

## Carolyn Sparey

On moving to Scotland following several years of freelancing in London, Carolyn became principal viola with the Scottish Chamber Orchestra, with whom she toured extensively in North America, Eastern Europe and the Scottish islands, and appeared on BBC TV as a soloist in Bach's Brandenburg Concerto no 6. Carolyn then became principal viola with the BBC Scottish Symphony Orchestra, appearing as soloist in Berlioz's 'Harold in Italy' and the Mozart Sinfonia Concertante for violin and viola, which she also performed many times with her brother Jonathan.

## The Rusty Strings of Callander

It started 12 years ago when a few friends wanted to do some playing together. This soon snowballed, as more, hitherto hidden people, dusted off their old fiddles and cellos and joined in. Gradually violas and a bass player emerged and so, together with Ron on piano, we formed 'Rusty Strings'. Our main annual concert is always well attended and manages to raise quite a bit of money for charity. We were surprised and delighted to learn of another group of our ilk, and we are thoroughly looking forward to joining forces with our new friends from Oundle.

Web: [www.callanderrustystrings.wordpress.com](http://www.callanderrustystrings.wordpress.com)

**Violin 1:** Jean (leader), Joan, Robert, Anneli, Cambell, Carol  
**Violin 2:** Isobel, Ruth, Maggie, Janet, Hugh, Ollie  
**Viola:** Pat                      **Cello:** Alan, Linsey, Peter, Susan  
**Bass:** David                      **Piano:** Ron

## The Rusty Strings of Oundle

This is a selection from our 25-piece string orchestra, which in turn is the string section of the 55-piece Rusty Players of Oundle (the RPO!), founded in 2010. The RPO gives three concerts a year, and the occasional tour (including the Loire Valley and Cromer!), and enjoys a regular prime spot at the prestigious Oundle International Festival in July. The strings are often invited to play at weddings and at our local care home. We are thrilled to be invited to join our new friends in Callander, and look forward to their return visit to Oundle.

Web: [www.rustyplayersoundle.org.uk](http://www.rustyplayersoundle.org.uk)

**Violin 1:** Douglas (leader), Alison, Kate  
**Violin 2:** Diana, Janet, Annie  
**Viola:** Julian, Ros      **Cello:** Garry      **Bass:** Edward

# THE RUSTY STRINGS OF CALLANDER and THE RUSTY STRINGS OF OUNDLE

3pm Sunday 5th May 2019  
CALLANDER KIRK



## PROGRAMME

*Conducted by Jean Thewlis*

- A Hundred Thousand Welcomes** J. M. Mason
- March** from 'A Little Suite' Trevor Duncan, arr Ron  
*Theme for Dr Finlay's Casebook*
- The Maids of Arrochar** Trad arr Hopkins
- Scottish Dances: **Calumn's Road** and **Spot o' Skerry**  
Donald Shaw/Ronnie Cooper

*Conducted by Douglas Butler*

- English Dances: **Morgianna** and **Morgan Rattler** Trad
- Palladio Concerto Grosso** 1st Movt: Allegretto Karl Jenkins
- Libertango** Piazzola
- Méditation** (from the opera *Thaïs*) Massenet  
*Soloist: Carolyn Sparey*
- Por Una Cabeza** (tango) Carlos Gardel  
*For accordion and hotel ensemble*

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INTERVAL: AFTERNOON TEA IS SERVED

## PROGRAMME

**Andante Cantabile** (from *String Quartet no. 1*) Tchaikovsky  
*Played by the Oundle Strings, with Carolyn and Peter*

**Easy Winners** (Ragtime) Scott Joplin  
*Played by Carolyn, Douglas, Jean and Peter*

*Conducted by Douglas Butler*

**Judex** (from the oratorio *Mors et Vita*) Gounod

**Theme from Schindler's List** John Williams  
*Soloist: Carolyn Sparey*

*Conducted by Jean Thewlis*

**Basse-Danse** (from *Capriol Suite*) Warlock

**March of the Hundred Fiddlers** Jock Morgan  
*Played by the Callander Strings*

**Oklahoma!** (from *Oklahoma!*) Richard Rogers  
**Moon River** (from *Breakfast at Tiffany's*) Mancini arr Neel  
**The Bare Necessities** (from *Jungle Book*) Gilkyson arr Dezaire

**The Stronsay Wedding and Caddum Woods** Cameron/Rennie

If you clap loud enough there might be an encore . . .

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*There will be a retiring collection in aid of Callander Kirk*

