

THE MORRIS SHOP (Oct 2009)

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Bk: PERCY MAYLAM'S 'THE KENT HOODEN HORSE' £12.99
by Richard Maylam, Mick Lynn & Geoff Doel.

In 1909, Canterbury antiquarian Percy Maylam published his research and remarkable photographs of the fascinating Kent tradition of the hooden horse. He caught the custom in its last traditional phase, but his work inspired a revival after the Second World War. Percy Maylam also published a famous essay on the Kent custom of Gavelkind when this was abolished by Act of Parliament just before the First World War.

Percy's great-nephew Richard Maylam has long wished for these two works to be reprinted. For this special edition Richard has unearthed additional, unpublished photographs and written a biographical essay on his great-uncle. Together with Richard, Mick Lynn and Geoff Doel have worked to make Percy Maylam's text available to a new generation of potential hoodeners and their audiences.

Bk: 'Make Merry In Step & Song' by Bronwen Forbes (New Sept '09)
£18.99

"See the blazing Yule before us". This is just one of the many ancient British folk songs we all know and love. Other tunes and symbols that tug on our memories have similar historical roots, hearkening back to a shared Pagan past. At one time interwoven into the spiritual fabric of everyday life, the dances, songs, and theatrical plays in the English folk tradition are now little known to most of the modern Pagan community. Reviving these vital traditions can bring new life to Renaissance festivals, neopagan rituals, and community events.

Introducing the lively music and homegrown entertainment of times long past, this descriptive how-to is designed for 21st century joviality. The songs, dances, and plays of old are explained in their mythical, seasonal, and historical significance and outlined for easy reenactment. Simple-to-follow instructions detail six dances including the popular Abbots Bromley Horn dance, six full scripts for dramatic performances of Mummers' Plays (folk plays of death and rebirth), and over thirty songs with lyrics and music. Kick up your heels, hold high your skirts, and make merry the year through.

Bk: A Penny for the Ploughboy Book & CD (new Sept '09)
£17.99

Is this a book with a free CD or vice versa? Which ever the answer is, this publication is designed to provide a showcase for songs and tunes written by Colin Cater, most of them in recent years. The songs: Penny for the Ploughboys, Scarborough Fair, Foggy Dew, High Plains of Afghanistan, Seeds of Love, Change at Thorpe le Soken, Benbow's March, Tricky Dicky, Liberation Polka, No. 2 Top Seam, Derby Footrace, Wassail, Lizzie Wan, Happy & delightful, The Merry Actors, Glastonbury, May Song, Jenny Wren, Steam with Santa.

Bk: In Comes I ..." Vol.1 By John Oke Bartlett £10.00

A collection of brand new contemporary Mummers plays:

1. Flints Squint, 2. Bellender's Last Stand, 3. Major Scarlet's Harlots, 4. Bartiswoo Three.
5. It'll be all bite on the night. 6. Elvis the King.

Bk: Russell Wortley 1912-80 £ 5.00

For far too long there has been nothing on the Morris Shop on the subject of Pipe and Tabor. This has been rectified by yet another reprint of this ever popular tribute to Russell Wortley. Russell served terms as Squire and Bagman of Cambridge Morris Men as well as being the third Bagman of The Morris Ring 1950-1959. Russell had a deep love of music, he played the cello was an unquestioned master of the Pipe and tabor. This publication is another 'must have' for all devotees of the pipe and tabor

Bk: EXPLORE GREEN MEN By Mercia MacDermott £12.95

The book starts by discussing the 'paganisation' of Green Men in recent decades, then follows backwards through the Victorian Gothic Revival, Baroque, Rococco and Italianate revivals, to their heyday in the Gothic and the supposed origins in the Romanesque. As part of this discussion there is background information on the cultural changes that affected how Green Men were regarded.

