# LAGAVULIN<sup>™</sup> ISIAY JAZZ FESTIVAL

13TH - 15TH SEPTEMBER 2013 Presented by Jazz Scotland and Islay Arts Association

## WELCOME TO THE 2013 LAGAVULIN ISLAY JAZZ FESTIVAL

Once again, we present a programme of international music, from across the jazz and blues spectrum in all the great settings that make Lagavulin Islay Jazz Festival such a magical event. This year, amongst many highlights, we have first visits by Magnus Öström, Trio Libero, and Stephanie Trick, and the return of many Islay favourites, including a new trio featuring Colin Steele, Mario Caribe and Graeme Stephen. With concerts all over the island, the musical fare mirrors the changing landscape and with a range of choices, you can make up your own Festival itinerary to suit your interests, but don't miss the opportunity to sample some Islay fare at many of the concerts - from hand dived scallops to local chocolates to homebaking, and, of course, Lagavulin™.

For visitors new to the island, there's a championship golf-course, a bird watching walk, long sandy beaches, wonderful places to stay and eat and drink ... We hope to see old and new friends for another great weekend of music on Islay.

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Stephanie Trick

#### FRIDAY 13TH

#### 1. Stephanie Trick

Amazing stride, ragtime and boogie woogie piano played by new American star, making her Islay debut. Playing classics by James P. Johnson, Fats Waller and Willie The Lion Smith.

#### Friday 13th September 6.30-7.30pm, Lagavulin Distillery, £10

Islay Chocolate Company Showcase Light suppers available

#### 2. Sandy Tweedale and Tim Elliott

Tim Elliott's impassioned vocal and harmonica sit alongside Sandy Tweeddale's traditional blues guitar mastery. Friday 13th September 8-9.30pm, Ionad Chaluim Chille e, £10

#### 3. Trio Libero

ECM superband featuring Andy Sheppard (saxophones), Michel Benita (bass), Sebastian Rochford (drums). It blends folk melodies, catchy tunes, infectious grooves, and some spare, spacious and ambient Nordic cool. "A delight of swaying tempos, unresolved tensions and subtle textures" (Financial Times). Friday 13th September 8.30-10pm, Lagavulin Distillery, £18

#### 4. Grooveyard

Blues-drenched, funky-struttin', depressionbusting music. Soul jazz of the 1960's to 70's with the trademark Hammond grooves, soaring saxophone and fizzing guitar. Friday 13th September 10.30pm-midnight, Bruichladdich Hall, £10, BYOB

## SATURDAY 14TH

#### 5. Stephanie Trick, Jazz Band Nova Scotia

Hot jazz Chicago style, delivered with real drive and passion. Nova Scotia are part of a new breed of younger musicians revisiting the exciting music of traditional jazz. Stephanie opens the show with some dazzling stride piano.

Saturday 14th September noon-2pm, Rhinns Hall, Portnahaven, £12 Light lunches available

#### 6. Calum Gourlay Trio

Captivating melodic tunes from leading Scottish bass player joined by Kit Downes (piano) and James Maddren (drums). Saturday 14th September 12.30-2.30pm, Lagavulin Distillery, £10 Light lunches available 11.30am Distillery Tour

### 7. Mario Caribe, Colin Steele, Graeme Stephen

Bass, trumpet and guitar: three Islay favourites get together for the first time in a special jazz chamber group. Saturday 14th September 3.30-5pm, Laphroaig Distiillery, £12

#### 8. 95 Roots Wednesday Grav

Laid back traditional blues from Islay band featuring Sheena Swanson (vocals), Ellie MacGregor (fiddle), Ciara MacTaggart (accordion), Dunstan Gallery (acoustic guitar), John Saich(electric bass) and Brian Palmer (drums). Wednesday Gray delivers blues tunes with a sassy edge, inspired by Dinah Washington.

Saturday 14th September 7-9pm, IonadChaluimChille Ile, £10

## 9. Magnus Öström Band

Magnus Olstrom has confidently stepped out of EST's huge shadow to assert himself as a central figure in the new European Jazz scene. The master drummer leads a great quartet.

Saturday 14th September 8.30-10pm, Lagavulin Distillery, £18





Graeme Stephen

Trio Libero

Magnus Öström



Blues N Trouble

#### **10.** Blues N Trouble

The top Scottish blues band delivers a hard driving, good time blues and boogie night. They have played alongside Robert Cray, Pinetop Perkins, Charlie Musselwhite, Buddy Guy and Junior Wells – top drawer classic blues.

Saturday 15th September, 9.30-11.30pm, Bruichaladdich Hall, £12, BYOB

Grooveyard

## SUNDAY 15TH

#### 11. Mario Caribe, Graeme Stephen, Chris Wallace

Ambition, imagination, nous, harmonic adventure and sonic experiments based on catchy tunes from bass, guitar, drums. Sunday 15th September, noon-2pm, **RSPB. £10** Light lunches available 11am Birdwatching walk

#### 12. Stephanie Trick. Wednesday Gray

Wednesday Gray's pure old school voice covers classic jazz tunes whilst Stephanie Trick plays boogie woogie, ragtime and stride piano.

Sunday 15th September noon-2pm, Ardbeg Distillery, £12 Light lunches available





#### 13. Mario Caribe, Colin Steele, Graeme Stephen

Bass, trumpet and guitar: three Islay favourites deliver lyrical swirling improvisations blending folk and jazz. Sunday 15th September 3.30-5pm. Outback Gallery, £12

#### 14. Kit Downes Trio

Walking a line between the improvised and the composed, revealing a truly eclectic mix of influences, from Bela Bartok to Bill Frisell to David Lynch, Sometimes lyrical sometimes orchestral. Always current. With Calum Gourlay (bass) and James Maddren

#### (drums).

Sunday 15th September 6-7.30pm, Ionad Chaluim Chille e. £12

#### 15. Magnus Öström Band

An intoxicating mix of jazz; brooding postrock and electronica and sweeping cinematic soundscapes. He is joined by Daniel Karlsson (keys), Andreas Houdarkis (guitar) Tobias Gabrielson (bass). Sunday 15th September 8.30-10.30pm,



Bruichladdich Hall, £15, BYOB

Wednesday Gray

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#### Getting there

by Ferry: from Kennacraig: www.calmac.co.uk Kennacraig: 2.5 hours from Glasgow / City Link bus: 08705 505050 By plane: www.flybe.com

#### Accommodation

Tourist Office: 01496 810254 / www.visitscotland.com

#### Travel on Islay

Taxis:	Lamont Campbell (07899 756159);
	Carol's Cabs (07775 782155);
	Fiona Livingstone (07808 303200);
	Rhinns Taxis (07771 921157)
	Andrew Mceachern (07899 942673)
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## WEEKENDER TICKET

Ticket: £85 – guarantees admission to eight specified concerts OR seven specific and one wild card - which is either redeemable by 12th September\* - or (subject to availability) on the door

#### TICKETS FOR INDIVIDUAL CONCERTS

Available from 2nd August to 12th September from:

0845 111 0302 (0131 467 3660)

Or online at www.islayjazzfestival.co.uk

Tickets MAY be available on the door, please note that many capacities are limited, so we strongly recommend advance booking.

\* please call 0845 111 0302 to specify by 12th September tickets are subject to availability.

#### Until 4th September, unto 4 hour before concerts:

Celtic Craft Shop, Main Street, Bowmore 01496 810262

(Open: 10am-5pm, closed for lunch 1-2pm. Closed on Sunday)

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