

Reminisce

ENTERTAINMENT

★ Discover the power of nostalgia ★

ARTISTE BROCHURE



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Introduction

At Reminisce Entertainment, we are passionate about helping your residents to relive their memories and experiences by providing a variety of artists tailored to their needs. With artistes typically embodying eras from the 1920s to the 1970s, they will provide the perfect performance at an affordable price, ensuring your residents are left with smiles on their faces and nostalgia in their hearts.

We can also provide thematic performances on request, such as Country and Western, Traditional English, Irish, and many more.

We understand the importance of respect and our performers are experienced in dealing with a variety of different people, needs, and situations, particularly Dementia and Alzheimer's. Our artistes are considerate, sympathetic, and enthusiastic to deliver a great performance everytime.

Ultimately, our ethos is to bring light and pleasure to your resident's day by helping them discover the power of nostalgia



Dev the Barber

Male Grooming Service

Based in Oxfordshire



Professional Grooming Services –
Brought Directly to Your Care Home

Helping your male residents look good,
feel good and enjoy a little time for
themselves.

Dev provides a friendly, professional
mobile male grooming service
specifically for care homes and assisted
living communities.

He will bring all equipment required
and provide a friendly, respectful and
professional service, working around
your residents, staff and daily
activities.

Whether you have 8 residents or 20+
residents, we can organise a dedicated
grooming day for your home.
Dev brings the barbering experience
directly to your residents, providing
convenient personal grooming in a
comfortable and familiar environment.

HAIRCUTS - Traditional cuts, clipper cuts and tidy-ups.

BEARD TRIMS - Beard trimming, shaping and maintenance.

EAR TRIMS - A discreet and professional ear-hair trim.

EYEBROW TRIMS - Keeping eyebrows neat and well maintained.

NOSE TRIMS - A safe and comfortable nose-hair trim.

**A COMPLETE GROOMING EXPERIENCE – NOT JUST A HAIRCUT.
GIVE YOUR MALE RESIDENTS SOMETHING TO LOOK FORWARD TO.**



Chris Murrell

Based in Surrey



Usually performing in ensembles as a Musical Theatre Performer, Singer/Dancer, Chris Murrell has been consistently treading the boards in London's West End, cruising The Seven Seas, taking international residencies, and touring across the length and breadth of Britain for over 20 years. Besides stints in shows like Dancing in The Street, The Harder They Come, and Five Guys Named Moe, he has also featured in a number of Soul, Motown, Disco, and party bands/acts which he still does. But with the opportunity and incentive to finally do his own thing, Chris has put time into developing a Soul tribute act that's designed to be a bit more than a gig - it's a show!

Being a creative with strong individual traits, Chris has chosen to honour a pioneering Soul catalogue which for the most part is conspicuous by its absence from the usual tribute circuit. But for Chris this choice wasn't just about having a niche; it was about the desire to perform a show top-to-bottom completely relating to the sound, spirit, and feel of the subject material. And although the show is not an attempt at impersonation Chris has made designs on inhabiting his tribute with a respectful emulation of the original recordings which to this day mesmerise audiences with infectious lyrics and classic delivery. So, with a foot stomping, soul shaking, sing-a-longing hootenanny, Chris humbly makes dedication to who, where, and what can be credited with The Invention of Soul.

Smokey Joe

Based in Surrey

Specialising in Country & Western, Blues and Rock 'n' Roll, Smokey Joe loves to engage his audience with his guitar.

As Johnny Cash, Elvis, Jim Reeves, Dean Martin, Hank Williams to Buddy Holly or Jerry Lee Lewis, he will whisk you away with his Western sound.

Joe prides himself on going the extra mile to ensure his audience has a fantastic experience, every time with nostalgic tones and charisma to match.



Helen Poole

Based in Berkshire

Helen is a lifelong singer and performer, she provides crowd favourite covers along with a few original songs, whilst her vocals and acoustic guitar add a country vibe she can also touch on Rock & Roll, Wartime, Christmas and some good Olde London style songs.

A wide variety to brighten up any one's day and relive memories from times gone by for your listening pleasure.



Don's Duo

Based in Surrey



Don's Duo are Don Stuart sax, clarinet and flute with John Wilkinson guitar.

This versatile and experienced Duo offer a varied and entertaining mix of Jazz Standards, Latin, Ballads, Be-Bop, Swing and Gypsy Jazz from 1920s to 1970s.

Music from George Gershwin, Cole Porter, Fats Waller, Duke Ellington, AC Jobim, Paul Desmond, Charlie Parker, Chet

Baker, Herbie Mann, Django Reinhardt, Lennon and McCartney and many more.

Whatever music you enjoy you'll enjoy hearing Don's Duo play it for you !



Phil Harman

Based in Berkshire

Phil was originally Rhythm Guitarist/ Lead singer in a local pop band in West London, during the 1960s called The Lost Legends.

He started the band after teaching himself to play guitar in 1964.

Phil is now a One-Man Band, he plays the 12 string guitar, Alesis Kick drum, Vocal Harmony Pedal and covers authentic renditions of artists such as *The Everly Brothers* and *The Beatles* along with covering lots of 40s/50s swing, *Elvis Presley* (with full Onesie), Country and Western, 60s/70s pop, *Frankly Sinatra*, *Pearly King* and many more...

Claudia Keston

Based in London

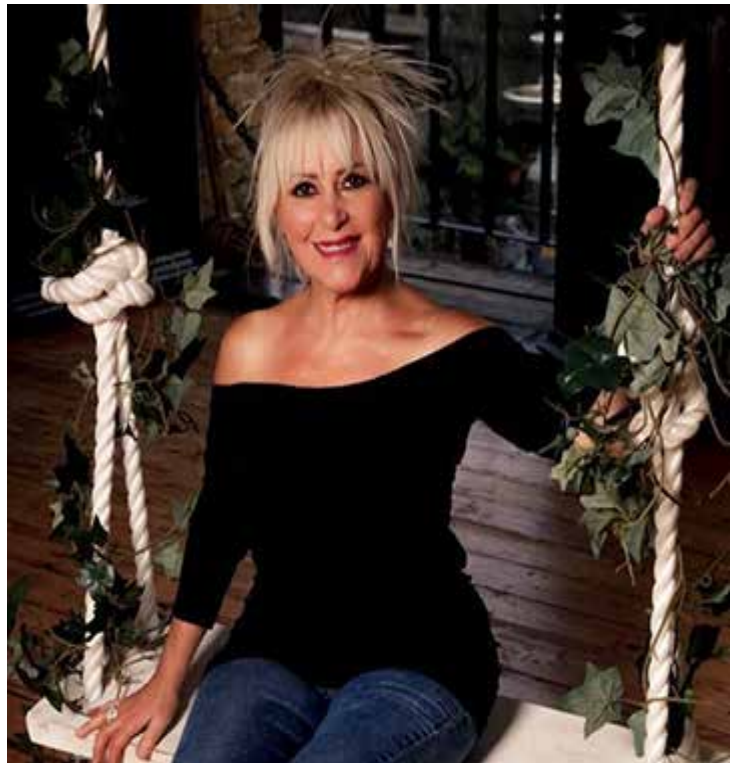
Claudia has been in show business since she was 7 yrs old attending Dance and stage school, and R.A.D.A

She has appeared in many No.1 theatres in Pantos, stage plays, musicals and TV, she has worked alongside many of the top stars

Claudia worked at the ENO for 3 months then went on to work on cruise liners for 6yrs

She has appeared in many films and in commercials

She now loves performing her cabaret show in care homes, day centres, restaurants and private homes



Richard Harvey

Based in Surrey



Richard is a singer, guitarist (and occasionally the ukelele), who has found his calling in life entertaining the older generation.

