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Venues

Access

Barnstaple Fringe is constantly working to ensure events are accessible to all. Please contact venues for access information.

1 Queen's Theatre

Boutport Street EX31 1SY
This venue houses 3 very different performance spaces: the main Theatre auditorium, the studio@QT and the Gallery Café.
01271 32 42 42
northdevontheatres.org.uk

2 Boston Tea Party

21-22 Tuly Street EX31 1DW
This licensed café serves outstanding coffee and tea and delicious, original affordable meals.
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bostonteatparty.co.uk

3 Claytons

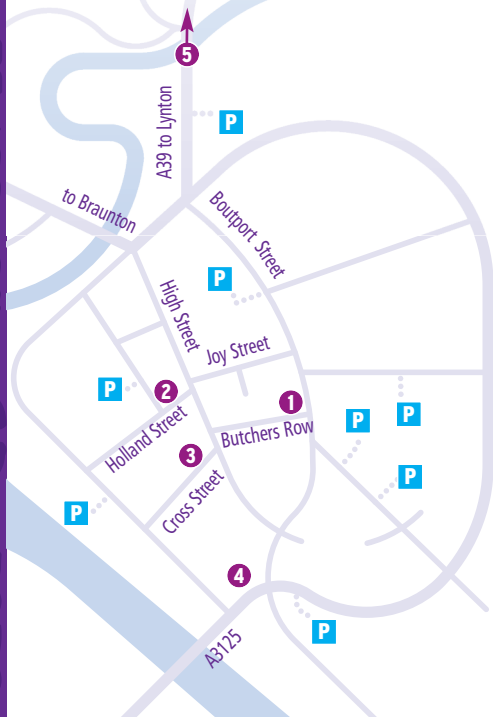
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Thur 18 Oct, 9pm
Claytons



p7 **The Paper Moon Band**
Fri 19 Oct, 9pm
Claytons



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Boston Tea Party



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Mon 22 Oct, 8.45pm
Lilico's



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Tue 23 Oct, 8pm
studio@QT



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Wed 24 Oct, 7.45pm
Queen's Theatre



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Wed 24 Oct, doors open 7pm,
gig starts 8pm
Broomhill Art Hotel



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Thur 25 Oct, 9pm
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Fri 26 Oct, 9pm
Claytons



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Boston Tea Party



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Lilico's



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Gallery Café



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Wed 31 Oct, 8pm
Gallery Café

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Connie Lush & Blues Shouter



Thurs 18 Oct, 9pm • Claytons FREE

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a 3am whisky
...enough
electricity
to power the
national grid"
The Times*

*"That woman
makes my
heart sing"
BB King*

Connie Lush is widely recognised as one of the finest blues singers that the UK has ever produced. She has been voted Best UK Female Vocalist by readers of Blues in Britain for 5 separate years, earning her a richly deserved place in the Gallery of the Greats.

She is also a highly accomplished songwriter, and many of her excellent self-penned songs feature in her live repertoire.

The Paper Moon Band

Fri 19 Oct, 9pm • Claytons • FREE

Formed in Bristol in 2011 and fronted by charismatic jazz singer Lucy Moon, The Paper Moon Band deliver a performance full of energy, effortless repartee and classic tunes from the swing era and beyond. The quartet has been known to sweep even the most determined of non dancers onto the dance floor!



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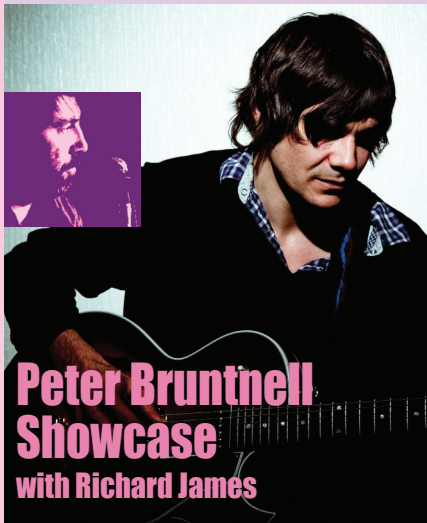
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Phil King

With smooth, soulful vocals, excellent guitar skills and superb compositions, Phil King is a very talented man who can turn his hand to folk, blues or Chet Baker style jazz. He has released two albums, 2009's *They Come and They Go*, and 2006's *Leaves*, and performed all over the UK in festivals, pubs, clubs, bandstands, boats and even a treehouse!

phil-king.net

"Supremely talented Bristol-based singer...he has a voice to die for"
Time Out London



Peter Bruntnell Showcase

with Richard James

Sun 21 Oct, 2pm • Boston Tea Party • FREE

Mon 22 Oct, 8.45pm • Lilico's • FREE



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Local music legend Peter Bruntnell presents the first of his two live music nights at Lilico's, featuring performances from himself and a special headline guest. Inspired by small town romance and big city isolation, Peter's songs have been described by Mojo magazine as *'big, dreamy, melodic and memorable'*. His headline act for the evening is Richard James, co-founder of seminal psych-folk band Gorky's Zygotc Mynci. An inventive songwriter, Richard's back catalogue is full of perfect pop songs couched in country, Welsh folk and punk flourishes.

