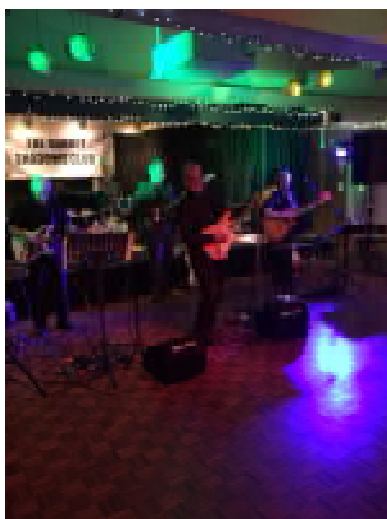




May 2016 Newsletter

Our April Meeting

It was the turn of Breakthru' at our 15th April meeting to provide our backing band duties and what an excellent job they did as well. They started off the meeting as usual with a good selection of popular Shadows instrumentals, before being joined by eleven of our club players to perform their first two tunes of the evening.



On the night we heard from Dave Keech, Bob Withrington, John Williams (on his very first visit to us from his regular club the - South West Shadows Club in Exeter), John Ward (taking a break from playing the Keyboards for Breakthru'), Bob Dore (it's been a while Bob but still some great guitar playing!), Stuart Osbourne (who made his vintage Burns Black Bison really sing), Derek Misselbrook, who played a couple of nice backing tracks, Gareth Morgan, John Cade, Geoff Bearpark and finally John Bell with Trevor Nicholson on Bass Guitar.

John Ward playing The Savage



Gareth Morgan playing Perfidia



John Cade playing Bongo Blues

Overall we were down a bit on the usual numbers of people in our audience but they were well rewarded with some really high class performances.

The Bootleg Shadows



The enormously entertaining Bootleg Shadows are on the road again later this month with Bob (Mr Sound) Dore taking care of all things sound.

Geoff informs us that their two Venues are- Dorking Halls on the 22nd April and The Haymarket Basingstoke on the 30th April

<http://www.dorkinghalls.co.uk/index.cfm ... ntid=21971>

<http://www.anvilarts.org.uk/whats-on/th ... -shadows-1>

If you have not booked up yet they would love to see some of you there for a great night's entertainment. Do come along and have a chat with them afterwards.

Steve Juden R.I.P

Steve's Funeral took place on the 6th April and was very well attended by many of his and Jean's friends from the Surrey Shadows Club, the Surrey Blues Club, the Eastbourne Shadows Club, The Molesey Conservative Club and The Europa in Molesey.



The floral tribute chosen by Jean, of a Sunburst Fender Stratocaster, just like Steve's own guitar, was a real piece of art.

Here it is in pride of place in the Reception Room at The Woodlands Park Hotel.

ShadowMix 2 Charity Event – Sunday 16th October

This is an early notice of this year's **ShadowMix 2 Charity Event** being organised for Sunday 16th October in Hemel Hempstead starting at 12:00 noon. Many individual players from Shadows Music Club's around the region will be creating some great music.

2016 Club Dates

20 th May	17 th June	15 th July	19 th August
16 th Sept	21 st Oct	18 th Nov	16 th Dec