He has been playing the guitar since he was 9 years old and after 40 years in the printing industry decided he wanted to find a job where he felt he was giving something back and helping people.

He really enjoys the connection he has with residents especially people who are living with dementia.

It's not just about playing the songs, it's the memories the music sometimes evokes and the conversations that come from the music.

Jess De Giudici

Based in London

Jessica is a talented Italian/American singer with over 15 years of International experience on big stages, festivals, five-star hotels, functions & events. With her retro and classy repertoire Jess is the ideal choice for your sentimental - journey through memory lane! Jessica pays homage to the first ladies of Jazz performing all the classics by the likes of Ella Fitzgerald, Billie Holiday, Julie London, Nina Simone and many more.

And if you're planning either a 40s, 50s or 60s themed event, Jess will ensure you have a ball with the best hits of those golden years such as:
Chattanooga Choo Choo, Tutti Frutti and "I'm A Believer!"

Some venue highlights include HMS Belfast, The Barbican, The London Science Museum, Chelsea Football Club and Islington's Union Chapel. Meanwhile, some client highlights include Magic Radio, European Jazz Expo (Italy), Porretta Soul Festival (Italy) and Gordon Ramsey's Restaurant, London.



Jimmy Kent

Based in Surrey



A singer, songwriter, and multi-instrumentalist (guitar, bass, piano), Jimmy's been on stage since he was 4 years old, and knows how to weave a narrative in words and music. He's attended three of the best music schools in the world (Berkley College of Music, Belmont University, Academy of Contemporary Music), and has performed at Ronnie Scott's, the London Astoria, the Garage (Islington), Bush Hall, the Royal Albert Hall, and the Houses of Parliament.

Jimmy is your virtual jukebox, blending the timeless and the tasteful to take you wherever and whenever you want to go. With a huge repertoire spanning pop, rock, jazz, swing, musical theatre, funk, soul, folk, americana, and more, you can be listening to Frank Sinatra one minute, Stevie Wonder the next, with a pit-stop in James Taylor country, and a big finish with The Eagles.

Whether a la carte, or themed around a decade, event, writer, performer, or genre, Jimmy's respect for the song and the artist are well-balanced with his drive to make the music his own. His adaptability, positive attitude, and experience with audiences of all ages makes him a safe bet that you won't leave disappointed.

Deborah Holborn

Based in Buckinghamshire

Deborah has both a masters in Music Therapy (MSc Nordoff Robbins) and Vocal Performance (Trinity Laban Conservatoire) and combines her love of these by bringing music to the community.

She performs a wide range of styles, from sing-a-long songs to get you moving. To World War 2 songs and musical theatre with the odd crooner thrown in!

She has been performing in care homes and residential settings for several years and has a large repertoire. She is happy to tailor any programmes or accept requests, and particularly enjoys doing themes.

She accompanies herself on her keyboard, just requires a power socket and an enthusiastic audience!



Mable & Able

Based in Hampshire

Natasha & Andrea are professional actresses. They have worked together for over 20 years & have extensive performing experience within Theatre, TV & Film.

Natasha has also worked within the care industry since the age of 17 years

They wanted to bring their talents & experience together and came up with a unique, immersive and interactive fun filled entertaining show, including humour, poetry, games, sing a longs and lots of audience participation.



Tracy Coleman

Based in London



Though principally a singer Tracy graduated from Middlesex University with a BA in Performing Arts majoring in Dance and began her career in cabaret, sharing the bill with Tommy Cooper amongst others.

Her performance credits span playing Principal Girl to Lynda Baron's Principal Boy in panto to singing with a twelve piece salsa band, (Cayenne). She has supported Nina Simone at Ronnie Scott's and sung with Dean Friedman and Ian Shaw at such venues as *The 606*, *The Vortex* and *The Pizza Express Dean Street*. She promotes and is lead singer in the seven piece band *Plum Busby* playing regularly at *The Hideaway (Streatham)*, *The Kings Head Downstairs* and many other venues in and around London and the South East.

From 1994-2004 Tracy ran a successful art gallery on the South Bank in Shad Thames and is currently a celebrated teacher of Pilates at her own studio in Tower Bridge.

George Stokes

Based in Hertfordshire



Our Rockney Rhymer George has been entertaining folks in care homes for many years.

He is very relaxed in the care home environment. Prior to retiring from his day job George worked as a service engineer working on behalf of the local authority so was regularly in and out of care homes.

George is an accomplished pianist and vocalist with over 40 years' experience in the entertainment industry. He has played at many prestigious venues including the Royal Hospital entertaining the Chelsea Pensioners. As well as playing piano live he makes use of technology within his set and occasionally plays and sings to a professional backing track. Also, don't be surprised if he straps on his accordion and comes amongst you for a personal performance. With an extensive repertoire that's forever evolving he is able to engage with the audience to revive those musical memories to provide an enjoyable show.

David James

Based in Suffolk



David trained as an actor and performer at Middlesex University and has since, continued to work within the industry in various forms. He works regularly as a singer and director and enjoys his work greatly, particularly the interaction with an audience.

David has been the lead singer of a functions band, covering a wide range of genres and eras, such as Motown, soul, rock and roll and popular music. As a cabaret artist, David enjoys performing classics from Swing, through to Motown covering classics from the 40s onwards.



One of David's first jobs after graduating from university was working in the care industry, so he understands the connection music has with people of all ages and backgrounds. He also understands that interaction is an important part of performing in a care home and gains enormous satisfaction from the connection he makes at each performance.

Joan Josephs

Based in Hertfordshire

Joan has been writing her own songs since she was 12 years old.

Singer/songwriter Joan Josephs has been writing her own songs since she was twelve years old. She ranges from the Golden Oldies to modern day, with an extensive list of songs from You Are My Sunshine to A Spoon Full of Sugar.

In addition, she belonged to the group Perfect Timing, who performed for the Women's Festival. She engages herself with community and charity work regularly, taking part in an event to raise funds for Somalia Relief

Joan has also worked at a Pupil Referral Unit where she mentors young people with musical talent, and decided to pursue her passion for singing in a gospel choir, joining the Gospel Road Community Choir in 2014



Dave Hudson

Based in Coulsdon



Dave has been playing in rock and blues bands for many years in pubs and clubs.

In 2015 his mother was in a care home and he was asked to play for her and fellow residents which he found this to be immensely rewarding so developed an act.

He brings a positive and uplifting repertoire of songs that everyone will enjoy as much as he enjoys performing them.

Old Music Hall, Rock and Roll, 60s&70s Pop, Swing and jazz, along with favourites including Chas and Dave and some country music too!

Terry James

Based in Berkshire



With easy going style, Terry engages with his audience between songs and interacts with his witty patter. Terry performs songs from the 1950s, 60s, 70s, and 80s all the way through to modern and the Swing genre.

Terry's playlists are incredibly varied but include Frank Sinatra, Dean Martin, Andy Williams, Tom Jones, Englebert Humperdinck, Cliff Richard, The Beatles, Monkeys, and many more.

Terry also performs more contemporary music, such as Take That, Barry White, Kings of Leon, and Level 42, to name a few.



Georgina Innes-Myers

Based in London

Georgina is training as a classical mezzo-soprano in London at *Trinity Laban Conservatoire*.

Although she is studying classical music, Georgina's voice is versatile and she sings jazz, musical theatre, folk, pop and much more! In her spare time, she leads music workshops in a variety of different settings, from schools to care homes.

Her love of singing and bubbly personality makes her fun to watch. Singing anything from 1920's onwards she will tailor her performances to her audiences. Georgina has a range of themed performances such as: *Musicals*, *Opera*, *Jazz*, *'70's Night'* (any decade era), *'Through the Ages'*, *Christmas Time* and many more themes if required!