Bk: EXPLORE FOLKLORE by Bob Trubshaw £9.95

All right then, if we must, let's explore folklore. As it turns out, this isn't actually a book stuffed with twee wizards and elves. An early chapter on folklore 'theory' sees Trubshaw doing a good job of explaining how and why 'folklore studies' came about, and giving a capsule account of Vladimir Propp's seminal taxonomy. There are interesting discussions on assumptions in the field, such as that British folklore customs must inevitably have evolved from pagan rites.

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- Bk FOLKLORE OF THE WELSH BORDER** by Jacqueline Simpson £14.99
The Welsh Border region is an area as rich in folklore as any in the British Isles. This new updated edition of Jacqueline Simpson's popular 1976 study explores the traditional folk tales and belief of the region, including stories of giants, ghosts, witches and fairies. There are tales relating to local monuments and features of the landscape and tales explaining some of the local traditions that are still upheld in the 21st century.
- DVD RAPPER SWORD INSTRUCTIONAL 2006 (DVD & BOOKLET)** £12.50
This superb Rapper Sword Instructional was hosted by Stafford Morris Men , 18th March 2006. All attendees were put through their paces and expertly tutored by members of Stockton Morris Men. This delightful instructional aide demonstrates figures from Newbiggin, Earlsdon, North Warbottle, Stockton, High Spen & Winaton. The tunes used are: Irish Washerwoman, Tenpenny Bit, Blackthorn Stick, Laid O'Cockpen, Irish Whiskey, Cock O'the North, Haste to the Wedding & Paddy O'Rafferty. All of the above has been long overdue. Congratulations to all those involved.
- Bk: THE MAGIC SPRING** by Richard Lewis £14.99
Starting with the conviction that England must have a folklore as compelling, as exotic and as beautiful as that of other places, Lewis embarks on a search for traditional roots that takes him well off the beaten track – from the humble folk clubs of the fenlands, across the Yorkshire moors via the Morris-Dancing Cotswolds to the company of witches deep beneath the Forest of Dean
- Bk: HISTORY & THE MORRIS DANCE** by John Cutting £12.50
Where did Morris come from, and what was it for? After thirty years of dancing, teaching, and research, John Cutting attempts to answer these questions. This is proving so popular that I am currently waiting on my forth order from the distributors.
- Bk: THE ANGLO CONCERTINA MUSIC OF WILLIAM KIMBER** £16.00
By Dan M Worall. The latest publication to come out of E.F.D.S.S. This is as comprehensive as it can get on the life and music of William Kimber. This beautifully presented A4 (portrait) spiral bound. This is a MUST for all concertina players of any standard and Morris enthusiasts alike.
- Bk: A COTSWOLD VILLAGE 'ILMINGTON' 4000 B.C. TO THE PRESENT** £12.00
By Stacy Pifer Ibbotson & Sylvia Gardener. A comprehensive history of Ilmington Village. This includes a history of the Ilmington Morris with graphics (Paul Bryan's 'Broom Dance')
- Bk: STILL GROWING** Compiled & edited by Steve Stroud, Eddie Upton & Jacqueline Taylor. £13.50
English traditional songs and singers from the Cecil Sharpe Collection
- Bk: A SHORT HISTORY OF THE GREEN MAN'S MORRIS & SWORD CLUB** By Colin Spencer £ 5.00
This is as comprehensive as it can possibly get when a member of a Morris side decides to record its history. Beautifully presented in the form of a spiral bound A4 (portrait) publication. Colin has kindly donated all proceeds to the Morris Ring. Every Morris side should have a 'Colin Spencer'.
- Bk: MORRIS DANCERS & ROSE QUEENS** By Johnny Haslett £35.00
This is a definitive work about the sociology of Lancashire at the end of the 19th century. The author has put together a brilliant anthology, providing fresh insights into life in late Victorian Lancashire. Here we have Morris dancing teams that travelled distances to perform in towns beyond the county limits, teams that couldn't afford to move about and therefore stayed nearer home. Morris Dancers who were influenced by teams that travelled from other towns. This book is a unique and valuable source of reference. Carriage: Please add £7.16 (first class). Best to collect from The Morris Shop when out and about.
- Bk: THE MORRIS BOOK.** Combined 5 Vols edition of Cecil Sharp's original publications, full text & illustrations from his collection. £12.00
- Bk: HANDBOOK OF MORRIS DANCES:** Lionel Bacon. The essential 'Black Book'. £20.00
- Bk: FIRST LOG BOOK:** Walter Abson's period as Bagman of the Morris Ring. £ 3.00
- Bk: LONGSWORD DANCES:** From traditional and Manuscript sources by Ivor Allsop £15.00
- Bk: CONCERNING CLOGS:** A concise history of making, wearing & dancing in clogs. £ 5.00

