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Hello Sandown Town Council

I am raising funds to support vital work of local community charity Age U.K.I.W with prestigious concerts at The Apollo Theatre in Newport.

Subject: Charlie Dore and Julian Littman External Hire supporting Age
Bookending 2025 The Apollo Theatre hosts Folk Acoustic Sessions in support of Age U.K.I.W., a prestigious evening in the Company of Award Winning Songwriter, Lyricist, Actress Charlie Dore on Sunday November 2nd.

Charlie has had a multi faceted carear in Repertory Theatre, Drama, Children's T.V. presenting (Rainbow), Films (The Ploughman's Lunch with Jonathon Pryce), composing Music for T.V. Drama, Comedy Improvisation for Stage and Radio. The Music for T.V. Drama A thousand Acres of Sky.
Her First Album recorded in Nashville on Island Records in 1978 launched the Global Radio Hit 'Pilots of The Airwaves' the last record ever played on Radio Caroline. A host of Artists have gone on to have hits with her songs, including Celine Delone, Paul Carrack, Sheena Easton, Jimmy Niall (ain't No Doubt About it U.K.No.1.)

Most recently she has enjoyed writing and performing songs live with Michelle Stodardt of The Magic Numbers who had a cameo role as the band's Bass Player in the Film Yesterday about The Beatles. Charlie's song fear of flying was recorded and produced by Beatle George Harrison part of his legacy never released.

Charlie Dore has produced and recorded 11 albums all released on her own publishing label. Her 2017 Album Dark Matter won Album of The Year, and best lyrics from the U.S. Indie Acoustic Project. Her most recent Album, Like Animals won her the 2021 F.A.T.E.A. FEMALE Artist of the Year Award.
'Her Dark Wit sculps her lovely lyricism, her gentle unique voice is one to die for'. Folk Wales
'Another master class in songwriting,prescient, powerful, and relevant'. Mike Harding.

Charlie Dore and Julian Littman were first together as students in Drama School, as musical collaborators they have been co pilots. They worked together on the Thames T.V Children's T.V. show RAINBOW. Julian Littman was the Guitar player for Gerry Rafferty with the massive hit Baker Street, and also recorded and toured with Dexy's Midnight Runners playing mandolin on their hit Come on Eileen.

He has a lead role in the folk roots pioneering Royalty Steeleye Span. A multi instrumentalist, composer, arranger, and producer, the 2 friends swap instruments, songs, and stories with glee and rapidity, often sharing reflections, of their entwined lives in the business, with great humour.
Julian also progressed from Drama School, to playing in local Theatres, to West End Stage Musicals Guys and Dolls, We Will Rock You, etc. His Film roles include Evi ta 1996, Running Scared 2006, Charlie and The Chocolate Factory 2005, amongst other roles, and he has numerous T.V appearances in series like The Sweeney, Holby City, and The Bill.

Julian has been a mainstay of Steeleye for 20 + years producer, arranger, composer, playing all guitars, keyboards. Steeleye teamed up with Terry Pratchett R.I.P to produce and record the Wintersmith Album.

His recent project involved recording a concept album of songs around an 18C Poem Goblin Market, working with the Actress Jane Millighan, the daughter of Spike Millighan. So lots of interesting stories my favourite involves Elvis Costello and a special Guest appearance on Sooty Show Christmas Special

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Steve Double