

Malvern Storytellers

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Welcome to 2010...

After a hectic 18 months with many excellent Storyrounds and many splendid performances 2009 has come to an end—thank you to everyone who gave us support. Especially to our faithful audiences, tellers and Cat and Ben without whom our telling would be less rich. 2010 will be a different year - the Traditional Arts Team (thanks!) are unable to provide the same level of touring support this year but that does not mean that we will have any less storytelling.

We have a full pattern of themes for our storyrounds (see overleaf) .

Thank you to everyone who came to the storyrounds last year. We all appreciated the tales that were told and look forward to many more in 2010. And you know you don't have to follow the theme - we can always make a link!

Our storydays will be a mixture of workshop, performance and storyround. They will provide opportunities to hear new tales, enhance skills and explore sources. Dates and places will follow soon - to stay in touch see our new website (see below)(more contact details overleaf).

Back in November we went to to Tanworth-in-Arden to tell tales to the Church Fellowship there. Peggy, Zoe and Robin told stories about golden apples, wolf-women and pudding!. A good time was had by all and there were - of course - plenty of cups of tea to share afterwards. If you know anyone who might like to have a visit from a few tellers then let us know ... and you are very welcome to join us too.

Changes are also afoot for the storytellers. Our website has had a complete work-over and we hope it will become our main hub of information. Please let us know what you think and what else you might want to know. Our programme and all events will be posted there, much more efficient than this newsletter mailing - especially in this crazy snow!

Apologies for the delay over this letter—you were meant to get it last week but we had to decamp from home ... enough!

Finally this is the last year that we will be sending our newsletters out to our whole mailing list. If you wish to keep on receiving the posted newsletter please let us know as soon as possible. If you prefer we can e-mail you the latest news which is much ore economic—and cannot be interfered with by the snow!

And finally there is the Website which you can always access at www.malvernstorytellers.co.uk

Happy telling

The Malvern Storytellers

PS Don't forget National Storytelling Week
Check the website for more news...



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Storyround Programme 2010



We are continuing to hold our storyrounds at the Great Malvern Hotel at 8.00 p.m. on the second Wednesday of each month. These are the themes for our storyrounds this year.

January	Night-time tales
February	Is it really there? ... or not?
March	Thieves
April	Tales of Travels and Travellers
May	Outwitting tales, who is outwitting who?
June	Flying – free as a bird!
July	Serpents and snakes .. and ... dragons
September	Nautical ... but nice
October	Vampires and others who feed on blood
November	Stories and tales of song, even in song!
December	Free for All

For more information

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Informal Storytelling in Newent

2nd Friday of the Month (we think!) at 32 West View, Newent, GL18 1TE
contact **Glenn Smith** Tel: 07974 675731

Please ring Glenn **before** you go - thanks