



MARLEE MORRIS

Marlee Morris takes the folk traditions of rural England and imbues them with a contemporary Western Australian energy. A newly formed group, Marlee Morris is a mixed gender dancing side taking on challenging and lively dances from the Morris repertoire.

What do we look like?

Throwing sticks, waving ribbons and sounding bells as they dance, the group is accompanied by live instruments such as pipe, tabor and melodeon. The ribbons streaming from elbows and waist show the Marlee Morris colours: purple, green and orange.

Our Origins

The name Marlee comes from the Wadjuk Nøongar word for Black Swan. The image of a black swan forms their logo and makes them stand out as uniquely Western Australian amidst the twenty odd Morris sides across Australia. Marlee Morris is largely

a traditional dance side performing dances from the southwest of England but also wilder dances from the border region between England and Wales.



A genuine community of enthusiastic odd balls, Marlee dancers have a wealth of Morris experience and they deliver a performance which is fresh, varied and skilled. They practise in Nedlands, Western Australia.

Where can you find us?

Marlee Morris made its debut in Sydney in August 2018 at the National Ale, a gathering of 100 Morris dancers from around Australia. They can now be found dancing in inner city pubs, at farmers' markets, on country roads, at medieval fairs, breweries and traditional English celebrations.

Join us - Hire us

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