

JAZZ FESTIVAL PROGRAMME

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THURSDAY 29th August

5.30pm - 7.30pm The Village Cafe

Callum Riach Duo

7.30pm - 10.30pm Martinborough Town Hall

NZ School of Music Big Band - Music Director Rodger Fox

FRIDAY 30th August

11am - 12.30pm The Village Cafe

Raven's Trio - Cindy, Kate, Anja

11.30am - 12.30pm Knucklebone

In2ition

1pm - 2.15pm Kuranui College Auditorium

Kidz Jazz Concert

3pm - 4pm The Village Cafe

In2ition

5pm - 7pm The Wine Bank

Bob and Kate

5.30pm - 7pm The Village Cafe

Scarlet

6pm - 8.30pm Medici

Courtney Valerie Trio

6.30pm - 8.30pm Pinocchio

Stephanie Bishop and Chris Yeabsley

7.30pm - 10.30pm Martinborough Town Hall

Jan Preston - 88 Pianos I have known

8pm - 10pm Union Square

In2ition

10.15 - Late Mesita

Callum Riach Trio - featuring Alex Nyman

SATURDAY 31st August

10.30am - 11.30am P&K General Store

Gypsy Jam Trio

10.30am - 12.00am The Village Cafe

In2ition

11am - 12.30pm Union Square

JB3 - Jake Baxendale Trio

12pm - 2pm Martinborough Brewery

Remutaka All Stars Dixie Swing Band

12.15pm - 2pm Pinocchio Piazza

In2ition Duo

2pm - 3.30pm Circus Cinema Restaurant and Bar

Gypsy Swing - Sam Cooke and Leigh Jackson

2.30pm - 4pm The Wine Bank

Gypsy Jam Trio

4pm - 6pm Peppers Parehua

Noir

5.30pm - 7pm

The Village Cafe

Bob and Kate featuring Neil Billington

6pm - 8.30pm Medici

Courtney Valerie Trio

6.30pm - 8.30pm Pinocchio

Stephanie Bishop and Chris Yeabsley

7.30pm - 10.30pm Martinborough Town Hall

The Zak Pack - Let's Misbehave

8pm - 10pm Union Square

In2ition

10.15pm - late Mesita

Callum Riach Trio featuring Patrick Bleakley

SUNDAY 1st September

9.45am - 11.45am The Village Cafe

College Combos

12.00pm - 1.30pm The Village Cafe

Kahutara Municipal Brass Band

1.30pm - 2pm Martinborough Town Hall

Martinborough Community Choir

2pm - 3.30pm Union Square

Zak Pack Trio

2pm - 4pm The Wine Bank

Scarlet

VENUE MENU

Proceeds from Jazz In Martinborough will go towards sponsoring scholarships for college students to attend the NZ Jazz Foundation's Summer Jazz School