MIKE COOLEY MAGIC

Based in Surrey



Mike has over 28 years' experience performing his Magic & Balloon Modelling Shows. He has performed in numerous 5-star Hotels, High End Stores, Shopping & Garden Centres, Charity Events, Weddings also other countries including Cyprus, Spain & Lapland.

He can offer up front or/and walkabout Magic with multiple tricks to please every age group and interaction is key.

He is also a DJ with fully equipped disco with lights, bubble and smoke machines with music eras from the 50s to current day and is also able to accommodate themes such as Circus & Carnival, Halloween & Christmas Elf show.

Mike is an all-round entertainer combining the arts of deception and sleight of the hand to bring you a fun filled show with moments that will have you laughing and making you wonder

"what just happened?"

Rosalind O'Dowd

Based in Middlesex

Rosalind O'Dowd gained an MMus at Trinity Conservatoire in London before embarking on a performing career.

She has performed in a variety of operatic roles both in the UK and abroad, as well as concerts and oratorio. Rosalind has been performing in Care Homes for over 6 years.

Her repertoire spans across several centuries, and she enjoys performing in a variety of styles.



Silver Steve

Based in Surrey



Steve is a singer and guitarist who loves to perform popular music to audiences of all ages. His interest in music began as a child when he first heard Bill Haley's Rock around the Clock and continued through his teenage years as he sought every opportunity to see live music and was fortunate to see many iconic stars in their formative years. He bought his first guitar when he was fifteen and hasn't stopped playing since. Steve went on to play lead guitar with a number of bands, performing at diner dances and parties, both at prestigious venues as well making regular appearances in social clubs around the south of England.

More recently Steve has developed a solo act playing to audiences in a variety of venues, either using backing tracks or providing his own guitar accompaniment. He has a wide repertoire with many influences but primarily enjoys singing ballads and rock and roll from the fifties and sixties; the golden age of pop. Steve likes nothing more than to be face to face with a live audience and to share the pleasure of the music he loves.

Andrea Jones

Based in Berkshire

Andrea Jones is the Owner of *Purple Robin*, a company specialising in providing Craft & Jewellery workshops and I supplying Jewellery kits to people of all ability. Over the past 25 years Andrea has had a keen interest and passion for crafts which started by attending an event on Rubber Stamping. Over the years, she has attended many workshops and learnt various skills in *Card Making*, *Different Paper Crafts* and *Jewellery making*, as well as if running her own workshops. She enjoys trying out new techniques and likes to pass these on to her customers.

Andrea is very much a people person and has a very warm and happy personality, she is good at communicating and adapting her style depending on her customers' needs and capabilities. She is passionate about ensuring everyone leaves her classes having enjoyed themselves.

Andrea has held Corporate Roles for the last 30 years where she has honed her organisational and communications skills and is now in a position to follow her dreams, hence the creation of *Purple Robin*.



Workshops



Jewellery Making – this workshop will include all the tuition and materials required for a fun time, participants will have the choice of making a necklace or bracelet. Participants will be given a gift bag for their creation so they can give their creation to a special person or just keep it for themselves.

Card Making – this workshop will also include all that is needed to make one card and it could include:

- *Rubber stamping* (you can then colour these in or leave and be more creative!)
- *Punches* (various sizes and designs)
- *Iris Folding* (creating lovely patterns from folded paper)
- *Toppers* (these are pictures or designs already made to stick onto cards)

NEW WORKSHOP! – Box Painting – this workshop will include paint and brushes to decorate one small wooden box. Each participant will have the choice from 5 different boxes to paint. These can then be used as gifts and little presents can be put into the boxes. (gifts not provided!).



Roger Burn

Based in Wiltshire



Having entertained solo and in bands during successful spells with Holiday companies, hotels, ferries, cruise lines, restaurants and bars, Roger has moulded a large repertoire covering all styles of music (pop, jazz, country, party sing-along and much more). His easy-going style has gained him many friends, and he will interact and encourage participation as well as striving to cater to all requests.

Some examples include *Nightingale Song in Berkeley Square/Slow Boat to China/Tiptoe Thru the Tulips/Pennies from Heaven/Blueberry Hi/I/Hey Baby/Georgia On My Mind/You're Nobody 'Til Somebody Loves You*

Roger can also perform medleys, such as Wartime, Cockney, Drifters, Buddy Holly, Platters and George Formby. His themed events range from Irish, Wartime, Christmas to many others!

Natasha Van Marle

Based in Surrey

Hailing from Northern Ireland , Natasha has many years of experience in performing.

Having been on both 'sides' of the care team, working in a care home in 2020-2021, Natasha soon grasped the fond favourites and showtunes style residents usually loved to hear.

With a huge love for country music, Natasha in cooperates country classics along with some old tunes and show tunes created the ultimate feel good singalong, guaranteed to be something for everyone.



Magical Alisha

Based in Hampshire

Bringing Classic Magic to a new modern level Female Magician " MAGICAL ALISHA " is a first class magician with over 30 years of experience in the entertainment world. Often described as the female Tommy Cooper she is blessed with a warm friendly manner, and full of smiles and energy you'll love her the second she starts the show she offers a mixture of close up and cabaret magic using those old time classic magic affects to bring back old style of nostalgia and offers a various mixture of bright coloured silks, Cards, props, balloon modelling and hilarious upfront magic that will guarantee to make you smile!!



Terry Gleed

Based in Berkshire



Terry graduated from the Guildford School of Acting after completing three years of training in musical theatre. He subsequently joined Lulu and Eric Sykes on the UK tour of the Broadway musical version of *Peter Pan*, as one of the lost boys. He then spent six months as an apostle on the European tour of *Jesus Christ Superstar*, following which he returned home to play the leading role of *Frederic* in *The Pirates of Penzance*. Terry has also spent many happy years touring the globe as a production vocalist on many P&O cruise ships. In the land of pantomime, he has appeared in *Peter Pan*, *Aladdin*, *Cinderella* and more!

Terry has four one-hour programs for your entertainment, containing a selection of nostalgic uplifting hits from the 40s, 50s, 60s and 70s, as well as songs from your favourite musicals. With his cheeky personality, Terry aims to bring sunshine and smiles, and hopes your residents will reminisce through the magic of music and song.

Debbie Bridge

Based in Greenwich

Debbie lives to inspire confidence, power and truth.

She has performed for *British Royalty, Children, Abbey Road Studios, The Savoy Theatre* and even to people on the London Underground.

She is a traveller at heart and her singing has taken her to Europe, South Africa, North America and Australia.

She covers a wide range including Classical, Show Tunes, Rat Pack, Big Band, Jazz & Country, covering songs from *Frank Sinatra, Julie Andrews, Doris Day, Bizet* and *Andrew Lloyd Webber*. Her favourite moments when singing are when she can see someone moved to tears because of the incredible connection she makes when performing and that amazing bond that can only be shared by a singer and her audience.



Denny Terrell

Based in Surrey

Denny provides live singing entertainment accompanied by his guitar.

Sing a long and tap your feet to music and songs not only for those who recall the good old days of the 1930's and 40's - but also a new generation of residents who remember the fabulous songs from the rock and rolling 1950's and swinging 60's , along with gentle upper body exercise using tambourines and maracas Denny offers to join in the lively rhythms or take up a baton to conduct some soothing classical music, along with a selection of instantly recognisable strict tempo Waltzes, Foxtrots, Quick steps and ChaCha.



