



Update Number Three

September and October 2017

“At last you are using my brain”

Most things are in place for the Norwich Convention. Even better is that Convention money has been rolling in. It did cross my mind that I could have a holiday in Honolulu with all this money and bring home two pineapples, but I didn't fancy being shot at dawn by the 140 Conventioneers. So instead, the money is where it should be in the bank and will soon be used to pay for the Convention expenses. That is why we request that we receive some monies in advance as per booking form. Amazingly 51 people have already paid in full and most other people have made substantial payments. Don't fret if you are not in a position to make the payments as suggested, everyone's circumstances are different but an e-mail would be appreciated so we can make suitable arrangements. Thank you.

Reserve List

We have opened our Reserve List and currently have four people on it. The Convention is still eight months away so it is possible that there may be individual cancellations. If you know of anyone who wants to come to the Norwich Convention but hasn't booked, please do advise them to contact me. By sending in a booking form they will be on the Reserve List and I will let them know where they are on the 'list'.

Friday Evening

We have some good news for everyone. Originally we were going to have to be split into two groups for the first night as there was a pre-booked wedding in the main banqueting room. The wedding has been scaled down and re-located so that means that we will now be altogether in the main banqueting Hall for all three nights for our meals. We will still keep our Fish and Chip theme for this opening meal and refresh ourselves from our exclusive 'Denker's Bar'.

Entertainment

In this Update, I will tell you about the entertainment that we have booked for your enjoyment. As always, the Sons are entertainment in their own right and, of course, we have scheduled the ever-popular 'Sons Entertain', introduced by Birmingham's finest, John Ullah, into our itinerary. So what other entertainment is booked for you at the hotel?





Adger Brown

Adger is a veteran of the after-dinner circuit and a consummate professional. He has performed with many sports stars and celebrities at events up and down the country. Now in his 30th year in show-business, Adger is one of the most versatile comedians on the mainstream circuit of

cabaret and variety. He is an active member of The Variety Club Golfing Society, A Barker with The Variety Club of Great Britain and a proud member of the Grand Order of Water Rats. If you have a sense of humour then you must simply listen to Adger.

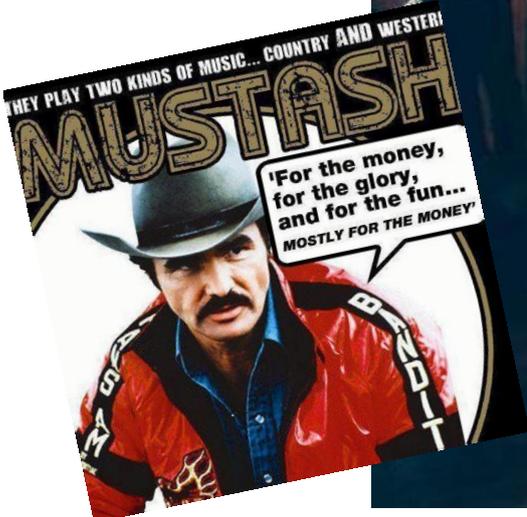
As you know, Laurel and Hardy were also proud to be Water Rats

A group of Saps saw Adger at a Water Rats event in Margate in 2016 and our ribs ached with laughter. I am sure that he will enjoy being with the Sons of the Desert on our first evening.



Mustash

On Saturday night it is time to kick off your high-heels – and that’s just the guys – because we have lined up a raucous, rowdy and great band. Say ‘howdy’ to ‘Mustash’. Their logo says ‘For the money, for the glory and for the fun but mostly for the money’. Don’t believe that – they are mostly for the fun. We hope you will agree.



My Favourite Things

Taking the stage on Sunday evening, we have three lovely girls who sing, dance and tap. They are the wonderful 'My Favourite Things'. They will melt your heart with their harmonies. Think of a modern version of The Andrew Sisters. Girls you will be singing along with them. Guys you will fall in L U G H – love! They will be great.



..and finally

If you have ANY queries about the Convention at this stage, don't hesitate to phone me, if your line isn't disconnected, or send me an e-mail. A couple of us are heading up to the Mercure Hotel at the end of September to dot eyes and cross teas.

Well, that's all there is. There isn't any more. At least not until; the next Update in Nowonder.



Fraternal greetings from the Saps At Sea

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