Circus Cinema Restaurant & Bar

Saturday 2pm - 3.30pm

Gypsy Swing

Knucklebone

Friday 11.30pm - 12.30pm

In2ition

Kuranui College Auditorium

Friday 11.30pm - 12.30pm

Kid's Jazz Concert

Martinborough Brewery

Saturday 12pm - 2pm

Remutaka All Stars Dixie Swing Band

Martinborough Town Hall

Thursday 7.30pm-10.30 pm

NZ School of Music Big Band - Music Director Rodger Fox

Friday 7.30pm-10.30pm

Jan Preston's 88 Pianos I Have Known

Friday 7.30pm-10.30pm

The Zak Pack - Let's Misbehave

Sunday 1.30-2

Martinborough Community Choir

Medici Cafe

Friday 6pm-8.30pm

Callum Riach Trio - featuring Courtney Naera

Saturday 6pm-8.30pm

Callum Riach Trio - featuring Courtney Naera

Mesita

Friday 10.15-Late

Callum Riach Trio featuring Alex Nyman

Saturday 10.15-Late

Callum Riach Trio featuring Patrick Bleakley

P&K General Store

Saturday 10.30 - 11.30

Gypsy Jam Trio

Peppers Parehua

Saturday 4pm - 6pm

Noir

Pinocchio

Friday 6.30pm - 8.30pm

Stephanie Bishop and Chris Yeabsley

Saturday 12.15pm - 2pm

In2ition Duo

Saturday 6.30pm - 8.30pm

Stephanie Bishop and Chris Yeabsley

The Wine Bank

Friday 5pm-7pm

Bob and Kate

Saturday 2.30pm - 4pm

Gypsy Jam Trio

Sunday 2pm - 4pm

Scarlet

The Village Cafe

Thursday 5.30pm-7pm

Callum Riach Trio

Friday 11.30pm - 12.30pm

Raven's Trio - Kate, Cindy and Anja

Friday 3pm - 4pm

In2ition

Friday 5.30pm - 7pm

Scarlet

Saturday 10.30am - 12pm

In2ition

Saturday 5.30pm - 7pm

Bob and Kate featuring Neil Billington

Sunday 9.45am - 11.45am

College Combo

Sunday 12.30pm - 1.30pm

Kahutara Municipal Brass Band

Union Square

Friday 8pm - 10pm

In2ition

Saturday 11am - 1pm

Jake Baxendale Trio

Saturday 8pm - 10pm

In2ition

Sunday 2pm - 3.30pm

Zak Pack Trio

THE JAZZ TIMES

WHO'S WHO, WHAT'S WHAT, WHO'S WHERE AND WHEN

MARTINBOROUGH

29 AUGUST - 1 SEPTEMBER 2019

FREE

"I think Martinborough is a cool place to have a jazz festival. And it's because we have a fantastic, supportive community that it happens every year," says Jazz in Martinborough festival producer Ted Preston. "Hence the tag line this year Community of Cool."

Ted explains that each year the festival is supported by a large number of groups, individuals and businesses, many of whom go under-noticed or under-mentioned.

"We need these people in our community to help bring musicians to town, venues to play at, signs to go up etc," he adds. Support comes from the venues and musicians, the volunteers and supporters. "We

also get annual monetary and logistical support from the likes of Trust House, Creative Communities, South Wairarapa Rotary and Martinborough Lions - each representing a section of our community, contributing in their own way."

"One of the outstanding features of Jazz in Martinborough over the last nine years has been the invaluable contribution made to the ongoing success of the festival by our venue partners. They are an integral part of our our Community of Cool," says Ted.

Each year the cafes, bars and restaurants of Martinborough have provided venues for over 200 bands, groups and musicians. "At our first festival we were able to provide places for displaced Canterbury

jazz school groups with the help of our venue partners," says Ted. "And every year since they have contributed in any way they can to make our festival successful."

The Village Cafe even became the main stage for three years of the festival. "They've been great!" says festival music director Lee Quayle. "The Village Cafe is our second stage, providing us with the space for bigger groups than most of the other cafes can provide," adds Lee. Other stalwart venues of the festival include Circus, Medici, Martinborough Hotel (in various guises), Martinborough Brewery, Peppers Parehua and P&K." says Lee. And The Wine Bank and Knucklebone are joining the list of venues hosting jazz performances over the festival weekend this year.



Some of the great jazz acts and musicians from Jazz in Martinborough 2018



The Zak Pack - Let's Misbehave
Martinborough Town Hall
Saturday 31 August, 7.30pm



Door open 7pm
Bar facilities available
Light supper served courtesy of
Susan Stephen and Co.

Your Invitation to "Let's Misbehave"

The Saturday night show this year features a tribute to the Great American Songbook from the fabulous, entertaining and exciting Zak Pack.

The Zak Pack is a five-piece jazz combo that have captivated audiences around New Zealand with their tight arrangements and smooth sound. This show titled "Let's Misbehave" is a tribute to the Great American Songbook, also known as the American Standards.

The show is a super collection of the most important and influential American popular songs and jazz standards from the early 20th century.