Yoga with Devon

Based in Oxfordshire



Devon is a qualified Yoga, Fitness Instructor and qualified Personal Trainer who has been practicing and teaching Yoga now for a number of years and thoroughly enjoying his Yoga journey that he is on and hopes you will join him on too.

After looking into the benefits of practicing Yoga and then finally attending a Yoga class, he felt so good and positive after the class that he had to not only continue to practice but wanted to teach too!

He is currently working with a variety of client's from nurseries to Day Centre's and Care homes providing chair-based Yoga classes designed for the elderly and less mobile to help improve health and wellbeing to all ages through mindfulness practices such as Yoga, Chair Yoga and guided meditation, sometimes the most simple yet effective remedy to help alleviate stress of the mind and tension in the body is through movement and breath work.

He uses modified Yoga postures to help build strength and mobility all from a seated position. Starting his classes with a gentle full body warm up (again all from a seated position), from there he goes through a variety of sequenced modified Yoga postures, finishing off with some gentle relaxing breath work whilst playing relaxing music to add to the feel of the class, hopefully leaving all in attendance feeling relaxed and a bit calmer!



Anthony Allgood

Based in Hampshire

Anthony has worked in the entertainment industry for nearly 20 years - a truly versatile and talented performer having toured the country both as an actor and a singer. In 2011, Anthony found himself on tour and working almost exclusively in retirement homes, sheltered housing, care homes and even some people's front rooms! He delivered a fun brand of entertainment that had everybody laughing and smiling. Anthony's has a natural sense of fun and desire to make sure everybody else has fun.

Since then, he has worked in the entertainment industry performing for over 60s. He is a cheeky chap and has his own style of delivery which is interactive, playful and fun for everyone. He is often seen holding hands and serenading residents — and not just the ladies! In fact, no one quite knows what he is going to do next, but you can be sure that it will bring laughter and many lasting memories.

He covers a whole range of genres, including impersonations of people such as *Norman Wisdom*, *George Formby*, *Louis Armstrong*, *Dean Martin*, even *Benny Hill*. As an actor he is also able to offer monologues, funny stories, jokes, and poetry. Musically, his repertoire includes rat-pack and swing music, as well as 60s, 70s, 30s, 40s, rock 'n' roll, *Elvis* and much more. Whatever you want he will try everything in his power to bring a memorable fun afternoon to you. Anthony is also happy to do themed concerts, such as 'summer holiday', *Elvis*, rat-pack, Christmas, St. Patrick's Day, St George's Day and many more!



Maria Louisa

Based in London

Maria Louisa is a beautiful belly-dancer and a favourite for any celebration or event! Her fun and tasteful cabaret will bring this expressive Middle-Eastern art form to you; she can even offer an informal 'lesson' if you are brave enough!

Maria works internationally, and is often asked to perform in the United States, Dubai, and United Arab Emirates. She has recently returned from a series of performances in UAE, performing at parties for the likes of *Simon Cowell*! She has also featured on *Strictly Come Dancing*, as well as other TV events.

Additionally, Maria has been showcasing her talents at the International dance show, Move It in March and has hosted workshops. She is available to perform for you as a solo act, or accompanied by her skilled drummer.



Natasha Strange

Based in Bedfordshire



Natasha trained and graduated from the *Liverpool Institute* for Performing arts in 2010 and has been a professional vocalist & performer since 2012.

Natasha adapts many genres and styles to her performances including Pop, Blues, Jazz, Country and Soul from 1940's onwards. She performs songs from decades past and present and can tailor shows specifically for clients and audience needs/ special events.

Natasha actively gigs around the UK and recently has also appeared on television performing on Channel 4's 'The Last Leg', appeared on social media adverts for 'British Airways', 'Eurostar', and 'Up at the O2' and has sung on London's 'Heart FM'.



Chrissy Davies

Based in Surrey



Chrissy is a performing vocalist with many years' experience singing with bands as well as solo.

She plays rhythm guitar alongside her singalong/country/rock and roll set and offers a dance set where she encourages the audience to dance either standing or to move around if seated. She can also offer an Abba Tribute Show.

She runs small to medium size music groups for people with special needs and the elderly where these groups are very interactive as she supplies song sheets and instruments for the group to use and whilst she plays an acoustic guitar throughout.

She has qualifications in mental health and dementia care and is currently studying for an art therapy diploma.

Toby Johnson

Based in Surrey



Toby Johnson is a cocktail and lounge pianist with a growing vocal repertoire meaning he can provide either solo background piano or a mixture of background piano and piano with vocals. He offers a relaxed show ideal for afternoon teas where he will talk and engage with the audience in a calm, relaxing, informal, yet informative and fun manor.

Toby has played in care homes across Surrey, Berkshire, Sussex and Kent for several years and really enjoys watching the patrons reactions to the music which he plays and even does requests where possible.

Toby also enjoys playing for those with memory loss and has a mascot which is a monkey which he sits on the piano and has found this to calm and create a reaction from patrons, sometimes the monkey has stolen the show.

Toby has a popular light romantic piano style and covers a wide range of genres from pre WWI right to to the modern day, this includes musicals, film, popular songs and ballads. He also plays light jazz, and boogie Woogie and was amazed when a care home requested Bohemian Rhapsody, which he played.





John Cheney

Based in West Sussex



John is an experienced musician with a huge repertoire of popular music from Dance Hall, singalong to Disco.

He was a bandleader on the QE11 travelling all over the world and has played at top West End Hotels such as *The Grosvenor* and *Claridge's*.

He is ideal for any party or celebration and can play for dancing or listening.

Sarah Lucken

Based in Hampshire



Sarah has been a professional performer for 12 years. She originally trained in Musical Theatre and is currently part of a local Theatre Society.

In her professional career she has worked in and outside of the UK as a vocalist and entertainer in a variety of different line ups such as cabaret work for UK Holiday Parks, Entertainer for Disney Cruise Lines, Vocalist and Animator in Hotels in Cyprus, Vocalist with an Acoustic Duo and various Function bands and most recently with Care/Residential Home settings.

She provides an engaging set of entertainment, consisting of a variety of music, spanning across the decades from the 1940s to current day as well as more specific sets such as Valentines Day, Christmas, Wartime/DDay and more.



Stephen Gray

Based in London



Stephen is an accomplished pianist, singer and guitarist and has gained recognition on London's live music scene, as well as performing at numerous events, from high-profile through to private functions.

As a trained actor, Stephen is able to bring confidence and originality to his performances, reading a room appropriately for the occasion and adapting his musical material accordingly.

He played lead role in *"Buddy" the musical* (West End & National tour); founder member of *Buddy Holly and the Crickets* (Middle East, USA, Sweden and UK) Played

Troubadour in RSC's *Hollow Crown* (Stratford-upon-Avon, Australia, New Zealand & Toronto) and is currently lead guitarist in touring show *'The Elvis Years'*. Held residencies at the *Dorchester Group Hotels, Millennium and Grosvenor*. Headlines a *Blues Trio* at Big Easy Restaurant chain and performs at the Winter Wonderland.

He has a large repertoire ranging from popular Jazz, Rock and Blues standards, to the hits of contemporary bands including *Waller, Carmichael, Gershwin, & Porter* to *Elvis Presley, Cochran, Holly, Berry, Beatles, Stones, Eagles* and many more!

Tricia Ramage

Based in Surrey



Tricia is a warm and friendly entertainer who has been enjoying singing for many years in choirs, bands and duos as well as solo.

She has many years' experience of playing to different audiences, including people in pubs and clubs, hospitals, care homes and those with dementia. Her aim is to get the audience engaged so they sing along, dance, tap their feet or simply listen to the music to take them to their happy place. She sings a variety of songs ranging from traditional, music hall, right through to the 1950s, 60s and 70s.

