**Oxford University Ceilidh Band**

**Fri 22nd April 2022**

We are delighted to see OUCB returning to FWO.  This lively ensemble features the best folk musicians in the University. They play lots of classy tunes from Scottish and other Celtic nations, and with real verve and love for the  music. They are also very hard working, playing for numerous college ceilidhs and charity events. You up for a party!?

<http://www.ouceilidhband.org/>

**Family and SEN Ceilidh**

**Family Ceilidh Oxford** and caller **Jane Bird**

**Sat 23rd April 2022**

This is an inclusive dance, suitable for families and people with special educational needs. Family Ceilidh Oxford organises relaxed and welcoming dances at Cutteslowe Pavillion. Come enjoy some fun dances and fab tunes!

<https://folkinoxford.co.uk/family-ceilidh-oxford.html>

**Reading Balfolk**

**Sat 23rd April 2022**

Balfolk is a style of traditional dancing popular not only in France, but also across Europe. Reading Balfolk’s resident duo Shivelight (Sam Doolin on fiddle and Harriet Power on melodeon) are hosting and playing for this dance. They will also be some special guest musicians!

<https://readingbalfolk.wixsite.com/readingbalfolk>

**Jigfoot + Ian Nichols - FWO**

**Sat 23rd April 2022**

We are delighted that the Hampshire band **Jigfoot** is returning to Oxfolk. The band approaches traditional dance tunes with energy, inventiveness and, above all, swing. They specialise in playing tunes from southern England and particularly their county. But most of all what they play is sublime to dance to. The band is: Cath Watkins and Ben Potton on fiddles, Gill Redmond on cello, Kim Shiel on melodeon and Nic Bradford on guitar. Their album Kindling is out now and you can hear it at [https://jigfoot.bandcamp.com/album/kindling](https://jigfoot.bandcamp.com/album/kindling?fbclid=IwAR2jMbmwl06EsmxFvLAzvrb8QTSNQMM0cy7rLJVWu81HopCoW5j_GlwRgzU)

The energetic and engaging caller **Ian Nichols** is making his Oxfolk debut. His timing is impeccable and he will make sure we all have a terrific time dancing.