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Bk: THE BERT CLEAVER COLLECTION	(All 3 for only £5)	
Sherbourne Dances and Jigs	£ 2.00	
Fieldtown Dances and Jigs	£ 2.00	
Morris Jigs	£ 2.00	
Bk: WRAGGLE TAGGLE GYPSIS.	The story of the Lichfield Morris Dances. by Jack Brown	£ 5.00
Bk: EIGHT DAYS WONDER	by Julie McKenzie. The footsteps of Will Kemp April 2000	£ 5.00
Bk: RUSHCARTS OF SADDLEWORTH	Twenty-one years of Rushcarts in Saddleworth By Peter Ashworth	£ 5.00
Bk: STEP CHANGE	– By Georgina Boyes. New views on traditional Dance.	£10.00
Bk: THE LANCASHIRE PACE-EGG PLAY:	All you would wish to know about Pace-Egging and an interesting social history by Eddie Cass This publication is supported by the Morris Ring.	£13.95
Bk: THE STORY OF THE FLAMBOROUGH LONGSWORD DANCE	(A4 landscape, comb bound) by Richard Traves & Trevor Stone. This 17-page booklet oozes the experience and knowledge of the two authors. It covers the entire history of the Flamborough tradition to the present day	£ 6.00

THE MORRIS (SOUND) SHOP

THE LMM CDs NOW AVAILABLE:

LMMCD 1 Morris Dance Selection:		£08.00
19 tracks including dances from the Morris traditions of Fieldtown, Adderbury, Bledington, Brackley, Headington and Brackley. The Musicians are: Mike Chandler, Harry de Caux, Jim Catterall, Brian Holemen, Richard Shillitto/Kevin Ford and Martin Jolly.		
LMMCD 2 Morris Dances of Kenworthy Schofield / Mike Chandler.		£08.00
29 tracks including dances from the Morris Traditions of Fieldtown, Bledington, Longborough, Headington Quarry, Brackley, Bampton, Adderbury, Bampton & Sherborne.		
LMMCD 3 Lichfield and Ducklington Morris Dances.	31 tracks played by Jack Brown (melodeon), Roger Venables (accordion), Stephen Bazir (melodeon) and Tubby Reynolds (fiddle).	£08.00
LMMCD 4& 5 (Double CD) Headington Quarry Morris Dances.		£12.00
CD4 ~ 26 tracks of H/Q processional, stick and jig dances played by John Graham (accordion). CD5 ~ 22 tracks of H/Q handkerchief set dances played by John Graham.		
LMMCD 6 Bucknell Morris Dances.	17 tracks played by Russell Wortley and Andy Richards, both on pipe & tabor. Please note, the Russell Wortley memorial book (music, dance notation, history notes and pictures) is also available from the Morris Shop at a mere £5.00	£08.00
LMMCD 7& 8 Bledington Morris Dances.	33 tracks played by Geoff Jerram (concertina).	£12.00
LMMCD 9& 9a Longborough Morris Dances	33 tracks played by Ian Stewart (accordion). The original Longborough cassette proved too lengthy for one CD.	£12.00
LMMCD 10 & 11 Fieldtown Morris Dances.		£12.00
CD10 ~ 22 tracks played by Mike Chandler (pipe & tabor), Brian Holeman (accordion), Phil Ham (concertina) and John Ralph (pipe & tabor). CD11 ~ 20 tracks played by Mike Chandler (pipe & tabor), Brian Holeman (accordion).		
LMMCD 12 Brackley & Hinton Morris Dances.		£08.00
25 tracks played by Richard York (accordion).		
LMMCD 13 Rapper.		£08.00
13 tracks of various material including music and interviews featuring Nibs Pearson, Jack Atkins, Jo Bennett, Norman Shiel, Jim McKay, Jim Catterall, Bob Day, Alan Brown, Tom Prince, Phil Ham, Byan Jackson and Jack Keane.		