It featured in the Queenstown Jazz Festival for three consecutive years with great success and will have new and classic arrangements to the tunes that everyone is familiar with. The show is a toe- tapping night out that is not to be missed.

The Zak Pack features accomplished jazz guitarist and vocalist Zak Dikvert, pianist and composer Anita Schwabe, New Zealand bass-playing icon Nick Tipping, drummer extraordinaire Greg Crawford and festival local and saxophonist Alex Nyman.

Also "misbehavin'" with the band for this tribute are the superb Chris Fox on trombone and the characterful Lauren Armstrong as a guest vocalist.



Jan Preston - 88 Pianos I have Known
Martinborough Town Hall
Friday 30 August, 7.30pm



Door open 7pm
Bar facilities available with the support of
Neighbourhood Coffee
Light supper served

Piano Maestro Returns

Friday night at the Town Hall sees Jan Preston finally coming to the festival proper with her show *88 Pianos I Have Known*. Pianist extraordinaire Jan Preston has played in Martinborough a few times over the years but with this show brings a new perspective to her music.

Projected images combine with unforgettable biographical stories, original songs and piano music, which will move you from tears to laughter. Underpinned by Jan's thrilling virtuosity (together with her trio) audiences will be tapping and clapping, and may leave never looking at a piano quite the same way again.

A great way to experience Jan's wonderful piano playing, arrangements and entertaining personality. Jan Preston is known as Australia's Queen of boogie piano. She is a magnetic live performer and astonishing piano player with a rich resonant voice. Her original songs, compositions and mastery of boogie-woogie captivate audiences at festivals and in concerts around the world.



NZ School of Music Big Band
Music Director Rodger Fox
Martinborough Town Hall
Thursday 29 August, 7.30pm



Door open 7pm
Bar facilities available
Light supper served

The New Zealand School of Music Big Band Music Director Rodger Fox brings together the cream of musical talent from the jazz school. Students are selected by audition and regularly participate in concerts and festivals throughout the year.

The NZSM Big Band performs a cross-section of material made famous by bands and artists such as Woody Herman, Bob Mintzer, Buddy Rich, Bill Holman, Count Basie and Maynard Ferguson. The band has appeared in concert with major international artists such as Mike Nock, trumpeters Jon Papenbrook, Clay Jenkins and Alex Sipiagin, trombonists Jim Pugh and Bill Reichenbach, Georgie Fame, saxophonists Bob Sheppard, Dick Oates, Eric Marienthal, Ray Woolf and Chris Cain.

The band has played at Jazz Festivals around the country including Tauranga, Manawatu, Napier, Southern Jam and Queenstown.

The band comes under the musical direction of Dr Rodger Fox, New Zealand's foremost jazz trombonist and big band leader. Rodger is patron of Jazz in Martinborough.

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Gypsy Swing - Sam Cooke and Leigh Jackson

**Circus Cinema Restaurant and Bar
Saturday 31 August, 2pm**

Come on down to Circus on Saturday afternoon for your annual fix of Gypsy Jazz Music at it's best. Two of the country's best exponents of the genre are back for another outing. While individually fabulous and talented it is their work together as a duo that truly swings! Hot rhythm and soaring solos make for a passionate, exciting blend of Gypsy jazz, paying homage to Django Reinhardt in the style of the Hot Club of France.

Leigh and Sam are one of the finest gypsy jazz duos in New Zealand, playing their part in the Gypsy Jazz revival, sometimes with a modern twist, sometimes with a Latin spark.



Courtney Valerie Trio

**Medici Cafe
Friday 30 August, 6pm
Saturday 31 August, 6pm**

Enjoy your Medici meal with one of the Wairarapa's top jazz vocalists and singers, Courtney Naera. She is supported by Leo and Callum, two of New Zealand's highly rated, up-and-coming jazz musicians.

Courtney is a popular Carterton singer, who keeps busy playing in bars and restaurants locally, and throughout the Lower North Island. She teaches in several Wairarapa schools, and is a former UCOL music tutor.

