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# Brentwood Organ & Keyboard Club

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**BOKC Monthly Newsletter - 421 22 Feb 22**

## Club Diary 2022

Date	Artiste	Doors
Tues 22 <sup>nd</sup> Feb	Andrew Nix	2pm
Tues 29 <sup>th</sup> Mar	Elizabeth Harrison.	1-45pm
	Awaiting artiste confirmation	
4 <sup>th</sup> . TUES	Afternoon Concert trial	1-45pm For 2-15pm

## Other Clubs

Club	Date	Artiste	Doors
WA	9 <sup>th</sup> Mar	Chris Powell	7.50 pm
CL	9 <sup>th</sup> Mar	Elizabeth Harrison	7 pm
MO	14 <sup>th</sup> Mar	Daniel Watt FLCM	7 pm

*Clubs fold? - Please confirm performance by contacting the club by phone prior to attending.*

[www.organfax.co.uk/events/](http://www.organfax.co.uk/events/)

Club contact number

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## 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2022 - (Afternoon ) Concert

### Andrew Nix

Andrew Nix, born 1968 near Selby, North Yorkshire, he is both a musician and an entertainer with a varied musical repertoire and broad Yorkshire humour. Ten years old and Andrew showed an interest in keyboard instruments. His mother had an organ at home and Andrew sat and learned several Christmas carols despite it being summer' His parents saw his potential and arranged lessons for him. Influenced by his two teachers he nevertheless developed a style of his own.



On leaving school Andrew was offered three nights a week performing in a local club where he accompanied artistes and played for the dancers. This grounding prove helpful and the 17 Andrew was appointed Organist and Musical Director for a Theatre Group performing at Butlins, Barry Island. He enjoyed this position and whilst in it gained experience and confidence. After three further seasons with Butlins and one for Haven Holidays Andrew became fully freelance. He was increasingly in demand for concerts and dances nation-wide on both Theatre and Electronic organs.

In May 2000 Andrew started performing on a Roland Atelier and now presently tours with the AT900c. Theatre organ sounds are an asset to Andrew's programme, from Ballads to Latin, Marches to Musicals, Andrew is one of the busiest performers on the circuit performing light hearted shows with a wide range of musical tastes.

He and his good friend Tony Stace are now firmly established as festival organisers. Trading as [Topnote Events](#)

**Covid measures! Dear Audience - please wear a Mask.**  
**Sanitise hands, distance. - COVID is still with us!**

### BOKC TRIAL-Club night moved to - Tuesday afternoons 2-15pm!

Comment on trial? - Please write, email or speak with a committee member  
[comment@bokc-news.co.uk](mailto:comment@bokc-news.co.uk)

**Please note doors open 1-45pm**

Performance time Afternoon 2-15 pm

## Refreshments

*Jean could do with you on her team ?*

**Tues - Feb 22nd** Jean, and ?  
**Tues - Mar 29th** Jean, and ?

Jean needs a help at each concert serving tea & coffee. Maybe you?

## Birthdays

Club members celebrations



**Feb** Stanley Banks, Jean Heath, Hazel Honour, Brenda Hutton, Joyce Priest, Pat Sherman & Judy Travis.

**Mar** None known

**Are you a visitor today? - Please complete a 'Covid' contact**

**Donation Box? Sorry, No Raffle tonight due to illness. Please consider leaving a donation toward your clubs funds.**

## Notices

Members. Not renewed yet?

Please pay subs today. Exact money.

NO CHEQUE'S please.

Fees £8 single £12 Couple.

### Raffle

Please support our club by buying a raffle ticket.

### Finance - last concert

(to keep you informed)

Chris Jones 25<sup>th</sup> Jan Concert.

Audience on the afternoon

42 members 8 visitors.

Club Raffle profit = **£ 60-00**

Concert night the overall result

**A loss to the club of = £27.08**

### NEXT MONTH

**Tues 29<sup>th</sup> March 2022**

**Elizabeth Harrison**



BOKC Concerts,

Afternoon trial 2-15pm start.

Please Sanitise your hands, keep social distance. Chat with friends in the open air.

### Additions to newsletter?

Speak to Steve Morl - Secretary.

### Website

**WWW.BOKC-NEWS.co.uk**

## Forthcoming Concert

**Elizabeth Harrison (TUES 2-15pm) 29<sup>th</sup> Mar 2022**

Elizabeth Harrison born December 1976 just outside Preston, Lancashire. She has established herself on the concert circuit not only as a musician but also as an entertainer. Her varied musical repertoire along with her cheerful Lancashire humour has made her one of the country's favourite performers.

*'Elizabeth's performances are full of life and expression and her choice of music is interesting with lots of variety. Not a note of sheet music in sight. She loves every minute and feels right at home on stage.'*

*Says Organfax*

*Photo WePhoto*

## Our recent concert

### 25<sup>th</sup> Concert Chris Jones

BOKC was pleased to welcome Chris Jones with his Customised Yamaha AR100 and Ketron SD40 arranger module at the first of our afternoon concerts. Our audience, the largest since the start of the pandemic seem to be approving of the performance time change introduced to avoid travelling in the dark during winter evenings attending our concerts.

The audience were presented with an afternoon of musical variety, from the 50's to recent times. Many old favourites, medleys and singalongs. Chris made a point of introducing the music with comments on composers and contemporary events

#### From the 1st half

Hello Dolly, Miss Marple, The railway children, Wheels, Entry of the Gladiators, portrait of my love, Walk away, Say wonderful things to me, The old rugged cross, Amazing grace, Jerusalem, God bless the prince of Wales, Keep the home fires burning, There will always be an England, Long way to Tipperary. Loch Lomond, You'll never walk alone, Pack up your troubles.

#### From the 2nd half

Rock around the clock, Oh Boy, This old House, The bare necessities, If I ruled the world, Save your kisses for me, meditation, Sleepy Lagoon, If I were a rich man, Sun rise sun set, Match maker, Opus 1, Deep in the heart of Texas, The way to Amirillo, Hands up baby, Ob-La-Di Ob-La-Da, The Lambeth walk, You made me love you, On Mother Kelly's door step, Show me the way to go home, We'll meet again. I've got the sun in the morning and the moon at night.

**Encore Land of Hope & Glory.**

### Club Membership renewal - from January 2022

For all members of BOKC. Please pay your annual membership Members cards to be Issued at February concert.

**On the door entry —Guests £7 — Members £5**

For further review comment please view our website

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