



"The Listening Club"

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Brentwood Organ & Keyboard Club

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GENERAL COMMITTEE	Vacant ! Volunteers?	

Dear Friends

Monthly Newsletter 403

March 2019

Club Diary 2019

<u>Date</u>	<u>Artiste</u>	<u>Doors</u>
25 th Mar	Ian House Members renewals	7 pm
15 th April	Pete Shaw	7 pm
20 th May	Mathew Bason *AGM *	Awaits
24 th June	Kevin Grunill	7pm

Other Clubs

<u>Club</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Artiste</u>	<u>Doors</u>
WA	10 th April	Michael Wooldridge	7.50pm
CL	10 th April	DirkJan Ranzijn	7 pm
CH	Easter	NO MEETING	7.15pm
CO	5 th April	Ryan Edwards	7 pm

www.organfax.co.uk/events/

Club contact number

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CO - Colchester Tel 01787 269458
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Tonight's Concert

25th March 2019

Ian House



Ian House is a popular musician. His performances have taken him across Europe. Within in a comparatively short time he has built a reputation for creativity and technical know how. Ian was born and raised in Bristol, a member of a very musical family and tradition. Ian's encouragement in music began age seven. His original study choice was keyboard and he later developed this onto the organ. Ian worked through his grades ultimately achieving a Diploma from the London College of Music and Media.

At 13 Ian was introduced to the theatre organ during a visit to the Thursford collection in Norfolk. This fostered an interest in studying the instrument further, consequentially he went on to win the Young Theatre Organist of the Year competition in 2003. Ian now works as both a consultant and a National Piano and Keyboard specialist for Yamaha Music Europe and Yamaha Corporation Japan.

For our Members...

Membership renewals are due now.

Please renew tonight. at the March concert.

New to the club and would like to join us?

Collect an application form tonight on the door.

We will be pleased to welcome you.

20th May - AGM - Members -

Please attend this important meeting -

Performance time 7-45 pm

Club members celebrations **Birthdays**

Mar

Margaret Curtis, Yvette Roberts

Apr

Elizabeth Collard, Rodger Green & David Schuster.

Refreshments

Our thanks as always to those
looking
after us with our
Tea, Coffee & biscuits.

2019

Mar 25th

James Eringa, Jenny Stilton & Jean.

Apr 15th

Kathleen Crockett, Janet and Brian Cox.

***Please volunteer - Jean would appreciate help on
the refreshment rota!***

Please let Jean know if you are unable to help on you're indicated

Notices

Entrance charged on concert evenings:-

**£5.00 for members
&
£7.00 for non-members.**

Finance - Last Concert
(to keep you informed)

Paul Carman Concert

25th February 2019

On the night 53 members
and 19 visitors joined us for
our concert.

The raffle brought in £100
the club made a profit on the
evening of; £135-90

Viability - To continue ?

Your club needs more members.

Please help support your club and
buy BOKC Raffle tickets during the
concert.

Please consider serving on the com-
mittee or refreshments rota?

Membership 2019/2020

Would you like to continue your
membership or maybe now become a
new member of this club?

Renewals & Joiners commence for
2019-2020 at March concert.

Additions to newsletter?

Speak to Steve Morl - Secretary.

Website

WWW.BOKC-NEWS.co.uk

Forthcoming Concert

Peter Shaw 15th Apr 2019

Born in February 1960 at Tyldesley, Manchester and with encouragement from a musical family, Pete has been playing piano since the age of 4. He is very well respected in the organ/keyboard business with which he has been associated for over 41 years and is currently Playing the stunning KORG Keyboard products. He started playing semi professionally in the north west working men's clubs at 15 years of age backing cabaret artistes with a 7 keyboard set up !! His love of organs and keyboards took him around the North West in the 80's and 90's visiting Organ Societies and AOE festivals where he proved very popular, and now, after a nine year break, he is back on the Organ Society and festival circuit with a new keyboard show including some great vocal performances.

Credit – Organ Fax



Review of our Recent Concert

25th February 2019 Paul Carman



Paul Carman – A concert performance that didn't disappoint. At the start of the evening, as visitors came through the door, conversations were about how entertaining a recent Paul Carman concert had been. It was soon apparent the performance would be well attended.

Paul proved to be most entertaining. We expect our attending artists to be accomplished musicians, and they are, but Paul also brought with him a great sense of humour worthy of any stand-up comedian. When he wasn't playing his music or making us laugh he was singing to us. Most should agree Paul gave us good entertainment to remember.

Paul's instrument.

Korg Pa4X, In split mode with pedalboard -

Proving that a modern keyboard can successfully replace a two manual organ.

For further review comment please view our website

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