



# Deer Creek Morris Men

## Of San Francisco Bay

Could you be a **morris dancer?** We're looking for a few good men—also **musicians;** women OK.

We've been keeping up the old tradition for 26 years, continuing a very old English custom to welcome in the Spring. As with any self-perpetuating organization, we need to add new members. If you are interested in giving the morris a try, contact Squire Dick Bagwell (see below) You need to be reasonably, but not necessarily superbly, athletic. The concept of moving to music is a big help. So are sturdy knees. The Deer Creek Morris Men practice on SF's Potrero Hill on Wednesday nights, 7:30 - 9:30.

Morris dates back hundreds of years in England, a folk custom that



continues to this day, and has spread to the English-speaking world.

There are over 200 teams in North America. The Deer Creek Morris Men have been dancing the sun up on May Day, and around the Bay Area, for 26 years. Our website:

<http://deercreekmorris.info/> We are Artistic Associates of the California Revels, and

affiliated with the Bay Area Country Dance Society (BACDS)

**Instrumentalists:** Men or women. Morris tunes are technically easy, and lots of fun. Squeezeboxes and fiddles are the traditional accompaniment.

There is a sizable morris community in our area, and gatherings are social as well full of music and dance.

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