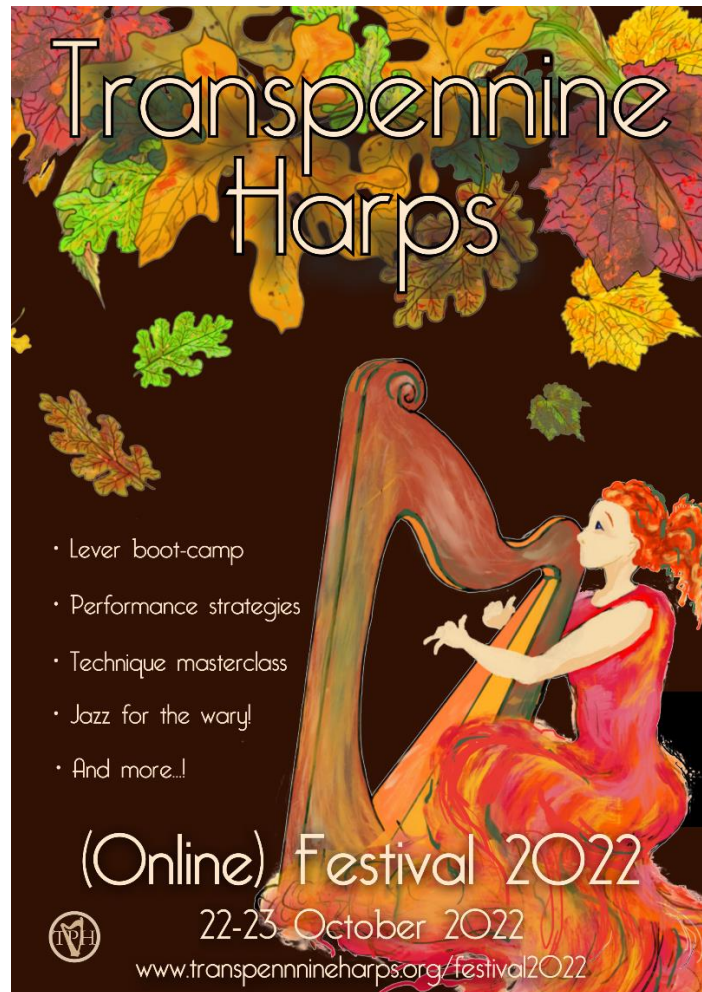




Transpennine Harps - a branch of the Clarsach Society

<https://transpennineharps.org/>

Newsletter Autumn 2022



Hello to all of our harpists.

Autumn is settling in with the most amazing colours in nature, and I love that our poster captures this element of the season.

We look forward to a broad and varied programme of harp events as we move towards the winter.



The main one is our second annual **2 day festival** planned for **October 22nd-23rd, this weekend!**. A superb set of workshops led by Tamsin and Lucy.

Please see our website for details, <https://transpennineharps.org/> there are also the online concerts and opportunities to chat to folk before the sessions in the TPH “Common room” via Zoom. All of the sessions will be recorded so you can review them later, and there will be handouts and printed music with each class for you to download and keep.

In person sessions:

Our venue has changed. We are now using Cullingworth Village Hall:

Cullingworth Village Hall, Lodge Street, Cullingworth BD13 5HB.



A large, bright and airy hall, with lots of great parking space outside. We had a great Slow Strings session and normal afternoon session with Lucy on the 9th of October.

We will still have Zoom sessions in addition to the in person sessions.

Great value, in that your £25 fee for 6 months gives you access to **ALL of the online sessions with both Lucy and Tamsin.**

Due to the cost of hall hire (and this is the lowest price we could find that was suitable), in person sessions have their own cost.

Our next **in person meet up** will be **Sunday 4th December**, at Cullingworth Village Hall.

There will be a Slow Strings session 12.30-1.30pm, and the Play Together session 2-4pm with Lucy.

- 13th November is a Zoom session with Lucy for the Classical Group and the normal Sunday afternoon Play Together session.
- A date for your diary.....
Sunday 15th January – our New Year Party, in person meet up, welcoming in 2023!



- Sunday 12th March, a workshop with Anne-Mare O'Farrell
[Anne-Marie O'Farrell - Royal Northern College of Music \(rncm.ac.uk\)](http://Anne-Marie O'Farrell - Royal Northern College of Music (rncm.ac.uk))

Other events coming up:

- RNCM Student Concert at King's hall, Ilkley.
Thursday 1st December 2.30pm – 3.30pm. Tickets are £8.
Tegid Harp Duo <https://www.iesshughes.co.uk/tegid-duo>
Chertok - Andres - Thomas – Salzedo.
- *TPHarps have been invited to take part in the U3A concert in early December and we are looking for volunteers.*

The concert will be held at St John's Church, Bolling Road, Ben Rhydding Ilkley, on Tuesday 6th December it will start at about 10.30 am and finish about 12 noon. We will have a solo slot, and be playing The Christ Child's Lullaby, (this is on dropbox Lucy 2022), and to accompany the choir when they sing Jesus Christ the apple tree, (enclosed). Don't be put off by all the notes in the music, this is going to be re-arranged into 4 parts, each with just a single line of music, (as in Verse 1) We will also play when the choir sing Silent Night (well, this one is still under discussion); again this is on Dropbox unfortunately just part 2, I have a copy of part 1 which is the tune and is a single line of music.

You will need to be available for rehearsals on Tuesday 29th November and probably and a Tuesday in October and November, and a zoom session with me to go through the music before we work with the choir.

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