Leonardo Coghini- Leo is a sought-after Wellington musician; recent work includes tours with pop singer Mitch James, Teeks and the NZ Air Force Band. Callum Riach - Callum is a current NZSM student with classical experience in National Youth and Secondary School Brass Bands. He began playing drums while growing up in Masterton.



Jake Baxendale Trio (JB3)

**Union Square
Saturday 31 August, 11am**

Liven up your Saturday morning at the festival with some top funky jazz with JB3 at Union Square. They'll be playing right through lunch so we guess bookings might be essential. The Jake Baxendale Trio (JB3) have been lighting up bars, clubs and stages around NZ for years, developing a deeply grooving sound with adventurous improvisational interplay. While drawing on the funk and soul jazz stylings of '50s and '60s era Blue Note recordings, JB3 bring their own flavour with their original tunes and interpretations of classic jams. Jake Baxendale (saxophone), Shaun Anderson (drums) Daniel Hayles (organ).



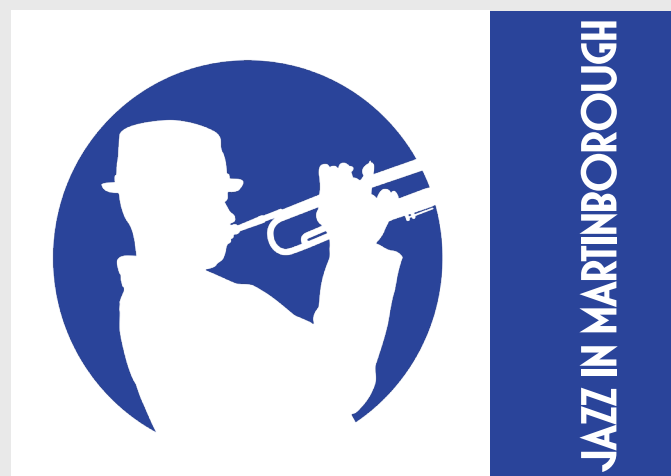
Kate and Bob featuring Neil Billington

**The Village Cafe
Saturday 31 August, 5.30pm**

After three sterling years as the main stage for Jazz in Martinborough, The Village Cafe is pleased to be winding back the volume a little this year with pre-show dinner and live jazz before each of the ticketed events at the Town Hall.

Their Saturday evening gig brings together arguably some of the best musicians at the festival. Well known to festival goers, Kate and Bob are based in the Wairarapa but play gigs regularly around the southern half of the North Island. The song list veers between swing sounds of Texas, mixed with the blues and jazz served up in the Bob and Kate way.

Kate Marshall plays violin, accordion and flute and sings quite beautifully. Bob Cooper- Grundy has pursued obscurity now for some 40-odd years playing blues guitar. Neil, having been described as the "Hendrix of Harmonica", will join Bob and Kate in a musical conversation not to be missed. Other evenings at TVC will have Callum Riach Duo on Thursday and Scarlet on Friday.



Raven's Trio - Cindy, Kate, Anja

**The Village Cafe
Friday 30 August, 11am**

Raven's Trio is back! Last year many festival-goers only heard about these talented musicians after their performance, because lots of people were talking about how good they were. Well, we've got them back for another show; your chance not to miss out.

The Ravens Trio is the highly engaging combination of the talents of the "Queen of the Boogie Piano" Cindy Mugeridge on vocals and keys, Kate Marshall on almost any other instrument that can be bowed, plucked, blown or squeezed - and she sings! - and Anje Glindemann holding the groove on the drums, while offering her own vocal contributions.



Remutaka All Stars Dixie Swing Band

**Martinborough Brewery
Saturday 31 August, 12noon**

Always a favourite at the Brewery, and representing Trad, Swing and Dixie Jazz like no other group at the festival, the Remutaka All Stars Dixie Swing Band returns to delight and entertain again in 2019.