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LMMCD 14 Sherborne Morris Dances. 17 tracks played by James Melville (accordion). £08.00

LMMCD 15 Ascot-u-Wychwood & Oddington. £08.00
18 tracks played by Bill Cleaver (melodeon) for the Ascot Morris Dances and John Glaister (melodeon) for the Oddington Morris Dances.

The full set of LMMCD1-15 is available for **£100** (saving £12.00). Please contact Steve re availability and postage.

DVD: THIS IS MORRIS DANCING £10.00

Concentrating on the Winster Morris team, this film examines the history and traditions of the distinctive form of morris dancing found in Derbyshire. The history of the teams is traced back to the early nineteenth century, with press cuttings, photographs and old film clips. The background to the village, and an account of the re-formation of the team in 1977 is given. There are shorter sequences showing the place of dancing in the Castleton Garland ceremony and the Tideswell Wakes torchlight procession.

The second part of the film includes complete coverage of all the dances as at Wakes Saturday 1981 – though other dances have been added to the repertoire since – and includes general footage of the Wakes day celebrations. This film was originally shot in 16mm format prior to being transferred to DVD.

DVD: THE MORRIS FILMS OF LIONEL BACON £10.00

Lionel Bacon was born in 1910 and in 1929 went up to Trinity College, Cambridge where he read medicine. He became a keen morris dancer and was admitted to the Cambridge Morris Men in 1932. Whilst with that club, known when touring as the Travelling Morrice, he had the opportunity of meeting, and unusually for that period, of filming both traditional dancers and the revival of the inter-war years. He later joined the London Pride Morris Men in London, and was instrumental in the formation of both the Whitchurch and Winchester teams.

This DVD shows clips of the following occasions and dance teams:

Travelling Morrice in the Welsh Marches – 1932

Travelling Morrice in the Cotswolds – 1933

Cambridge Morris Men at Ringstead Mill, Norfolk – 1934

Thaxted Morris Weekend – 1934

Travelling Morrice in Derbyshire - 1934

Travelling Morrice in Suffolk – 1935

Dance tour to Somerset – 1935

Thaxted Morris Ring Meeting – 1936

Wargrave Morris Ring Meeting – 1936

Thaxted Ring Meeting – 1937

Travelling Morrice in the Cotswolds – 1937

Bampton Whit Monday – 1935

Collecting at Bampton – 1936

Whitchurch Day of Dance 1950

The above feature, amongst others, Henry Hathaway of Swell (1933), William Wells (1935-6), William Kimber (1936 & 1950), The Bampton Morris Men (1935-36), The Headington Quarry Morris Men (1950), The Eynsham Morris (1937), The Chipping Campden Morris (1937), the Winster Morris (1934) and Henry Hemmings of Abingdon (1936), as well as Ring personalities such as Joseph Needham, Alec Hunter, Kenworthy Schofield, Douglas Kennedy, Arthur Peck, Russell Wortley and Walter Abson.

A closely researched commentary is provided. The material was originally shot on 9.5mm film and although every effort has been made to enhance this, the quality often remains poor.

