



## Cinema in Highworth

**Friday 28th March** at St Michael's Hall, Lechlade Road, starting at 7.45pm

**TELL NO ONE** France (15)

(Ne Le Dis A Personne) with English subtitles.

An intricate, intelligent and very watchable French thriller, based on a Harlam Coban novel, about a doctor who is still grieving for his dead wife when he gets mysterious messages suggesting she may still be alive.

## Open air youth production of A Midsummer Night's Dream

Young actors aged 14+ are sought for this community production as part of the Highworth Festival. This shortened version will be presented in a garden in Highworth, with two performances on the day. There are 17 characters with a mix of male and female parts.

The first meeting for auditions and casting will be on **Sunday 30th March** at 2pm in the Highworth Town Council chambers. Rehearsals will generally be on Sundays but other times may be needed.

Contact John Williams on (01793) 764431 or e-mail [john.williams99@btinternet.com](mailto:john.williams99@btinternet.com), or Lynn Vardy on (01793) 762521.

## World-famous guitarist in Highworth

White Horse Folk Club are delighted to announce a special event in March. Martin Simpson the renowned singer/ songwriter and one of the world's greatest guitarists will be playing in Highworth on **Friday March 29th** at Warneford School.

Martin won two categories in the BBC Radio Two 2008 Folk Awards. He won best original song "Never Any Good" from the best CD "Prodigal Son". He has been a professional musician since 1971 and has played with Barbara Dickson, June

Tabor, Steeleye Span and many others. Martin's work reflects the places he has lived and you can hear echoes of Lincolnshire, Mississippi and the Ganges in his music.

Tickets are available from Derrick Beer on (01793) 762070, or email: [derrick@beer83.freemove.co.uk](mailto:derrick@beer83.freemove.co.uk).

## Dedication pays off

Former Warneford School pupil and Highworth resident Rachael Gillespie (20) is now an apprentice with the Northern Ballet Theatre based in Leeds. She graduated (BA Hons) from the Central School of Ballet in London. Rachael is currently on tour with the Company and is appearing in Romeo and Juliet, The Nutcracker, A Midsummer Night's Dream and Hamlet.

The Company (see [www.northernballettheatre.co.uk](http://www.northernballettheatre.co.uk)) mainly tours in the north and midlands. However, she will be at the Cardiff New Theatre (A Midsummer Night's Dream, **27th – 31st May**) and Saddler's Wells London (Romeo and Juliet, **22nd – 26th April**).

Rachael previously toured the UK with Scottish Ballet (Cinderella) and Ballet Central last Winter/Spring. She has wanted to be a ballerina since the age of 6!



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