

The 23rd London English Dance
Weekend
March 26 – 28, 2010

Schedule of Events

Friday, March 26:

Brookside Banquet Centre
99 Brookside St., London, ON

8:00 p.m. Registration and dance party
with guest callers
(Silent Auction begins)

Saturday, March 27: Brookside

10:00 – 12:00 noon **Workshop**
with Barbara Finney

12:00 – 1:00 p.m. Lunch (Box lunches will be
available for \$10)

1:00 – 3:00 p.m. **Workshop**
with Barbara Finney

6:30 p.m. **Banquet**
(Silent Auction ends)

8:00 p.m. **Playford Ball**
(period attire encouraged)

11:00 p.m. **After Party** (458 High St.)

Sunday, March 28

10:00 – 12:00 noon **Shape Note Singing**
(at 458 High St.)

12:00 – 1:30 p.m. Lunch on your own

1:30 – 3:30 p.m. **Master Class** with Barbara
Finney (at Brookside)

Registration Instructions

Welcome to the 2010 London English Dance
Weekend!

Please complete the registration forms on the
right. These forms **must be received by March
12, 2010**. We will then send travel directions,
and details of the events for the weekend.

Enclose a cheque or money order with your
registration form. The fee for the weekend is
\$90.00 (\$87US). This fee includes the Friday
night dance party, the workshops, the banquet
and Playford Ball and the Shape Note workshop.
Please note that we are making a box lunch
available for those who want it (both vegetarian
and non-). The cost is \$10 and **we need to know
in advance if you want us to order lunch for
you.**

For the Sunday Master Class, there is an
additional fee of \$15 (\$14 US).

Make cheques payable to:

True North Music and Dance

If you need billeting, complete the
Accommodation Registration Form at the right.

Send the completed form to:

**Tom Siess
458 High St
London, ON N6C 6C3**

N.B. Applications will be accepted on a first-
come, first-served basis. We will accept them
without regard to gender, so that there may not
be an even balance of men and women at the
workshops and Ball. We will ask the leader to be
sensitive to this possibility in planning and
conducting the events.

Event Registration

NAMES _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____

PROVINCE/STATE _____

POSTAL CODE _____

PHONE _____

EMAIL _____

Workshop/ball

___ @ \$90 (\$87US) \$ _____

Master Class

___ @ \$15 (\$14US) \$ _____

Box Lunch (optional)

___ @ \$10 \$ _____

Total \$ _____

___ I require vegetarian meals

Other dietary requirements _____

Accommodation Registration

___ I require billeting, for:

of: ___single males; ___single females; ___couples

___ Smoker Allergies _____

Approx. arrival time _____ I'm travelling with

and we need to be billeted together ___

I need billeting with parking _____

London English Dance Weekend

The London English Dance Weekend will take place at the Brookside Banquet Centre, a lovely formal banquet room with a very nice floor.

Barbara Finney is a regular caller at the dances in Boston, has been on staff at Pinewoods Camp, and has led many English dance weekends and balls, including our own, in 1995. Articulate, genial, serene, Barbara is noted for her clear teaching and welcoming presence. We are delighted to have a return visit from Barbara. In addition to English Country dance, she has been an active morris dancer and sword dancer.

Music for the weekend will be provided by **Childgrove**, featuring Debbie Jackson on piano, Anne Ogren on fiddle, viola, and an occasional kazoo, and Martha Stokely on oboe, pennywhistle, recorder, and kazoo. The three bring their fluid, eclectic approach to the elegant and compelling melodies of English country dance.

The Friday evening dance party will feature a number of guest callers. If you would like to call a dance or two, please notify Sheila Scott (519-439-3622 or sscott4@sympatico.ca).

There will be a party following the Saturday Ball at the home of Tom and Anne Siess (458 High St.), and a Sacred Harp Singing Workshop on Sunday morning, also at the Siess residence.

For further information, we can be reached at tfsiess@rogers.com, or call (519)690-0083 (Tom & Anne Siess).

Getting to London

London, Ontario is located about two hours east of Detroit, Michigan, two hours west of Toronto, Ontario and two and a half hours west of Buffalo, New York.

You can reach London by car on Highway 401 from the east from Toronto, and from the west from Windsor, Ontario, across the river from Detroit. You can also cross the border at Port Huron, Michigan, and then take Highway 402 to London. From Buffalo, after you cross the border, you take the Queen Elizabeth Way to Highway 403, and then Highway 401.

By air, you can fly into London through Toronto on Air Canada, or its partner, United Airlines. Northwest Airlines also serves London through Detroit. There is limousine service to London from both the Toronto and Detroit Airports, via Robert Q Airbus: www.robertq.com.

We make an effort to provide billeting for those who must have it in order to attend. If you absolutely must be billeted, you should be sure to apply early, since the available spaces fill quickly. There are also a number of reasonably priced hotels, motels and bed and breakfast facilities. If you wish to make your own accommodation arrangements, you may find the city's web site useful: www.londontourism.ca. Click on "Where to stay".

You can find more information at our website: <http://www.iandavies.com/truenorthdance.htm>



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