Available to sing either as a solo to backing tracks or with Andy as a vocals/keyboard duo.





Melissa Jo

Based in West Sussex



Melissa Jo has worked as a Lifestyle Co-ordinator and has Dementia Champion Training, whilst singing professionally all her adult life and started performing in Care Homes over a decade ago.

She aspires to bring a relaxed and inclusive atmosphere to each performance, delivering quality vocals, happy memories and a sense of fun.

Her set consists of easy listening favourites and jazzy standard from Wartime to current day including *We'll Meet Again*, *Fly Me to the Moon* and *Dream a Little Dream* and also on request can play the Ukulele.

She can tailor her performances to include themed events such as Valentines Day, St George's Day, Summer Holidays, Christmas and more.

Anna Nightingale

Based in Berkshire



Anna is a fun, talented & experienced singer, who can tailor her performance to suit your own wishes. She has been performing for over 10 years in the UK and before that on the Costa Blanca in Spain, with the "*Rommy Baker Orchestra*" which was a Glenn Miller Tribute; also as part of a Rock band and has gained a wealth of experience in different venues.

She performs regularly in Pubs and Clubs and at weddings, birthdays and other special occasions.

Most recently and notably was engaged by the *Royal Household* - for the late Queen Elizabeth's 70th Jubilee celebrations at Windsor Castle, not once but 4 times and was invited back for celebrations for VJ Day which took part at St George's Chapel.

Using professional backing tracks, she mixes her sets 'on the hoof' to suit the audience in front of her genres include: Wartime 1940's, Rock & Roll 50's, Swinging 60's, Soul & Motown, Blues & Reggae, Country, Swing & Jazz, Pop and Rock.



Rosie & Andy

Based in Dartford and London

Rosie's musical journey started rather strangely when at the age of 5 was attracted to the flute because of its silver colour – odd but true and after graduating from *Trinity College of Music* in 2007 her musical work has been great fun.

She now plays either Solo or plays as part of a flute/guitar duo with her husband Andy both with experience of working in Residential & Care homes.

Andy has been playing guitar since his teens. In that time, he's played classical guitar festivals, electric guitar for a rock band, comedy songs and classical concerts with Rosie, and played with musicians from around the world on his many visits to Ireland. More recently, Andy has taken up singing, and is now bringing his repertoire and experience to new projects.

Through *Reminisce*, Andy and Rosie offer a range of music, from rock n roll and pop hits by *Elvis*, *the Beatles* and others, to light classical pieces with relaxing melodies, to music hall greats.



Dave Dawson

Based in Wiltshire



Dave is a trained singer and guitarist with over 30 years of experience including TV, national radio and solo appearances at West End Theatres.

With a repertoire of over 2000 songs and countless 5 star reviews he covers material from the worlds of Swing, Country, Irish, Reggae, Rock and Roll, War & Cockney singalongs and classics from the 1940s to 1990s.

Song requests can be requested on the day or in advance and Dave guarantees to make you smile, tap or dance along with a bit of comedy and laughter thrown in.



Kathleen Linton-Ford

Based in London



Kathleen is classically trained, with many operatic roles under her belt, but with a huge repertoire that encompasses everything from old time Music Hall to Abba!

She sings with "The Moochers", a 1920s jazz band; and is equally happy donning a military uniform for her VE Day tribute.

She has a special love of performing for those living with dementia and has a certificate from the University of Derby in "Bridging the Dementia Divide".



Geoff Gordon

Based in Surrey



Geoff has enjoyed playing pop music for most of his adult life. By profession, he is a retired Chartered Civil Engineer, but with his late wife has been a semi pro guitarist/singer since the early 70's.

More recently he has concentrated on pop songs from the 50's, 60's and 70's covering such artists as Cliff Richard, Elvis Presley, Everly Brothers, Buddy Holly and can sing a similar repertoire but just using an acoustic guitar.

He has been lucky enough to still enjoy family life to the full and to indulge in yacht sailing on the south coast. In addition, he plays squash and badminton, which keeps him fit enough to do all the things that he enjoys doing.





Nina Roe

Based in Hampshire

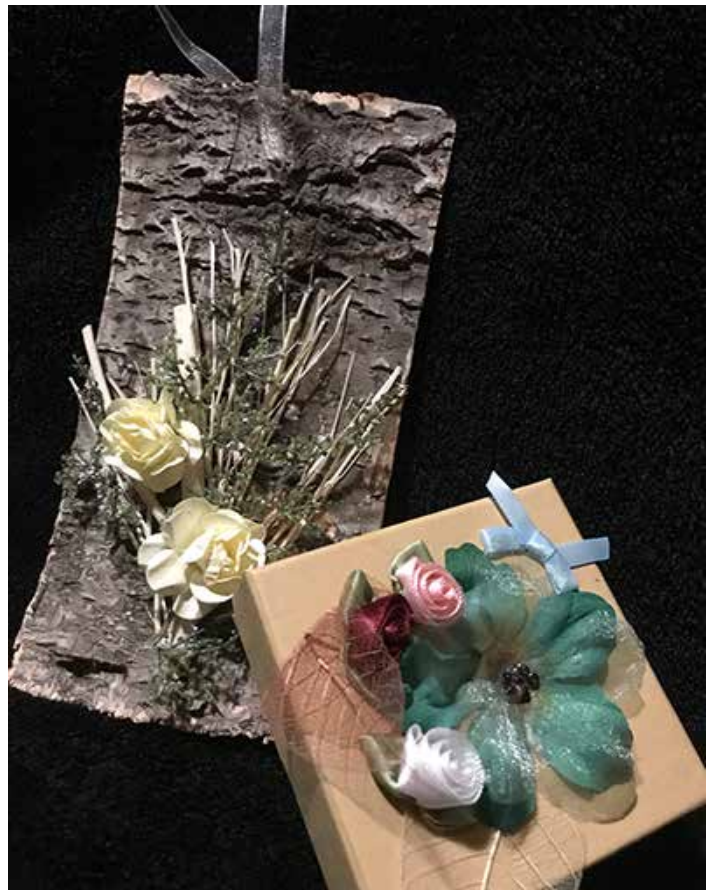


Nina trained at The London College of Fashion & St Martins Art College, London.

After many years working as a professional Media & Special Effects Makeup Artist & lecturer in the field, she now enjoys sharing her experiences & skills.

Nina offers Art & craft sessions of which all equipment is provided & also can include seasonal activities.

Additionally to this she offers talks with demonstrations on her wood carving & Special Effects for television & film. This always seems to attract popular interest as they can relate to what they see on the television.



Andy Jeffs

Based in East Sussex



Andy presents a collection of some of the finest music of all time for you to enjoy!

From *Elvis* to *Michael Buble*, he'll cover some of the most iconic artistes and songs from the 50s onwards such as *All shook Up*, *Walking in Memphis*, *Brown Eyed Girl*, *Sitting on the Dock of the Bay*, *Wonderful Tonight*, *Blue Suede Shoes* & *My Girl*.

With live guitar and a diverse repertoire, there's sure to be something for everyone in his show, if not Andy is happy to take requests.



Phillipa Leigh

Based in Middlesex

Phillipa Leigh is a Classically trained, award-winning singer/songwriter/ukulele player.

She graduated from RADA. Clients include Facebook, Amazon, MTV, The London Eye. She has supported three-time Grammy nominated Joan Armatrading MBE on two separate tours after Joan herself approached Phillipa whilst she was busking at Waterloo.

Her original, music featured on:
BBC Introducing - "*Absolutely fantastic*" - Gareth Lloyd, BBC Radio Two,
MTV's 'The Freshers' - "*Amazing*" - Tom Thurlow, Propeller TV.

