

Halsway Manor Fiddle Weekend
30th September - 2nd October 2016
With Tom McConville, Nick Wyke & Becki Driscoll

Friday	
4.00	Arrive and settle in.
6.30	<i>Dinner</i>
8.00	Welcome and introduction to the tutors. Set some goals for the weekend. An informal session in the bar to follow to get your fingers warmed up for the weekend!

Saturday			
8.30	<i>Breakfast</i>		
9.45	Workshop 1 - Warm up with Nick & Becki in the Long Room Learn a new tune to start the weekend		
11.00	<i>Coffee</i>		
11.30 - 12.45	Workshop 2 - groups split into 3.		
	Group 1 with Tom in the Long Room <i>“Swing bowing and keeping the tune simple”</i>	Group 2 with Nick in the Bar <i>“Creating textures”</i>	Group 3 with Becki in the Brendon Room <i>“Exploring tune rhythm”</i>
1.00	<i>Lunch</i>		
2.00	Open Space - please bring ideas for this on Friday evening. <i>For example:</i> Tutors available for one-to-one or small group tuition Browse the manuscript library for new tunes Have a session or tune swap Take a walk around Halsway Manor!		
4.00	<i>Tea Break</i>		
4.30 - 5.45	Workshop 3 - groups split and rotate		
	Group 2 with Tom in the Long Room <i>“Swing bowing and keeping the tune simple”</i>	Group 3 with Nick in the Bar <i>“Creating textures”</i>	Group 1 with Becki in the Brendon Room <i>“Exploring tune rhythm”</i>
5.45	<i>Break</i>		
6.15	<i>Dinner</i>		
8.00	Concert with Tom, Nick & Becki - OPEN TO THE PUBLIC		
10.00	Informal session in the Bar		

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Sunday			
8.30	<i>Breakfast</i>		
10.00	Workshop 4 - with Tom in the Long Room		
11.00	<i>Coffee</i>		
11.30 - 12.45	Workshop 5 - groups split and rotate again!		
	Group 3 with Tom in the Long Room <i>“Swing bowing and keeping the tune simple”</i>	Group 1 with Nick in the Bar <i>“Creating textures”</i>	Group 2 with Becki in the Brendon Room <i>“Exploring tune rhythm”</i>
1.00	<i>Lunch</i>		
2.00	Workshop 6 - with Becki in the Long Room Fiddle Orchestra, a lovely new orchestration to play together.		
3.00	Workshop 7 - with Tom, Nick & Becki in the Long Room Play together, recap and share the music from the weekend. Questions and answers.		
4.00	<i>Halsway Cream Tea to finish the weekend!</i>		