DVD: THE DERBY TUP £10.00

“The Derby Tup” is a Christmas Mumming play that, although it has long since died out in Derby itself, still occurs in the North Derbyshire area. It is usually performed by children in the 12-16 age range, visiting pubs in their locality in the weeks before Christmas and New Year. This film shows a version of the play from Ridgeway, Derbyshire, and was filmed in the winters of 1971 and 1972; it includes background to the locality as well as a complete version of the play, and footage of the team performing in several pubs.

“A well-produced and sympathetic description of a little-known and fascinating custom.” Bill Leader.

“‘Derby Tup’ is one of the most important films in the field of English folk custom. Genuine, scholarly, and a sensitive product of the film-maker’s craft, it deserves to be widely seen and appreciated.” Prof S.F. Sanderson.

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CD: COUNTRYSIDE COLLECTION

£10.00

The latest compilation CD from Talking Elephant Records. A selection of music and songs for the English Countryside compiled by Ashley Hutchings featuring many of the top British folk artists of today

CD: SNOW ON SNOW

£13.00

This is the third album from the Albion Christmas Band featuring Simon Nicol, Ashley Hutchings, Kellie While & Simon Care. Being a mix of traditional and new compositions the album will appeal across the board to all fans of Fairport Convention/folk music alike.

CD: WHERE THE PAVEMENT ENDS (Moulton Morris Men)

The Moulton Morris Men say that they are the best traditional dance teams in the country. They perform traditional English Morris dances in the ways they should be done, dancing throughout the summer months at fairs, steam rallies, fetes, fun days, folk festivals and in many open places around Northamptonshire. They regularly travel to display their traditional dancing skills across England and have been to Europe to dance in Holland France Belgium and Germany. The group is based in the Northamptonshire village of Moulton and as well as performing all the varieties of Sword and Morris, they specialise in local dances of this area. Music is provided on melodeon, fiddle and concertina and there are nationally renowned musicians among their membership.

CD: PRITTLE PRATLING STORIES...

Mike Garland & Clan

£10.00

Mike (East Suffolk Morris Men) has been threatening to do this for many a year and, at long last, here it is. An excellent selection of his best and favorite songs with some clever arranging that incorporates the talents of Emma Melville (accordion), Adam Garland (whistles) & Jon Melville (concertina). Very soon after receiving my promo copy, I order a complete box for the Morris Shop.

CD: 'OH WHAT A CAPER'

Simon Care

£13.00

His new album reads like a Who's Who of the top realms of the Folk World. There are tracks from such bands as Whapweasel, The Lark Rise Band, The Albion Christmas Band, Edward 11, The Morris On Band and many more. There has hardly ever been an album covering so much of the market and appealing to such a wide range of the folk fans. This album will have an extremely wide appeal to anyone at all interested in folk music. Filing under "Folk" this album will be a consistent and steady seller for many years to come.

CD: J.K.'s 'PLAIN CAPERS'

£11.00

At long last! And long overdue it is to! John Kirkpatrick's definitive Morris album from the mid '70s. The term 'Iconic Morris' is an understatement. Plain Capers evolved as a direct result of the earlier 'Morris On' back in 1972. This CD includes 16 tracks plus video track from Jon Cousins film on the story of the Plain Capers LP. Also includes a comprehensive 20 page booklet. Nostalgia is not only a thing of the past.

CD: COBBLED TOGETHER

£10.00

A miscellany of songs, dance and music from Northamptonshire. Produced by Simon Care and Moulton Morris Men. Fourteen tracks of superb musicianship and interesting arrangements. A must for CD library.

CD SWEEPS (A Joyful Celebration of the Morris)

£13.00

Another superb Morris compilation CD from 'Talking Elephant Records'. This was put together especially for the 2008 Rochester 'Sweeps' Festival.