"*Super-cool... Not quite like anything I've ever heard before*"
Debbie McQuoid, Cosmopolitan

She has performed live in venues from Bucharest to Brazil and closer to home including: Ronnie Scott's, The Water Rats, Oxo Tower, Wedgewood Rooms - Portsmouth, Gawsworth Hall - Macclesfield, Buxton Opera House, Royal Hall - Harrogate, The London Eye plus many small music venues, pubs, clubs, private functions and weddings.

Phillipa has worked with ukulele kids Club, a charity teaching hospitalised children how to play the ukulele.



The Singing Sisters

Based in Berkshire

The Singing Sisters bring joy, laughter and wonderful memories with their beautiful harmonies and singalong favourites.

Their show features timeless classics from the 50s to the 80s – including *Elvis, Sinatra, Engelbert Humperdink, Neil Diamond, Shirley Bassey, Nancy Sinatra, Sonny & Cher, Ropy Orbison, The Temptations* and more – guaranteed to get hands clapping, toes tapping and voices joining in.

They deliver a show brimming with singalong classics, glamour, and unforgettable entertainment.

For the festive season, they also offer a fantastic Christmas party set packed with yuletide favourites and Christmas classics – guaranteed to get every audience into the holiday spirit.



Simon Wheeler

Based in Hampshire



Simon has had many years experience in theatre, cabaret, pantomime and as a presenter.

Recently, he has been touring residential care homes in various shows including; *The Rat Pack-Live, Let's Go To The Movies, Summer Holiday, White Christmas, Magic and the Musicals* and *The Magic of Rock'n'Roll*.

His musical theatre credits include *Nicely Nicely in Guys'n'Dolls, Sinbad in The Adventures of Sinbad, Captain Von Trappe in The Sound of Music, Bob Wallace in White Christmas* and *Edgar Beane in Titanic*.

He has played many Princes in pantomime for *Kevin Wood* and *John Spillers* as well as *Jack in Jack and the Beanstalk* and *Buttons in Cinderella*.

Other tours have included *The West End in Concert, The Wonderful Rock and Roll West End* and *iMagician with Jamie Allan*, recently performing at *The Garrick Theatre, London*.

Simon is also an accomplished magician that can add a certain variety to his cabaret shows.



Carol-Anne Grainger

Based in East Sussex

Carol-Anne trained as a classical soprano, who alongside opera and operetta, loves to perform songs from the American Song Book including Kern, Rogers & Hart, Rogers & Hammerstein, Cole Porter, Gershwin, Lerner & Loewe and Bernstein.

Since completing her studies at the London College of Music, where she was awarded the Lloyd Webber Performance prize, and Trinity College of Music, Carol-Anne has enjoyed a wide variety of performance genres, from oratorio to musical theatre and outreach projects, including performances for the Council for Music in Hospitals.

Since moving to Eastbourne four years ago she has been developing her out reach work, performing for various different retirement, care and nursing homes in Sussex and the South East. She particularly enjoys these performances when the residents join in, especially with the Old Time Medleys.



Olivia Marsha

Based in Hampshire



Olivia is a female vocalist providing fun, interactive one-hour entertainment sessions for Care Home residents.

Performing well-loved songs from the 1950s–1970s she encourages residents to sing, dance and reminisce with familiar favourites from their past.

Using egg shakers and bells she creates an engaging sensory experience where everyone can join in from their seats or on their feet, making sessions suitable for all abilities.



The Velvet Voice Based in Berkshire

With a voice as smooth as velvet and a repertoire of timeless favourites, The Velvet Voice brings elegance, nostalgia, and sparkle to any event.

Avril's warm, engaging style and velvet vocals capture the magic of legendary artists such as *Shirley Bassey, Ella Fitzgerald, Dinah Washington, Crystal Gayle, Etta James, Peggy Lee, The Supremes, Neil Diamond, Frank Sinatra, Engelbert Humperdinck, Tina Turner, Dusty Springfield* and many more - guaranteed to get hands clapping, toes tapping and voices joining in.

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Just Us Two

Based in Northampton



Fiona and Graham are a husband-and-wife vocal duo, who have been performing together for 20 years as 'Just Us Two'.

Their playlist has a lovely variety of songs, mainly from the 60's, covering songs from well-known artistes such as, *Everly Brothers, Eagles, Creedence Clear water, Mama's and Papa's, Elvis the Searchers* and many more including a list of well-known Christmas songs for the festive season.

Apart from set venues, which include pubs, clubs, restaurants, shopping centres and care homes, they have successfully done freelance busking around the UK and abroad along with raising lots of funds for many charities, primarily the NSPCC.

Natalia Cerqueira

Based in London



Natalia has performed for both BBC Television and The Royal Shakespeare Theatre in London. During her career, she has collaborated with various artists of different music genres.

Natalia sings in English, Portuguese and Spanish and her repertoire consists of a range of well known classics which will take you back to nostalgia and into a party mood! :)

Natalia's repertoire consists of 'You are my Sunshine', 'Besame Mucho', 'Fly Me to the Moon' and the 'Hokey Kokey' for fun and movement.

Natalia's stage presence is captivating as she is a passionate singer with a mellow voice and a wonderful accordionist.

Together, she has experience of travelling and performing for small and large audiences and is guaranteed to make people fall in love with her magical presence and music.

Ryan Fernandez

Based in Surrey



Ryan is an accomplished musician, singer, songwriter.

From the age of seventeen when he turned professional covering genres across the eras including Jazz, Rock, Pop, Soul, Reggae and Country music.

He covers the likes of *Frank Sinatra*, *George Michael*, *Bee Gees*, *Beatles*, *Ed Sheeran*, *Neil Diamond* and many more with an extensive playlist of over a thousand songs.

Ryan's voice is smooth and capturing and he has played at venues far and wide and would like to share his talent with mature generations.



Asli Koptur

Based in London

Asli is a Singer, who has been running her own music tutoring and music events organisation company in London.

She studied in the faculty of fine arts music and also has a Master's Degree in pedagogic formation.

She started her professional music career both as a teacher in schools and as a singer and has been performing as lead singer in various music styles, specializing in Jazz and has been singing professionally many events such as wedding organizations, corporate meetings and tourist entertainment parties in hotels, concert halls, clubs, festivals, hotel bars, care homes for more than 16years...

She has experience in live performance to entertain up to 2.000 audience with a wide multilingual musical repertoire. She loves giving out all her positive energy to the audience and is good at warming up the guests. She's quite experienced in creating an enjoyable atmosphere.



Steve Robbins

Based in Surrey

With a vast repertoire of songs in many different styles accompanied by his keyboard (or Piano if you have one!)

Steve covers almost anything from JAZZ, COUNTRY, CLASSICAL, LATIN, REGGAE, BLUES, THEATRE & ROCK.

He has many years of experience performing at Care & Residential Homes, Dinner Dances & Parties of all types covering all your favorites such as *Frank Sinatra, Elvis, Tom Jones, The Beatles, Stevie Wonder* and many more.



David Woloszko

Based in Sussex



Professionally & Classically trained singer and actor David just loves to entertain.

Take a walk down memory lane as David performs the greatest hits from the great singers, bands, vaudeville shows, and musicals from the past 100 years. Crooners such as *Al Jolson, Bing Crosby, Frank Sinatra, Dean Martin, Perry Como, Vera Lynn, Andy Williams, Matt Monro, Tony Bennett, Louis Armstrong, Sam Cooke, Bobby Darin, Cliff Richard, Elvis, Tom Jones, Michael Bublé, Josh Groban* and *Engelbert Humperdinck*.

