



OBAN SHANTY FESTIVAL

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AT HOME

PROGRAMME

- 07:15** Waiting Room opens. Please wait to be welcomed on board.
07:30 Your Masters of Ceremonies for the evening will be Harry Campbell, member of Muldoon's Picnic and well known-choir leader, and Martin Graham, journalist and leader of the Glasgow Singaround.

FUNDRAISING FOR HELP MUSICIANS

We will be raising money for Help Musicians during the performance. The charity are currently running a Covid-19 Financial Hardship Fund helping those musicians ineligible for government emergency safety nets or unable to survive on what they receive.



Here is the link to donate and we will give it again on the night: <https://www.helpmusicians.org.uk/support-our-work/make-a-donation>
 Donors without a UK address can donate through Help Musicians Paypal Giving Fund: <https://www.paypal.com/uk/fundraiser/charity/24763>

- 07:40** We are pleased to invite **David Adams McGilp**, Regional Director of VisitScotland, to say a few words of welcome.

07:45 THE SILVER DARLINGS

With their hometown steeped in fishing and cockling industries, it was natural that this lively band was drawn naturally to sea shanties, the sailors' working songs. They are passionately committed to ensuring that these stories-in-song remain in the public domain and are not lost at sea!



08:00 MULDOON'S PICNIC

Muldoon's Picnic is an a-cappella harmony singing group popular in their base in Glasgow as well as festivals around the country. They sing mostly traditional unaccompanied harmony songs from around the world, mostly in their own arrangements.



08:20 JIM MAGEEAN SHANTY TALK

Jim has been singing shanties since childhood but his singing career took off when he met Stan Hugill in 1964. They became great friends and sang, recorded a couple of albums, and toured together throughout UK and Europe until Stan's death in 1992. As well as singing, Jim is a respected shanty historian and will sketch out the different kinds of shanty and the tasks they accompanied.



08:30 STEVE COLLINGS DUO (C.A.S.K.)

C.A.S.K. (Collings A cappella Shanty Krew) are a Daughter and Father shanty duo from Teignmouth who have performed at various Pirate and Shanty Festivals from Falmouth to Gloucester. Garbed as Mermaid and Pirate, they have a strikingly different look as well as beautifully blended harmonies.



08:40 THE KEELERS

The Keelers, now in their 35th year together, and probably Britain's longest serving shanty group, are a Tyneside based maritime group who have performed throughout the UK and Europe including several visits to Scotland.



09:00 INTERVAL

Glasgow Shanty Day Video: with thanks to Shantiketu 'vimeo.com/user17991684'.

09:10 JAN BEE BROWN STORY-TELLER

A professional storyteller and collaborative artist Jan's creative practice is driven by folk tradition, sharing stories eye to eye, mind to mind and heart to heart. Living by the sea, her creel is full of stories and songs of the sea, including ghost ships, battles, monsters, stowaways, and pirates. Jan set up The Dreadnought Shanty Crew in Leith in January 2020 which is still sailing in virtual waters every Tuesday evening at 6pm - Come All Ye! <https://www.facebook.com/adropofnelsonsblood/>



- 09:20 THE ANTHONY QUINES**
The Anthony Quines are mother and daughter duo Gaye and Josephine Anthony. Gaye has been gracing maritime and shanty festivals from Portsoy to Pampol for around 20 years, originally in well-known duo Gaye and Trish. During lockdown Josephine and Gaye have been co-hosting Aberdeen Folk Club's online session. Facebook page link @theanthonyquines
- 09:30 RUSS CLARE**
A veteran of the Glasgow singaround sessions, Russ Clare is a highly talented, multi-instrumentalist singer/songwriter. He was a huge hit at our previous live event aboard the tall ship 'Glenlee' in Glasgow and we are delighted that Russ is joining us for this online event.
- 09:40 LOCTUP TOGETHER**
Chris Lock and Ian Tupling (hence the name) first met at a local folk club almost 30 years ago. Over the years they have developed a love of maritime songs and it is this that has taken them to festivals all over Europe both as LocTup Together and as part of Four 'n' Aft, and as well as performing throughout the UK, they have performed at many of the major festivals across the channel including Appingedam, Paimpol, Bremem-Vegesack and the Festival de Loire.
- 09:50 MONKEY'S FIST**
Singing together for over 20 years, Monkey's Fist are a trio specialising in shanties, forebitters and songs of the sea both traditional and contemporary. They perform to audiences both in the UK and in Ireland, Holland and Germany.
- 10:10 INTERVAL**
We will show a series of videos by **The Exmouth Shanty Men** throughout the evening.
- 10:20 STEVE AND SANDRA HARRISON**
Steve & Sandra sing shanties and songs of the sea with close harmonies - some even have actions!! They have sung individually and together with the group "All at Sea" at many venues around the country. Great songs, great singing, audience participation encouraged!
- 10:30 DEREK BROOKS**
Derek Brooks, aka "Sam Minella, Ships cook" has been "cooking up a storm" with the Exmouth Shanty Men, for over 12 years. Performing in Festivals, in France, Germany, Holland, Belgium, Shrewsbury, Sidmouth, Warwick Folk Festivals. Now set ashore, to take on, a Solo Voyage, singing traditional Sea Songs and Shanties.
- 10:40 LES BROUILLEURS D'ECOUTES**
The Brouilleurs d'Écoutes, a Franco-British group were founded in Corrigans Irish Pub in La Rochelle back in June 2005. Since then the group's lineup has evolved with each new member adding their unique musical touch. They alternate between French and English, performing traditional shanties and songs of the sea from France, Ireland, England, Britany, Quebec and Scotland as well as their own self-penned material. The group usually plays around its home port of La Rochelle, SW France but is also happy to undertake longer journeys in France, Britany, Holland, Germany, England, Cornwall ...and now even to Scotland !! A bientôt !
- 11:00 PRESSGANG MUTINY**
Hailing from the port of Toronto, ON, Pressgang Mutiny have been roaring out songs of the sea since 2012. Local favourites in their hometown and on the Canadian and American East Coasts, they are keeping alive a vital tradition of work songs that represents the world's first truly multicultural music.
- 11:30 END**