CD: THE MOTHER OF ALL MORRIS

£13.00

There are 'average' Morris CDs and 'good' Morris CDs. Very few reach the aspiring ranks of the 'iconic' Morris CD. This is most defiantly a recording in that latter category. Superb musicianship demonstrated by some of the best: The Morris On Band, Eliza Carthy, Jim Moray Trio, Show of Hands, Jim Causley, John Kirkpatrick & Chris Parkinson, The Glowworms, Chris Leslie, Ken Nichol, Saul Rose, Ruth Angell, The Ric Sanders Group and the Minehead Sailor's Horse Crew.....phew !!

CD: DANCING DAYS ARE HERE AGAIN

£13.00

Some genuine Albion Dance Band classics here totally 28 tracks. This is a double CD of great vintage folk-rock dance music from both stage and studio. The artists are: Ashley Hutchings, Michael Gregory, Dave Mattacks, Simon Nicol, Jean-Pierre Rasle, Dave Whetstone, Phil Pickett, John Rodd, and John Sothcott.

Disc 1: Live at the Royal Festival Hall 1976, 15 trks, 40:43mins.

Disc 2: Albion studio recordings 1983, 13 trks, 39:34mins.

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CD: A TOUCH OF MORRIS

£ 9.00

A goodly compilation of some of the best recent recordings by the morris worlds 'Great & Good' namely: Chris Leslie, Fairport Convention, Great/Grandson of Morris On, Morris On Band, Ashley Hutchings, Albion Dance Band. There will be a prize for the first person to identify the Morris side depicted here. 17 tracks over 57:08mins

CD: LARK RISE TO CANDLEFORD

THE ALBION BAND

£12.00

This was originally released in 1980 on vinyl and had a very brief short release on CD in 1991. Since then it has become one of those traditionally British gems hidden away in the closet of time. UNTIL NOW. From Keith Dewhurst, a National Theatre adaptation of Flora Thompson's classic trilogy of hamlet life in the 1880s and early 1900s, this album has become a much sort after item. Featuring a who's who of stars of the folk world including Martin Carthy, Shirley Collins, John Kirkpatrick, John Tams and Martin Simpson, to name but just a few. The books, already established as the masterpiece of a lost way of life, and an unforgettable impression of the transitional state between the old, stable, work-pleasure England and the modern world. The Music has a deliberate period flavour, with many traditional melodies and saw its first appearance at the National Theatre in 1978.

CD: LARK RISE REVISITED (2008)

THE LARK RISE BAND

£13.00

The BBC's adaptation of Flora Thompson's Lark Rise To Candleford delighted millions of Sunday night viewers with its endearingly quaint portrayal of a Victorian rural community. Back in 1981, the same series of books were the inspiration for two National Theatre stage productions. And in his search to find music as quintessentially English as the rural idyll of Thompson's childhood, playwright Keith Dewhurst turned to folk legend Ashley Hutchings, esteemed founder of Fairport Convention and Steeleye Span.

Hutchings's Albion Band went on to accompany all performances, also releasing a subsequent soundtrack album, and nearly three decades on, he's back with the somewhat unimaginatively named Lark Rise Band to capitalise on the television version's success.

Consisting of unpublished songs from the original National Theatre project together with several new songs and readings from the text itself, like the series that inspired it Lark Rise Revisited is either a wonderful evocation of a bygone age or sentimental nonsense depending on your point of view about such things. Fans of Vashti Bunyan will love the nursery rhyme melodies and Judy Dunlop's crystal clear voice on ballads like the gorgeous Bonny Labouring Boy, although only traditional folkies may like Poor Old Soldier and the smattering of morris dance tunes and singing children.

What's beyond dispute is that Hutchings remains one of the foremost keepers of the English folk flame, and he and his musicians are in impeccable form throughout, giving the record undeniable authenticity and charm. Lovers of the genre in its purest form will lap up Lark Rise Revisited, as will period drama obsessives everywhere and elderly aunts who still recall fondly the days of straw-sucking farmers and earnest young parsons dancing round maypoles on village greens. However, anyone who falls outside these three categories would be well advised to steer clear.

