nr Nantwich. 3 rd Tue.	Pete Hall 01630 661429.
Biddulph "Up In Arms"/Town Hall , Biddulph Arms or Biddulph Town Hall (variable)	Eric Cox 01782 514896.
Black Lion , Cheddleton, 1 st Fri	Victoria Berringer 01538 361306.
Blacksmith's Arms , Alton Fri	Geoff Smith 07817 208152.
Blue Bell , Tushingham nr Whitchurch. 4 th Tue.	Pete Hall 01630 661429.
Bull's Head , Marchington, 1 st Sat Eileen & Phil Strong (Landlady/Landlord) 01283 820358.	
Cuckoo's Nest Folk Club* , Swan Hotel, St Edward St, Leek. Usually 2 nd Thu	Dave Rhead 01538 385260.
Dabbers Folk Club , Oddfellows Arms, Welsh Row, Nantwich. 1 st Thur	Bernard Potter 01270 258097.
Dove Valley Blues & Roots Club* , Doveridge Village Club, nr Uttoxeter. Fri/Sat variable	Fred Hopwood 01889 563123.
Duncombe Arms , Ellastone, nr Ashbourne. 2 nd Sun.	Fred Hopwood 01889 563123.
## Eccleshall Folk Club* , King's Arms. 2 nd Thu	Derek Aldred 01785 851964.
Gresley Arms , Alsagers Bank 2 nd Tue.	Pauline Lovekin 01782 562303.
## Hunter , Saverley Green, (formerly Red Lion, Cheddleton) 3 rd Fri.	Lorna Davies 01538 360256.
Huntsman , The Green, Brookhouses, Cheadle. Usually 3 rd Tue.	Lin Hulse 01782 395304.
Jervis Arms , Onecote. 2 nd Sun.	Ellison Allcock 01782 564176, Rick Ford 01538 300026.
New Vic Theatre* . Occasional.	Booking office 01782 717962.
Old Star , Queen Street, Uttoxeter. 1 st & 3 rd Sun.	Fred Hopwood 01889 563123.
Potteries Folk Club* , closed until September.	Jason Hill 01782 813401.
Powys Arms , Wetley Rocks, alt Mon	Paul Gibson 01782 326688.
Red Lion , Cheswardine. 2 nd Tue	Pete Hall 01630 661429.
Roebuck , Hilderstone Alternate Sun	Paul Gibson 01782 326688
Royal Cottage , Upper Hulme. Last Fri.	Val Williamson 01538 372602.
Spittalbrook Inn , Lichfield Road, Stafford. Tue.	Colin Oats 01785 664352.
The Vaults (Liquor Vaults) -Market Place, Uttoxeter. 4 th Sun.	Fred Hopwood 01889 563123.
White Lion , Knighton. 1 st Tue.	Pete Hall 01630 661429.
Wicket Inn , Lea Heath, nr Rugeley. Thu & others.	Glyn Evans (landlord) 01889 500277.
Wilkes Head , St. Edwards St, Leek. Mon.	Malcolm Moger (landlord) 01538 383616.
Yew Tree , Cauldon Low. 1 st Tue.	Bob Dring 01782 623801.

Expect an event charge for guest acts, especially at venues marked with an asterisk ();
please check amount with organisers.

JUNE EVENTS

Sun 01	Vice Bishops , Old Star Roebuck Lunchtime session with the Festival Ceilidh band, Royal Oak, Wetton
Mon 02	Wilkes Head
Tue 03	Yew Tree / Spittalbrook / White Lion (K)
Thu 05	Wicket Inn / Dabbers FC
Fri 06	Black Lion / Blacksmiths
Sat 07	Bull's Head
Sun 08	Vice Bishops , Duncombe Arms Jervis Arms
Mon 09	Wilkes Head / Powys Arms
Wed 11	Stephen Fearing , "Up in Arms" (Biddulph Arms)
Tue 10	Gresley Arms / Spittalbrook / Red Lion (Ches)
Thu 12	Wicket Inn Singers' Night + Serendipity , Eccleshall Phil Cool and Ken Nicol , Cuckoos Nest
Fri 13	Blacksmiths The Blues Toones , Dove Valley
Sun 15	Vice Bishops , Old Star Split Sofa . Wicket Inn Roebuck
Mon 16	Wilkes Head
Tue 17	Huntsman / Spittalbrook / Bhurtpore
Thu 19	Wicket Inn
Fri 20	Hunter / Blacksmiths / Bagot Arms
Sun 22	Vice Bishops , The Vaults
Mon 23	Wilkes Head / Powys Arms
Tue 24	Spittalbrook / Blue Bell
Thu 26	Wicket Inn
Fri 27	Royal Cottage / Blacksmiths
Sat 28	Martin Simpson & Andy Cutting , "Up in Arms" (Biddulph Town Hall)
Sun 29	Roebuck
Mon 30	Wilkes Head

ORGANISERS please send any information for the next edition to lorna.davies@uk.michelin.com or telephone 01538 360256 before 30th June 2008

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JULY EVENTS

Tue 01	Yew Tree / Spittalbrook / White Lion (K)
Thu 03	Wicket Inn / Dabbers FC
Fri 04	Black Lion / Blacksmiths
Sat 05	Bull's Head
Sun 06	Vice Bishops , Old Star
Mon 07	Wilkes Head / Powys Arms
Tue 08	Gresley Arms / Spittalbrook / Red Lion (Ches)
Wed 09	Martha Tilston , "Up in Arms" (Biddulph Arms)
Thu 10	Wicket Inn Singers' Night, Eccleshall Phil Bates and Nik Kaminski , Cuckoos Nest Blacksmiths
Fri 11	Blacksmiths
Sat 12	FOLK IN THE PARK – see advert
Sun 13	Jervis Arms / Roebuck Vice Bishops , Duncombe Arms
Mon 14	Wilkes Head
Tue 15	Huntsman / Spittalbrook / Bhurtpore Flossie Malavialle / Loud Mouth Women , "Up in Arms" (B'ulph Town Hall)
Thu 17	Wicket Inn
Fri 18	Hunter / Bagot Arms/ Blacksmiths
Sun 20	Vice Bishops , Old Star Wicketstock Music Festival , Wicket Inn
Mon 21	Wilkes Head / Powys Arms
Tue 22	Spittalbrook / Blue Bell
Thu 24	Wicket Inn
Fri 25	Royal Cottage / Blacksmiths
Sun 27	Vice Bishops , The Vaults Roebuck
Mon 28	Wilkes Head
Tue 29	Spittalbrook / session contact Pete Hall
Wed 30	Evan Christopher's Django a la Creole . The New Vic
Thu 31	Wicket Inn