NORTHUMBRIAN CAMBRIDGE ASSOCIATION MUSICAL EVENT at The Sage, Gateshead St Mary's Square, Gateshead Quays, Gateshead NE8 2JR

THE PITMEN POETS Sunday, November 24, 2019, 8 pm



Join us for an exciting evening with the leading champions of the North East's musical heritage!

From 'Billy Elliot' to 'Close The Coalhouse Door', 'When The Boat Comes In' to 'The Pitmen Painters'. Now hear the songs and stories of ... The Pitmen Poets. After their sell out UK tour of 2017 the four Pitmen Poets return for their final tour in 2019. Ex-Lindisfarne singer and songwriter, Billy Mitchell, Warhorse Songman, Bob Fox, leading exponent of Tyneside song, Benny Graham, and much-covered Durham songwriter, Jez Lowe, individually and collectively celebrating the triumphs, tragedy, humour and hard times of North-East England's coal mining tradition in an evening of music, song and spoken word.

The concert is at 8 pm in Concert Hall 2, and we have provisionally booked 16 seats for NCA members and their guests at a (discounted) cost of $\pounds 20.00$ per ticket (normal price, $\pounds 21.80$). We have also made a booking for those of our group who wish to dine at the Sage Brasserie at 6 pm. Last year, the Brasserie offered us a set price of $\pounds 16.00$ for 2 courses and $\pounds 20.00$ for 3, and we expect something similar this year. A sample menu will be sent beforehand to people who sign up for the dinner and we shall send in your menu choices in advance.

Seats will be allocated to interested members on a first-come, first-served basis, and so, if you would like to be part of what promises to be a wonderful evening, please send your booking form to NCA Secretary, Dr Andrena Telford (details below) as soon as possible, and by **Wednesday**, **November 13**, at the latest. Payment details can be found on the attached booking form.

Ample parking is available at the Sage.

BOOKING FORM

Northumbrian Cambridge Association

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Name:		
Address:		
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Email:		
Names of acco	ompanying persons:	
Number of tic	kets @ £20.00 per person	
Total amount:		
Method of pay	yment (please tick):	Direct payment (to NCA account – details below) Cheque
I would like to	o book a pre-concert meal	for people at the Sage Brasserie
I would like a	map/directions to the SA	GE, Gateshead YES/NO
Please return	this form to:	

Dr Andrena Telford Ladywell Cottage 24 West Road Ponteland Northumberland NE20 9SX

or email the information to: aeandwr.telford@btinternet.com

Payment can be by cheque, made out to Northumbrian Cambridge Association,

or by **online payment** through your own bank account to: HSBC sort code 40 34 18; account number 60618446.

NOTE: The ± 20.00 per person only covers the concert ticket. The cost of the meal, including drinks, as well as tip(s), will be up to the individual attendee (a sample menu will be sent out to those who sign up for the event, so that we can give your menu choices to the restaurant in advance).

Your booking will be acknowledged by email if possible. If you require postal acknowledgment, please include a stamped, self-addressed envelope.