Formed in early 2017, this group of well-known and like-minded Wairarapa musicians aim to fill a gap in the musical scene for the sounds of Dixie, Trad and Swing jazz.

Their repertoire includes many well known numbers from some of the great composers including Cole Porter, Scott Joplin, and Benny Goodman, with songs such as Ain't She Sweet, Sheik of Araby, Tiger Rag, Hot Tin Blues, Saints Go Marching In, So Do I, Sweet Sue, Baby Face, Five Foot Two, and many more.

You will find it hard to stop your foot tapping in time to their captivating, swinging sounds!

They are: Stefan Brown - Guitar, banjo, vocals (Ebony, Kingsford Brown Trio) Hartley Towersey - Clarinet, tenor sax, vocals (Ruamahanga River Band) Dave Mills - Keyboards (Kit and Kaboodle) Vaughan Robertson - Trombone (Kingsford Brown Trio, Ruamahanga River Band) Rod Lawrence - Bass (Ruamahanga River Band, Ratchet) Vic Singe - Percussion (DeSotos, Warratahs).



Scarlet

**The Village Cafe
Friday 30 August, 5.30pm**

**The Wine Bank
Sunday 1 September, 2pm**

Scarlet are singer Amanda Hanna-Doull and guitarist Andy Mauafua. From sultry ballads to sassy 60's jazz & pop, Scarlet inject every song with their unique flavour and soul.

Dusty Springfield to Suzanne Vega, Nancy Sinatra to Leonard Cohen, expect tunes you love dished up with style and tenderness to burn. More sound comes out of Andy's guitar than you'd believe for one person, he slaps, beats and makes it sing - a love affair really, laying the architecture for Amanda's velvet tone and dynamic delivery.

"Scarlet... Fabulous duo. Amanda is a soulful singer, who puts everything into her performance, very expressive, and full of heart. Andy is a top-class guitarist who provides full, rich backing and he has a sneaky-good falsetto. ... It's always 'An Event'" - Angus Osborne, owner Days Bay Pavilion.



Callum Riach Trio

**Mesita
Friday 30 August, 10.15pm
Saturday 31 August, 10.15pm**

Late night jazz returns to Mesita (the coolest little bar in town) at this year's festival - on both Friday and Saturday nights. Masterton's own Callum Riach brings together a collection of top musicians for late night jazz fusion on Friday night and swinging standards on Saturday. Alex Nyman features on Friday, an exceptional saxophonist who imbues his performance with passion and expression.

Saturday night will see the famous/infamous Pat Bleakley on bass with Callum and Leo - a trio not to be missed. A great way to finish the evening.

Alex Nyman - Alex is a saxophone and woodwind tutor from the New Zealand School of Music. Pat Bleakley - A regular on the Wellington scene, Pat is based in Featherston and is perhaps best known for his ongoing work with well-known drummer John Rae's group, The Troubles. Leonardo Coghini - Leo is a sought-after Wellington musician; recent work includes tours with pop singer Mitch James and the NZ Air Force Band. Callum Riach - Callum is a current NZSM student with classical experience in National Youth and Secondary School Brass Bands. He began playing drums while growing up in Masterton.

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The Zak Pack

Saturday 31 August - Martinborough Town Hall



In2ition

**All Over the Town
Friday and Saturday**

Each year Jazz in Martinborough combines with the New Zealand School of Music to bring together a group of aspiring and inspiring young jazz musicians. This year's version, In2ition, are a fresh, new sextet of developing jazz musicians who will be playing at a variety of venues on the Friday and Saturday of the festival.

This talented group will present a program consisting of jazz standards both old and new with a highly dynamic approach that will keep you listening from the first note to the last. From golden vocal classics to upbeat funky contemporary this group has it all.

In2ition 2019 are: Nicholas Baucke- Maunsell (Saxophone), Phoebe Johnson (Bass/Vocals), Jack Harre (Trumpet), Sam MacKenzie (Drummer), Leo Coghini (Piano).

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