CD 2007 LISTEN TO THE BAND (2x CD set 52 tracks)

£14.00

Unlocking the treasures of the Vaughan Williams memorial library sound archive.

This 2-CD set, is a chronological compilation of commercial recordings covering the first two of these periods and which span the whole era of 78rpm shellac records. Only bands and orchestras, part from one piano solo, are included. If there is such a thing as 'pro-active achieving' this is it. The variable quality of these records does nothing but enhance the experience. From the days before ipods/MP3's and not a melodeon, concertina or bell pad to be heard. I strongly recommend that you consider adding this to your collection, and not just for the sake of joining all of the others on the shelf.

CD 'BEDLAM' By Geoff Jerram, a long established Hampshire singer with a vast

£12.00

and varied repertoire. Geoff brings out the best in songs whether they be performed unaccompanied or with guitar/concertina. Geoff is most probably best known for his performances at Morris Ring Meetings and feasts. Many of these popular songs are featured amongst the 19 tracks.

CD x2 MAGIC OF MORRIS II (2006) 42 tracks

£15.00

As a result of the enormous success of its predecessor, the inevitable has happened... 'Volume 2'. Produced by Talking Elephant Records and compiled by Steve Adamson, Gordon Newton & Terry Pearson. This collaboration has succeeded in producing and even wider spectrum of Morris music featuring: Crucible, The Witchmen, Roger Venables, Sidmouth Steppers, Richard Shillitto & Kevin Frost, Motley Morris, Jim Caterall, Ravensbourne Morris Men, Loose Knit Band, Cecil Sharp Centenary Collective, Tap Roots, Mendip Morris Men, Loose Women, Heckety, Morris On Band, Brian Holeman, Mortimers Morris, The Fabulous Fezheads, 'Lost Morris', Ripley Morris Men, Mortimers Morris, Silurian Border Morris.