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peterbruntnell.net penpastwn.com

Routes South West presents

Seckou Keita

Seth Lakeman

Multi-award winning singer/songwriter Seth Lakeman returns to Barnstaple with his *Tales from the Barrel House Tour*. Seth re-released his album of the same name in April to meet demand after the original limited edition sold out. Recorded at Morwellham Quay in Devon, the album underlines Seth's innate knack for writing both foot-stomping, sing-along songs and tender, thoughtful ballads.

ndtt.org.uk/lakeman

Wed 24 Oct, 7.45pm • Queen's Theatre • £19

Tue 23 Oct, 8pm • studio@QT
£14 (£12), NDT members £9.50, stu/yp £7

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Seckou is a master of the Kora, the 21 stringed African harp. With his feet firmly rooted in the 21st century and the identity of his heritage clear, Seckou is keen to experiment and develop fresh ideas. With his latest album *Miro* released in September and a brand new show featuring a seven-piece band, this project represents a return to the original influences that inspired him as a young musician in Senegal.


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Laura Jurd Quartet

*"A talent to
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Wed 24 Oct
doors open 7pm
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£12.50 with
Mediterranean Buffet
or £7.50 without, stu £5



Thur 25 Oct, 9pm • Claytons • FREE

Bringing together a variety of influences, the Laura Jurd Quartet are an intriguing, creative outfit featuring fellow improvisers, Elliot Galvin on piano, Conor Chaplin on bass and Corrie Dick on drums.

Drawing upon original compositions and traditional melodies as a basis for improvisation, this classic quartet line-up fuses elements of European folk, jazz and classical traditions.

To book contact Broomhill Art Hotel: 01271 850 262

Sarah Ellen Hughes Quartet

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Award-winning vocalist Sarah Ellen Hughes is making waves on the UK jazz scene. Still only in her 20s, she has already spent an impressive 7 years with the National Youth Jazz Orchestra and has established herself as a notable presence both in this country and abroad. In 2010 she gained further recognition by winning the International Jazz Singing Competition, Jazz Voices.

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Mike Westbrook Big Band



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"Britain's most innovative Big Band leader"
 The Wire

The legendary Westbrook Big Bands have toured worldwide, made over 50 albums and launched the careers of stellar musicians such as John Surman. This dynamic new, West Country band features vocalist Kate Westbrook and will echo the history of jazz, from Ellington and Basie to Mike's own brilliant originals. A big band night to remember.

Mango Factory

Mango Factory are an explosive funk/latin eight-piece from Bristol who are renowned for their locked-tight rhythms, fiery horns and carnival atmosphere. The band have gained rave reviews playing at some of the best venues and festivals across the region and beyond.

"Mango Factory sizzle onstage...get your dancing shoes and get down to their next gig"
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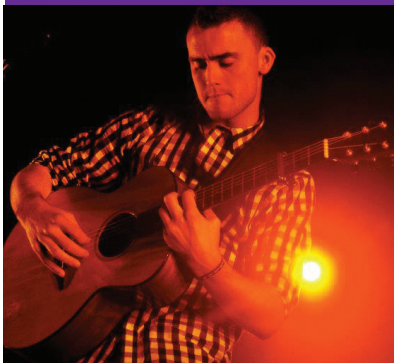
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Ryan Keen



Sun 28 Oct, 2pm • Boston Tea Party • FREE

His latest EP Focus saw him named as Zane Lowe's 'Next Hype' on BBC Radio 1.

Catch him while you can!

Singer/songwriter Ryan Keen, who recently supported Ed Sheeran on a sold-out UK tour, is an artist carving out his own unique niche in music. Combining emotionally driven lyrics and warm vocals with his rhythmic-percussive guitar playing, Keen's songs recall a wealth of influences ranging from Buena Vista Social Club to Bert Jansch, Coldplay to BB King.

ryankeen.co.uk

Peter Bruntnell Showcase

with Robert Vincent

Mon 29 Oct, 8.45pm • Lilico's • FREE

The second of Peter Bruntnell's live music shows features headline act Robert Vincent. The Liverpool singer/songwriter's mix of folk, rock and country has led to him being described as a Mersey Van Morrison or a Scouse Springsteen. Recently Robert teamed up with Grammy award winning producer Pete Smith to record his EP *My Pill* which came out in July, and his forthcoming album *Life In Easy Steps* which will be released early next year.

robertvincentmusic.com peterbruntnell.net



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Get the Blessing

Rarely has a band taken the contemporary jazz scene by the scruff of the neck and given it such a good shaking. Winners of the BBC Jazz Award 2008 for their debut album *All Is Yes*, GTB was formed by bassist Jim Barr and drummer Clive Deamer from Portishead and includes saxophonist Jake McMurchie and trumpeter Pete Judge.

ndtt.org.uk/blessing

Tues 30 Oct, 8pm • Gallery Café
£11, NDT members £10, stu/yp £5



Wed 31 Oct, 8pm • Gallery Café
£11, NDT members £8, stu/yp £6



"Cool, stylish... irresistible"
The Telegraph

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Routes South West presents

Phillip Henry & Hannah Martin

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Phillip Henry and Hannah Martin combine influences as diverse as English folk music, Indian classical and American blues to create a sound that is *'textured, hypnotic and utterly captivating'* (Steve Knightley, Show Of Hands).

"Authentic, haunting roots music from a first class duo"
Seth Lakeman

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