

MUSIC ON THE MARR

17th - 18th June

A weekend of pure fun in Castle Carrock - this second annual Music on the Marr Festival promises to be even better than last year (and that was pretty darned good!). Kicking off on Friday evening before the music with a hog roast, a festival of fine beer, an Artisans' Market....not to mention the music. An evening of culture and delight, to be followed by ANOTHER fine do the day after! A small selection of the acts scheduled are listed below, but for the full line-up please refer to the web site. And if you can't stand the thought of going home, don't! - This year camping is available too! We have a great pub in the village serving food as well as drink. There is also a village shop which will be open on Saturday morning.

TICKETS NOW ON SALE FROM:

www.musiconthemarr.com

Friday night

The Baghdaddies: Legendary Folk rockers from the other end of the wall with strong Balkan tendencies, Caribbean grooves, Middle Eastern rhythms and some Geordie touches, all awash with influences such as Klezmer, Ska, Jazz, Punk and Metal, delivered with theatre and exuberance. Uplifting and infectiously danceable, full of blistering brass, rousing five part vocal harmonies and a rhythm section that you can't keep still to. This is not the time to sleep.

Saturday Afternoon

Chris While and Julie Mathews: Eight times nominated for BBC R2 Folk awards and Best Duo winners in 2009. They are well known for their affinity on stage and for the energy and enthusiasm of their live performances. Look out for Stone of Gelt about the written rock of Gelt from the acclaimed 'All Along the Wall' collaboration.

Saturday Night

Sarah Gillespie featuring Gilad Atzmon: Described by Rock'n'Reel as a 'bracingly eclectic mix of beat poetry with Jazz, Folk and Middle eastern elements'. Sarah's music is a sonic refection of the contemporary London street; a melting pot mix of urban-folk stamped with her trademark lyricism that knits everyday banter with raw poetry. Here with world renowned jazz man, Gilad Atzmon.

Saturday Night

Daimh (pronounced Dive): Combined height 36 ft and weighing more than half a ton, men of Cape Breton, Ireland & Scotland come together for pure Celtica. "Their music is powerhouse stuff and their gigs are an overwhelming and exuberant experience." Songlines. "One of the most exhilarating acoustic bands on the Celtic map." Irish Music Magazine. "Daimh have a reputation for producing traditional music that is as skillful as it is high octane." The Herald. "Awesomely tight yet thrillingly wild." The Scotsman.

Full line up, links and booking information on our website www.musiconthemarr.com

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