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CD x2 THE MAGIC OF MORRIS I (2005 Various Artists) Considered by some to be the best compilation of both old and new Morris music. This double CD demonstrates the variation of Cotswold Morris, Welsh Border Morris and Rapper as well as the individual artistry of both Fr Kenneth Loveless MBE and William Kimber. Also featured is Jake Walker's playing of the Abbots Bromley Horn Dance as performed by Thaxted Morris Men.	£15.00
CD AS LUCK WILL HAVE IT ~ A musical hour in the company of the Mendip Morris Men	£10.00
CD THREE SHEETS TO THE WIND ~ Black Pig Border Morris Following the immense success of its predecessor 'Roll out a ferret for Jesus', the obvious has now happened.....Mk II. This is not your bog standard Morris CD..... and I like. 19 tracks that included traditional folk/morris tunes, burlesque, classical, irreverence's soundscaps and techno !!	£10.00
CD TRADITIONAL GRAFFITI by The Wheeze and Suck Band. Also known as Sydney Morrismen 15 Tracks of tunes & songs by 6 Ex pats	£12.00
CD: FLASH LADS The Wheeze & Suck Band are a five piece group featuring guitars, mandolins, fiddle, melodeon, percussion and vocals, performing an exciting mix traditional, contemporary, and original 'roots' music. These costumed 'mad hatters' sing rousing songs and soulful ballads in exquisite four part harmony and play high energy instrumental dance tunes.	£12.00
CD THE TREES SCARCE GREEN Steve Jordon with our own Geoff Jerram and others.	£12.00
CD THE ROVING FIDDLER Geoff Halford and Leicester Morrismen performing 22 tracks of Morris songs and music	£11.00
CD SCANNED Music for lungs and bellows Will Duke (anglo-concertinas) and Dan Quinn on melodeon. 17 tracks of inspiring songs & music.	£12.00
CD THE BOX SET Simon Care. Created to celebrate 30 years of incredible melodeon playing. Featuring the many bands Simon has played with over the years. 16 tracks with many interesting arrangements	£12.00
CD SILVER JUBILEE. Jubilee Morrismen are the only side in South Africa to maintain the ancient English practise of Morris Dance. They are based in Gauteng Province, Pretoria. Their main traditions are Bledington, Adderbury, Fieldtown and Lichfield. It comes as no surprise to learn that their annual dancing out season is 12 months in duration.	£12.00
CD MORRIS ON Ashley Hutchings & various artists Deleted	£12.00
CD SON OF MORRIS ON Ashley Hutchings & various artists	£12.00
CD GRANDSON OF MORRIS ON Ashley Hutchings & various artists	£12.00
CD GREAT-GRANDSON OF MORRIS ON Ashley Hutchings & various artists	£12.00
CD MORRIS ON ~ THE ROAD Ashley Hutchings & various artists	£13.00
Morris On the Road is the live touring show of the combined Morris On series – Morris On to Great Grandson of Morris On. It was recorded at such festivals as Cropredy (35,000 people) and Sidmouth (68,000 people) and has received rave reviews. <u>Featuring:</u> Ashley Hutchings (Fairport Convention/Steeleye Span/Albion Band), Ken Nichol (Albion Band/Steeleye Span/Al Stewart) and Simon Care (Albion Band/Tickled Pink/E2K).	
CD HOLLER & SHOUT 'RAMSKYTE' are a four-part harmony group with Victory Morrismen Pete Luscombe, John Bartlett, Brian Ingham & John Thornton. 22 tracks of traditional and other folk songs	£12.00
CD DARK DECEMBER 'RAMSKYTE' Another four part harmony extravaganza. 20 Seasonal traditional songs at their vocal best	£12.00
CD FLICKERING LIGHT 'RAMSKYTE' even more of the best.	£12.00
CD STONE BY STONE Mike Nicholson is a Hartley Morrisman (Hon) and possibly one of the finest singers of traditional folk songs. 14 wonderful melodic tracks	£12.00
CD SOUNDCHECK by Mike Nicholson This long awaited second album is now here. Mike's unique style and tone continues to flourish.	£12.00
CD ROM MORRIS DANCING IN THE ENGLISH SOUTH MIDLANDS 1600-1900 This CD Rom features a great majority of Keith Chandlers Published works on the Morris 1981-2001	£14.00

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CD BORDER MORRIS TUNES. The Silurian Morrismen's audio cassette has been transferred to CD format (by popular request). 15 tracks of border Morris tunes in that unique Silurian style. £ 8.00

CD DANCING DAYS. Chris Leslie. A Celebration of music from the Morris Tradition in the glorious company of Gerry Conway, Ashley Hutchings, Simon Nicol, Dave Pegg, Ric Sanders, Mat Green and Mikey Radford. £13.00

MALLY MALLINSON'S PUBLICATIONS:

The D/G Melodeon Absolute Beginners:	48 popular tunes with chords.	Book £9.95 ~ CD £11.99
Mally's Cotswold Morris Vol 1	52 core Morris tunes with chords.	Book £8.95 ~ CD £11.99
Mally's Cotswold Morris Vol 2	67 core Morris tunes with chords.	Book £8.95 ~ CD £11.99
Mally's North West Morris	57 traditional tunes with chords	Book £8.95 ~ CD £11.99
Mally's Easy Peasy Tunes	101 tunes for beginners & novices	Book £8.95 ~ CD £11.99
English Pub Session Tunes	101 Core repertoire for English pub sessions	Book £8.95 ~ CD £11.99
English Country Dance Tunes	101 Core repertoire for English pub sessions	Book £8.95 ~ CD £11.99
Popular English Session Tunes	101 Core repertoire for English pub sessions	Book £8.95 ~ CD £11.99
Nick Barber's English Choice	96 tunes with chords, for all melody instruments	Book £11.95
John Kirkpatrick's English Choice	101 tunes with chords, for all melody instruments	Book £12.96
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