David will sing the greatest hits from groups such as *The Carpenters, The Seekers, The Beatles, The Hollies, Chicago, The Everly Brothers, ABBA, The Ink Spots* plus many more.

Musicals from the MGM era have some of the biggest hits that everyone knows and makes for a great sing-along. Who doesn't love *Carousel, The Sound of Music, Show Boat, South Pacific, Camelot, My Fair Lady, Hello Dolly, Singing in the Rain, High Society* and many more.

David performs themed shows for all occasions for example Christmas, Australia Day, Valentines, St David, St Patrick, St George, St Andrews, Easter, Mother's/Father's Day and Halloween, Morning Melodies and Opera Hits.

Omari Johnson - Daley

Based in Berkshire

From a young age, Omari has always enjoyed music, having being part of a family where music was a big part of their lifestyle. Despite this, Omari never got involved in music until his mid-teenage years (2004) which was when he became inspired and influenced by popular music at that time. In 2007 after leaving school Omari had realised he was passionate about music and he began to share his music with friends in order to gather opinions and would find himself spending over four hours a day making music. This was when he started to take music seriously

In order to stretch his musical ability further Omari began studying Jazz music which has become his preferred genre to perform when performing solo, as his soft voice lends itself to the genre nicely covering artists such as Gerald Marks, Johnny Mercer, George Gershwin, Richard Rodgers, Johnny Cash, Fred Astaire and many more.





Jess is the singer and Maz the rhythm guitarist. They both love to perform and share their love of music with others. Playing for people of all ages at pubs and other venues has given them a wide repertoire of songs...uplifting and fun, and some just songs you'd forgotten you love to sing along to.

Singing and dancing is encouraged wherever they go! Music gives everyone a wonderful experience and they aim to leave their audience feeling happy and relaxed.

They play a variety of songs to suit all tastes, and are happy to learn requests, with a little notice, within reason!

They look forward to playing for you and hearing all your wonderful singing voices joining in.



2Tanium
Based in Surrey

2Tanium music duo features Tricia on vocals and Andy on keyboard and backing vocals. Tricia and Andy have been playing together for over 6 years and they have a wide range of mostly upbeat lively music plus a few slower songs, including music hall, some traditional folk songs, songs from the shows and popular music from the 1920s through to 1990s.



Artistes covered include Doris Day, Frank Sinatra, Vera Lynn, The Monkees, Neil Diamond, The Beatles, Queen, ABBA and many more.

The aim is to get people singing along, tapping their hands and feet, and dancing where they can. The emphasis is on fun and getting people smiling and singing the songs for the rest of the day.



Spencer K Gibbins

Based in Northampton

Spencer Will Take You On An Entertaining Tour Of Over 60 Years Of Show Business History (With Lots Of Gossip That You Never Knew !!).

He Will Be Singing Songs You Remember (And He Wants You To Join In !!) – With Funny Stories About The Stars He Has Worked With Over The Years.



Spencer Started In The Theatre – Became A Film Actor At 15, A Pop Star In The 60's, Winner Of Tv's 'New Faces', A Cruise Director (And A Shipwrecked Mariner !!), Toured With Big Shows All Over The World.

He's There To Give You Fun And An Entertaining Show !

See You Soon !

Seh Yong

Based in London

Seh began her musical education since the age of 4.

She underwent her early years musicianship training under the Yamaha Music Foundation and she subsequently pursued the ABRSM graded music examinations. She completed her ABRSM Grade 8 Piano examination at the age of 13.

After completing her BA music degree, Seh subsequently pursued her MA Music degree and completed her degree with a Merit in 2008. She has been performing and teaching extensively in London ever since.

Seh loves performing and accompanying. Her performing experience ranges from residency work in five-star hotels such as The Ritz and The Landmark London, weddings, churches, functions to music halls.

Seh has over 10 years experience in performing. Her repertoire includes a wide variety of styles such as Classical, Contemporary - Broadway, Standards,

Pop Ballads, Jazz, Gospel, Folk, Country, Latin & Tango.



Lynn Sleet Floristry

Based in Surrey



I am a real people person and enjoy all the fun and laughter that can be achieved through coming together with flowers. I think outside the box and thrive on different floral challenges.

As a master florist I offer flowers for all occasions, including weddings, special celebrations and everyday floral bouquets. My love of flowers started with my mum, who was a WI lady. I have early memories of going to her meetings and singing Jerusalem! Also entering floral competitions and often coming home with first or second prize.

My love of flowers blossomed over the years, preparing designs between family life, for my friends and neighbours. Sadly I lost my husband in 2002 from lung cancer and decided to take the plunge and open my own business.

Blooming Useful Floral Art & Design was born in 2011 and is based in a small studio in Bisley.

I studied at Merrist Wood in Guildford gaining qualifications in Levels 3, 4 and 5 as a Master florist. This enabled me to exhibit at *Hampton Court Flower Show* and become a semi finalist at *RHS Chelsea*.

I am also a qualified floristry teacher and like nothing more than passing on my knowledge to people of all ages, including more mature learners through *Surrey Adult Learning courses*.

I have also been very lucky to have taught a range of Christmas designs at the *Ideal Home Christmas Show* at Olympia for a number of years, together with regular demonstrations taking place at the *Christmas Theatre* within the show.



Mitchell & Williams

Based in Berkshire & Oxford

Mitchell & Williams (James & Oliver) are a Musical Comedy Duo who have been appearing together for over 10 years performing together across the UK at Festivals & Theatres they offer a satirical look at life.

Their repertoire contains witty ballads, songs from the shows and well known popular numbers from the likes of *Flanagan & Swann*, *Stilgoe And Skellen* something our more senior citizens will remember for sure with references made to the likes of *Monty Python*, *Gilbert & Sullivan*, *Andrew Lloyd Webber* and *Michael Flattley* in their humorous take on life.

Something A Little Different Perfect entertainment for concerts, cabaret, dinner parties and special occasions and above all, they love entertaining and making people leave happier than when they came in!



Danielle Clark

Based in Hampshire & London



Danielle grew up in London and studied the harp at the Guildhall School of Music and Drama for 3 years.

Since then she has played in orchestras and theatrical shows and has worked for Cunard providing harp music on their world cruises.

She has a residency at the *Inter-Continental Hotel* on Hyde Park Corner in London for several years before moving to Portsmouth.

Her repertoire ranges from well know light classics, unusual harp classics, folk airs, popular standards, light jazz and easy listening.

Graham Martin

Based in Berkshire

Graham provides reptile visits and reptile handling to both individuals, businesses, learning industries and much more. He regularly carries out reptile events for schools, fetes, birthday parties and other groups.

These are sessions that are aimed at educating the community about reptiles and other exotic animals.

He is fully insured and holds a performing animals licence, pet shop licence and an animal transporter licence.

All of his team are fully CRB check, so you'll be in safe hands.

Very popular at Summer & Christmas Fayres where his reptiles certainly attract the crowds and he has developed a well-known reputation for the sessions.

From a select few animals to larger groups of animals, Graham can cater to any requirements, are you brave enough to encounter the Berkshire Reptile Encounters!



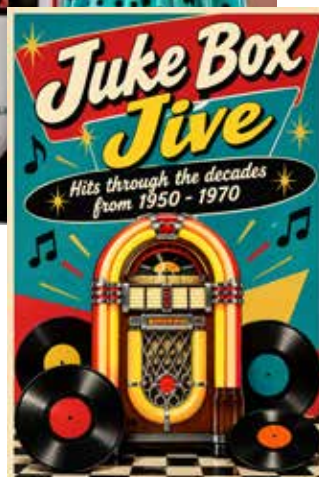
Echoes of Abba

Based in West Sussex

Echoes of Abba are a sensational vocal duo comprising of Nicky and Sarah.

