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## APRIL 2019

### SUNDAYS

#### 7: AVAILABLE FOR HIRE

#### 14: HOT CLUB SWING – STEVE WILLIAMS TRIO

Local musicians are invited to join in for an acoustic 'gypsy jazz' jam in the first set (6.30-7.30).

Just £4 to participate and for the evening.

**Tickets £5 on the door / Students £3**

#### 21: JACK MAC QUINTET

From 8.00pm

Jack Mac (Saxophones) - Daniel Newbury (Saxophones) - Guy Shotton (Piano) - Nick Kacal (Bass)

Alex Goodyear (Drums)

**ADM: £4.00**

#### 28: AVAILABLE FOR HIRE

### MONDAYS

#### 1: ATRIUM UNIVERSITY NIGHT

#### 8: AVAILABLE FOR HIRE

#### 15: EASY STREET

Easy Street are: Alexa Dene (vocals and flute) Eurig Morgan (trumpet) Steve Van Koningsveld and John Clayton (guitars) Derek Howells (bass) Keith Niblett (drums). With their unique line up and sound Easy Street present cool jazz, and laid back bossa-nova with the emphasis on the 'great American songbook'. They have played with stars such as Claude Deppa, Tina May and Eddie 'Guitar' Burns and at venues from the Queen Elizabeth Hall to Brecon Jazz Festival. Chill out guaranteed.

**8.30pm start**

#### 22: JAMES JONES ALBUM LAUNCH

Violinist and multi-instrumentalist James started playing in public at the age of 11 when he was invited to play solo to an audience of five thousand at the Cardiff International Arena by the National Symphony Orchestra of London in Abba The Show.

In 2010, James won Caerphilly's Got Talent, a local talent competition with his rendition of My Way. A year later, when he was 12, James won the Bertie Cox trophy for acoustic jazz performance at the South Glamorgan Festival For Young Musicians.

In 2012, James performed as a soloist at the BBC Proms In The Park in Caerphilly.

In 2014, James supported folk icon Dave Swarbrick, formerly of Fairport Convention on his tour which came to Caerphilly. He was also featured on MTV.

Through his playing James has helped raise money for various charities including Children In Need, Scope and the NSPCC.

"James is a very talented man" - Eamonn Holmes (This Morning)

"One of these days I'll be supporting him" - Dave Swarbrick (Legendary British fiddler)

<https://www.facebook.com/jamesbjones/>

<https://itunes.apple.com/us/album/instrumental-jazz-ep/1353204839>

[jamesjonesportfolio.com](http://jamesjonesportfolio.com)

## **29: THE COME UP**

The Come Up event is hosting multi-genre Artists/Rappers & Producers from Cardiff & Newport who are featuring on an upcoming collective album "Something Different".

**7pm-12am**

**ADM: Presale £3 OTD £5**

## **TUESDAYS**

The Preservation Jazz Society present good-time jazz and swing in the traditional styles of the '20s and '30. Every Tuesday (8.30 -11 pm). See [www.pjscardiff.co.uk](http://www.pjscardiff.co.uk) for more info.

**ADM: £4.50 (£4.00 members/ £2 students) except \*\*\* listings.**

### **2: ALL THAT JAZZ**

Joe Foley et Al

### **9: PHIL WALL'S JAZZ BAND**

Phil Wall, Pete Locke, Vic Partridge and Steve Davis

### **16: BLACK CAT JAZZ**

John Scantlebury, Steve Graham, Tom Whittingham, Sarah Thatcher, Mike Kennedy and Pete Winterhart

### **23: THE KEITH LITTLE QUARTET**

Keith Little, Ceri Williams, Donnie Joe Sweeny and Jane Williams (Vocals)

### **30: FROM BRISTOL – THE PANAMA JAZZ BAND**

## **WEDNESDAYS**

**From 8pm onwards. Free entry**

### **3/17: BELLA COLLINS AND SPECIAL GUESTS**

Isabella Collins (Vocals, Guitar)

### **10/24: THE BAY RUM HOUNDS – BLUES**

Featuring harmonica and guitar. They play country blues, hokum, early Chicago style electric, gospel and swing.

