Let's Party! Björnagain

Fabulous Abba tribute band

Andy Cooper's Euro Top 8 Jazz Band Take Six

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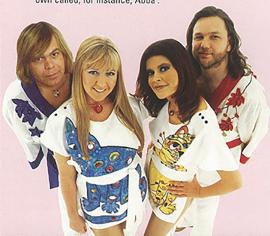
7.30pm (gates open 5pm)

Poplars Field, Pavilion Drive, Oundle

Tickets £15 to £19, £21 on the door

(see booking form for details)

The hugely successful and popular Abba tribute band, Björn Again, will be performing at Oundle for the first time in 2005. Close your eyes and you'll be back in the 70s, flared jeans, psychedelic shirts and all. The names of Abba's hits just come rolling off the tongue: Waterloo, Knowing Me Knowing You, Mamma Mia - as The Guardian says 'Bjorn Again are now so successful that soon they will have a tribute band of their own called, for instance, Abba'.



Starting off the evening is local band Take Six with vocalist Katie Gibbons; this is a young band whose

members are all under the age of 25. Katie sings everything from Bessie Smith to Eva Cassidy Next on stage is Andy Cooper's Euro Top 8. A truly

European All-Star jazz band, they play an eclectic mix of the best of jazz, including Dixieland, Swing and New Orleans; irresistible for all those who want to spend the evening on the dance floor.



And then Björn Again; the old Abba songs are so popular that most people know the words to at least one or two. It's time to don the blonde wig, put on your platform shoes and sing Thank you for the music...

Bars and barbecue available. Limited number of sites for pre-booked canopies only, £20 each - please tick box on the booking form.

Please bring a picnic and chairs or rugs, no formal seating is provided.



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Children's Concert King's Chamber Orchestra **Conductor Gerard Le Feuvre**

Once upon a Time....

3pm St Peter's Church (the Parish Church)

Tickets £5

The King's Chamber Orchestra makes its first appearance at Oundle in a special concert for children of all ages.



The entertaining programme includes such children's classics as The Ugly Duckling, Snow White & the Seven Dwarfs; teddy bears are also welcome to take part in this very interactive and fun concert!

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Celebrity Organ Recital David Higgs

5pm Oundle School Chapel

Tickets £8



Music by Bach, Buxtehude, Mendelssohn, Lefébure-Wély and Jean Guillou

David is one America's premier concert organists and ranks amongst the world's most soughtafter teachers. He is no stranger to Oundle, where he has been

immensely inspirational and influential during three previous visits. He plays his spectacular programmes from memory and his many friends and admirers will be beating a path to this dazzling recital on the 21st anniversary of the Frobenius organ and the Oundle summer schools.

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Juho Pohjonen, piano

7.30pm St Peter's Church

Tickets £13

(the Parish Church)

W A Mozart

Robert Schumann Alexander Scriabin

Béla Bartók Esa-Pekka Salonen Esa-Pekka Salonen Fantasy in C minor, K 396 Fantasiestücke, Op. 12

Sonata No. 4 in F sharp major, Op 30 Sonata (1926)

Yta II (1985) Dichotomie (2000)





One of the brightest young talents in Finland today, Juho Pohjonen has attracted great attention as one of the Nordic country's most intriguing and talented pianists. The Festival is proud to have secured his first concert in the UK.

If we needed proof that exciting new talent is in the pipeline, there was the marvellous American debut of Juho Pohjonen at Weill Recital Hall. Mr Pohjonen, offered a formidable mixed program, topped by thrilling accounts of two fiendishly difficult works by a fellow Finn, Esa-Pekka Salonen. Anthony Tomassini New York Times December 2004

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