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SUNDAYS

6: AVAILABLE FOR HIRE

13: HOT CLUB SWING – TRANSATLANTIC Hot Club

Ben Creighton Griffiths (Harp – Cardiff)
Adrien Chevalier (Violon – New York)
Tatiana Eva-Marie (Vocals – New York)
Don Sweeney (Bass – Cardiff)

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.

ADM £5 / £3 students

20: ALBUM LAUNCH NIGHT

From 8pm. Details TBC

27: AVAILABLE FOR HIRE

MONDAYS

7: AVAILABLE FOR HIRE

14: AVAILABLE FOR HIRE

21: 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.

ADM: TBC

28: AVAILABLE FOR HIRE

TUESDAYS

The Preservation Jazz Society present good-time jazz and swing in the traditional styles of the '20s and '30s in a friendly café bar atmosphere. Every Tuesday (8.30 -11 pm)
See www.pjscardiff.co.uk for more info.

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

1: PHIL WALLS JAZZ CARDINALS

Phil Wall, Paul Munnery, Sarah Thatcher and Steve Davis

8: HOT STRINGS CAFE

Heulwen Thomas, Hywel Maggs, Mike Frost and Donnie Joe Sweeney

15: STANDARDS REMEMBERED

Vic Partridge (banjo, guitar) with John Legg (reeds), Steve Davis (bass) and Gary Phillips (drums)

22: THE DAVE SMITH QUARTET

Dave Smith, Dave Wood, Vic Partridge, Steve Davis

29: THE PRESERVATION RHYTHM KINGS

Roy Davies & Co.

WEDNESDAYS

From 8pm onwards. Prices vary.

2: THE BAY RUM HOUNDS – BLUES

The Bay Rum Hounds feature harmonica and guitar. We play country blues, hokum, early Chicago style electric, gospel and swing.

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THURSDAYS

3: HACKENSACK

Hackensack is a double bill night dedicated to the fresh and the new jazz and occurs on the first Thursday of every month during the students' term times

1st set - Tuk Tuk

Led by saxophonist Joe Northwood, Tuk Tuk are a trio of creative musicians that perform memorable melodic lines infused with highly percussive group improvisation. They will be showcasing new tunes from their soon to be released album, 'Taking Flight'.

The writing has an undeniably contemporary feel yet with a firm foot in the past, citing a range of influences, from legends like John Coltrane and Joe Henderson, to modern the greats of Mark Guiliana, Avashai Cohen and Ben Wendel.

Joe Northwood (sax, bass clarinet) - Aeddán Llywelyn (double bass) - Jon Reynolds (drums)

2nd set - Bruno Heinen trio

Described by London Jazz as "a cool-headed and resourceful improviser with a beguiling touch" Bruno's erudition, eclectic studies and a jazz sensibility make him the kind of newcomer who repositions the goalposts.

Recently Bruno played a solo gig in Cardiff as part of the Mr. Vertigo tour and this time he is back with a trio that will be playing originals by each member of the group alongside choice arrangements.

Bruno Heinen (piano) - Andrea Di Biase (bass) - Riccardo Chiaberta (drums)

ADM: Choose which you pay

Big Price - £10 - for the arts supporter who would like to chip in that bit extra towards Hackensack's longevity and be remembered dearly

Medium Price - £7 - for the awesome audience, supporting the Hackensack without quite the glamour and philanthropy associated with the big price

Little Price - £5 - for the music lover who's thinking "that's all well and good but I'm a student who's on a budget here and I come to bloody everything anyway so stop pestering me for cash"

10: DAVE JONES QUARTET

Dave Jones (piano) performs music from his critically acclaimed new Quartet album 'KeyNotes', with a new line-up featuring Ben Waghorn (saxes and flute), Ashley John Long (bass), and Andy Hague (drums).

The new 'KeyNotes' album has attracted significant media attention, in the form of excellent reviews from Jazzwise, Jazz Journal, and London Jazz News, and also via airtime on BBC Radio 3's 'Jazz Now', Jazz FM, BBC Radio Ulster's 'Jazz Club', and BBC Radio Wales, amongst others.

"Jones has assembled a formidable quartet... to record a punchy set of six originals"
(London Jazz News)

“The theme writing is, as you might expect from a successful film and TV composer, memorable...” (Jazzwise)

“...one of our most able and listenable pianist/composers...” (Jazz Journal)

<http://www.davejonesjazz.com/videos.asp>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IILMCUozgEw>

<http://www.davejonesjazz.com/cds.asp>

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

ADM £6 / £5 concessions

17: TBC

ADM £6 / £5 concessions

24: TBC

ADM £6 / £5 concessions

31: TBC

ADM £6 / £5 concessions

FRIDAYS

4: THE FUGITIVES

Cardiff's premier R&B outfit. It might get loud, it might get sweaty but it'll definitely be rocking !!!

<http://fugitives.weebly.com/index.html>

<https://twitter.com/FugitivesWales>

ADM: £4 / £3 concessions

11: FORTUNATE SONS

Fortunate Sons are a band of musicians who have come together out of a passion for music that is honest, driving and emotive. They play with purpose.

ADM: £4 / £3 concessions

18: JIMMY MAC'S BLUES BAND

Five piece band including Sax player, playing classic & contemporary blues/rock

ADM: £4 / £3 concessions

25: THE BELLA COLLINS BAND

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

ADM £4 / £3 concessions

SATURDAYS

Jazz Funk with our Resident House Band from 7.00pm until 10.00pm (except Rugby International Days) followed by our Resident DJ until 2.00am.

ADM: £2 after 11pm