## **THURSDAYS**

### **4: JACK LUKEMAN + LUCAS & KING**

“The most magnificent and enigmatic of performers.” Edinburgh Spotlight Magazine – Scotland  
Jack Lukeman is an Irish singer-songwriter, performer, raconteur and a whole lot more besides. A platinum-selling, critically acclaimed artist in his homeland, in recent years Lukeman has devoted more of his time to winning a growing fanbase in the UK and abroad. In this regard, he has toured the UK as Special Guest on tours by artists as varied as Imelda May, Jools Holland, The Proclaimers and Neil Sedaka, and is currently promoting “Magic Days”, his latest album of idiosyncratic original songs. Lukeman is a compelling, dazzling stage performer. Incorporating the theatrical and romantic sensibilities of the likes of Jacques Brel, but with genuine melodic appeal and a knack for creating his own ‘magic realist’ world that is peopled by all manner of unusual, picaresque characters, Lukeman is a rare, unusual brand of performer.

The best music artists know that the world of the recording studio and onstage are two entirely different mediums – Lukeman’s recordings are colourful, absorbing collections, but it’s in the live environment, where his stage craft and desire to inspire really take flight. Despite the many achievements he has notched up in his lengthy career, Lukeman still has the hunger and drive to take his music to new audiences. In March and April 2019, he takes to the road in the UK with his own headlining shows, providing the opportunity to experience first-hand the unique talent of Jack Lukeman. From clubs to concert halls, theatres to festivals, Lukeman has the performing power and compelling presence to win over the most demanding of crowds.

Based in the south of England, Lucas & King are two hugely distinctive musicians who draw on 60’s pop, cabaret, blues and country amongst other influences to create an utterly captivating and completely unique sound.

The combination of Bo Lucas’s “country vocals of a sultry lounge kitten” (Music Music) and Hayleigh King’s spare ”distant, reverb-laden twang-some” (Plunger) guitar style and their superb original songs creates powerful, atmospheric music that defies categorisation and sets them apart from their peers.

**£25 per person - Your ticket includes a delicious 3-course meal**

(Dinner reservations no later than 6.30pm to ensure you are served before the performance)

**Tickets available online for the performance only at <https://www.wegotickets.com/event/452836>**

**£16.50**

### **11: KATHY DAVIES QUINTET**

Kathy Davies and a top line rhythm section of Nigel Hart (keyboards), Paul Hillman (double bass), Julian Tucker (saxophone), Mark Thomas (drums) perform a varied programme of jazz classics opening with great up beat swinging standards; followed by single stand out renditions peppered throughout an evening set marked by originality.

(Arrangements by Nigel Hart) . Expect Johnny Mercer, Neil Hefti, Michel Legrand, Fats Waller , Ellington et al.

8pm Start

**ADM £5 (gig only) or £10 with Vegetarian or Chicken Curry**

### **18: ALEX GOODYEAR TRIO**

**ADM £6 / £5 concessions**

### **25: TBC**

**ADM £6 / £5 concessions**

## **FRIDAYS**

Powerful, provocative and usually irresistible - Late night blues / rock / soul sessions every Friday night at Café Jazz.

**Admission £4.00 / £3 concessions. Music starts at 10pm**

### **5: THE FUGITIVES**

It might get loud, it might get sweaty but it'll definitely be rocking !!!Cardiff's premier R&B Combo. From Bayonne to Bristol, the Basque country to Barry Island they are still just as lairy, and just as hairy. For the 17th year in succession, they have been voted the 4th best R&B outfit within a radius of 8.7 miles of Whitchurch village. By the most modest of estimations, they have now played almost 1500 gigs. That's 1500 Princess Margaret jokes and 1500 times Jason has tripped over the microphone stand. Good things never change. The Fugitives. Still the same, still brilliant.

### **12: JIMMY MAC'S BLUES BAND**

High energy Funky Blues/Rock & Classic Soul

### **19: JUKEBOX BANDITS**

### **26: THE BELLA COLLINS BAND**

The band plays a mix of Blues, jazz & soul and a number of self penned originals.

## **SATURDAYS**

Jazz Funk with our Resident House Band from 7.00pm until 10.00pm (except Special Event Days) followed by our Resident DJ Stephen Owen until 2.00am.

**ADM: £2 after 11pm**

### **6/13/20/27: JON CRESPO QUARTET**

Jon leads a funky hard-edged quartet playing standards, funk and Latin tunes.