They have both trained professionally and have sung all over the country. With solid backgrounds in musical theatre, their love of performing shines through at every show!

Echoes of Abba brings you all the timeless hits of Abba with vibrant costumes and synchronized choreography that will captivate every audience. You will be blown away with their beautiful and powerful harmonies along with their magnetic personalities!



They love to encourage audience participation whether that's singing along, having a boogie or shaking a leg and look out for a feather boa or two!
Echoes of Abba is a show not to be missed!

They have also now added a Juke Box Jive Show with hits from the 50s-70s and Polkadots & Petticoats Show with hits from the 50s & 60s and can add a sprinkle of Christmas or Halloween to each of their shows.



Hedda Carlsen

Based in London



Hedda is a recent *Musical Theatre* graduate from *UCW Academy*.

She has experience in various styles, such as Jazz, Pop, Musical Theatre and Opera.

Originally from Norway, Hedda came to England to pursue her career as a performer.

She was previously part of a 40s style A-Capella group and is now offering her solo performance with various styles to choose from.



James Cooper-Watson

Based in Bedfordshire



James is one of many entertainers in the care home industry where he brings joy, humour and dancing alongside beautiful vocals. James performance is engaging and interactive bringing nostalgia and a talking point to his performances. His has experience in entertaining in Care, Nursing & Residential homes.

James is self-contained with a small portable PA system complete with high quality backing tracks beautiful vintage microphone and wireless microphone to enable him to interact with the residents in your care or nursing home.

James covers era's from the 1920s through to the present day and features songs from well known popular artistes where you can all sing a long.





Sarah Smith

Based in London



Sarah trained as a classical Mezzo-Soprano at *Goldsmiths University*. She has been performing professionally for over 10 years as both a soloist and as the lead singer of a number of bands. Additionally she has trodden the boards as Julie Jordan in *Carousel*, Sukie Rougemont in *The Witches of Eastwick* and Star To Be in *Annie*.

Sarah has a very versatile voice and is in an accomplished

performer of Jazz, Pop, Blues, Soul, Country, Musical Theatre and more. Her extensive repertoire includes songs from the 1920's onwards and she is happy to tailor shows as required by her audiences. Some of her favourite artists include *Doris Day*, *Frank Sinatra*, *Marilyn Monroe*, *Dusty Springfield*, *ABBA* and countless more!

Steve Cooper

Based in Wiltshire



Steve plays the bass at a *Warner's Hotel* after several years working on Cruise ships and in Theatres to which he was lucky enough to of played in front of *Prince Charles*.

He sings and plays his guitar to well-known numbers and covers artistes including *Elvis*, *The Shadows* and *the Beatles*, songs such as *What a Wonderful World*, *Hard Day's Night* & *Country Roads*

He plays up-tempo songs, has a Waltz Sing along including *Early Bird*, *Bull and Bush* & *Daisy Daisy* also a Cockney singalong including *You are My Sunshine* & *Show me the Way to go Home* which he accompanies with his keyboard.



Carl Cassidy

Based in Sussex



Carl is a classically trained singer/pianist who loves to entertain bringing live music to the elderly playing a wide variety of music from old-time war songs to Classical, Jazz, Show songs and more that will take you on a journey down memory lane!

Covering artistes such as *Mozart, Beethoven and Bach* to *Nat King Cole, Dean Martin, Frank Sinatra* and *Cole Porter* to name a few..

He works regularly at the *Grand Hotel* in Eastbourne and has played many venues including *Buckingham Palace* for the Queen and the late Princess Diana.

With his infectious personality and smile you'll be sure to have a memorable and fun time.



Gayle Fraser

Based in London



Gayle Fraser is a live vocalist with over twenty years' experience in the Entertainment industry.

Gayle has worked with corporate bands all over the U.K working in Hotels, Theatre's, Armed Forces, Casino's and also in Europe and has also worked in Theatre shows and supported The Honeycombs, Beverley Knight, The Cast of *Mama Mia*, The Cast of *Rock Of Ages* & The Jersey Boys.

Gayle has a wide appreciation of music spanning across a few generations she has a passion for music which is

demonstrated by her charismatic performance and vocal ability.

Gayle is currently performing her Karen Carpenter show over the South East whilst covering songs from some of the greats such as Elvis, The Beatles, Abba, Diana Ross and Pasty Cline.

Dielle Hannah

Based in Hampshire



Dee sings Sing-A-Long songs through the decades to bring people together.

Enjoy a little nostalgia and get everyone's toes tapping. From Doris Day to John Denver she'll have you clapping and singing along.

Seasons visits include elf costumes, Carol singing for all the family, and well known popular Christmas songs.

James Edge

Based in Surrey



James is a seasoned touring musician, captivating thousands of festival-goers and theatre audiences across the UK. He has performed with tribute acts ranging from Coldplay to Earth, Wind & Fire.

In addition to his theatre tours, James leads his own function band, James and The Edgetones.

This ensemble performs at private and corporate events in a variety of venues, showcasing an extensive and diverse repertoire.

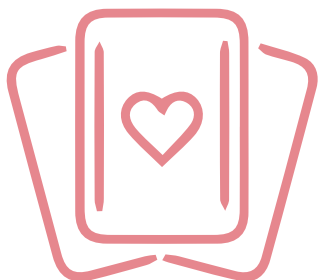
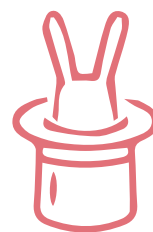
Drawing on his vast experience, James now offers solo performances that span music from the 1940s to the 1970s. Each of his performances is infused with a deep passion for music and a commitment to audience enjoyment and participation.





Dan Hudson

Based in Berkshire



Dan has had years of experience in entertainment, he was a Redcoat in the early years, since then he has become a member of the Magic Circle .

As a Magician he can offer an upfront or walkabout shows, he regularly performs at weddings, childrens parties and hosting at many different

events.

He has been a Magician for 21 years, he can also offer comedy/ impressions if requested.

His outgoing personality delivers a brilliant experience for all ages.





Ryan Fernandez

Group Vocal Sessions

Based in Surrey

Ryan is not only a singer, songwriter but also a professional Vocal coach with 22 years of experience dedicated to unlocking the potential in every voice. He offers a specialized group vocal coaching program designed specifically for the residents of Care & Residential Homes. His core philosophy is simple: "There's a singer in everyone!" The voice is a set of muscles that benefits from training and exercise, regardless of age or previous experience.

Whilst he has worked with professional singers, he also has the immense pleasure of coaching individuals of all ages and levels, including seniors who are simply looking for a fun and engaging way to maintain vocal vitality and mental sharpness.

The Benefits of Group Vocal Coaching

This program is structured as a fun and communal group session, transforming the technical aspects of singing into enjoyable, accessible exercises. Residents will work on foundational skills that provide both musical and physical health benefits, including:

- Improved Breathing and Diaphragmatic Support: Essential for maintaining lung health and vocal stability.
- Enhanced Articulation and Phrasing: Boosting confidence in speech and communication.



- Vocal Control and Tone: Gently developing resonance and clarity in the voice.
- Vocal Health and Maintenance: Learning best practices to keep the voice strong and expressive.
- Ear Training and Pitch Work: A wonderful way to engage cognitive function and memory.

Successful Outcomes and Community Building, his goal is not just to teach singing, but to foster confidence, creativity, and connection. Successful outcomes he frequently sees include significant improvements in breathe control, vocal projection, and general emotional well-being.

Ultimately, this program can lead to the formation of a small, internal residents' choir or singing groups. This provides a meaningful, goal-oriented activity that culminates in the joy of shared performance for themselves, their families, and fellow residents.



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