



JAZZ BIZZ

December 2025/January 2026

PROMOTING AUSTRALIAN JAZZ AND JAZZ IN TASMANIA

Established in the 1940's

JAZZ BIZZ

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Hobart Jazz Club Inc.

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www.hobartjazzclub.com
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Hobart Jazz Club Events

We meet at the **Derwent Sailing Squadron** every second Tuesday of the month (except January).
Located on the waterfront, 23 Marieville Esplanade, Sandy Bay.
Phone number **6223 1977**

Book Your Table

Bookings via Greg Stanton (HJC President) 0404 084 269.
You must book by COB the Friday before if you intend to have a meal.
Meals will start at 6pm and finish at 8pm, entertainment at 7.30pm.
There is a lounge area near the bar for drinks and light meals.

Get your **GOLDEN TICKET** Now!
2026
The Jazz Room

A Journey to the Heart of New Orleans

Hobart Town Hall
50 Macquarie Street
TAS 7000

www.feverup.com

Join HJC Committee

We have fun and get things done. Any skill set from gift of the gab to marketing and IT experts and all in between. Talk to one of the current members for more information. We always have room for one more.

Future Events

Hobart Jazz Club

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| 9 Dec | Christmas Jam |
| | - Clarence City Jazz Ensemble |
| | - Duke Jam Band |
| Jan | No Club Night in January |
| 10 Feb | Nelle & The Jets |



Hobart Jazz Club
YouTube Channel

More info →



TUESDAY, 9 DECEMBER

Christmas Club Night

@DERWENT SAILING SQUADRON

CLARENCE CITY JAZZ ENSEMBLE



Get ready for an evening of smooth and vibrant jazz. The Clarence City Jazz Ensemble is bringing their lively sound to the stage for a performance that offers something special for us. Known for their dynamic blend of a wide variety of music styles and genres, as well as improvisation, this talented group creates an atmosphere that is both refined and full of energy.

This is your chance to enjoy the lively sounds of Hobart's Eastern Shore. Bring your friends, relax, and make it a night to remember.



THE DUKE JAZZ JAM

The Hobart Jazz Club's Jazz Jam, now known as the Duke Jam began over 20 years ago. The idea was to give young musicians interested in jazz an opportunity to play with experienced musicians, giving them plenty of support and encouragement.

Many of today's noted players had their early experiences at these monthly jam sessions.

It's a relaxed, welcoming space where emerging talent share the stage with seasoned players, creating fresh interpretations of jazz standards and unexpected musical moments.

Musicians from the popular Duke Jam will join us on the Christmas Club Night bringing their energy and experience to the mix. This combination makes for a truly vibrant jam session—unrehearsed, dynamic, and full of surprises.

Musicians are warmly invited to bring along their instruments and share their enthusiasm and talents—this is your chance to play, connect, and be part of the music-making magic.

We can expect an authentic jazz atmosphere, while musicians enjoy the chance to connect, experiment, and celebrate the spirit of jazz.



\$50 MEMBERS ONLY



Members' Draw – \$50 Prize!

Don't miss out on our Members' Draw at the next club night! A \$50 prize is up for grabs—but here's the catch: you must be there to get your ticket and be in the draw. Join us for a great night of music and friends, and you could walk away with a little extra in your pocket!

IXL Bar

- FRI 12 Dec** Billy Whitton, Jazz & Blues
- FRI 27 Dec** Les Coqs Incroyables, Upbeat jazz & swing
- FRI 16 Jan** Billy Whitton, Jazz & Blues

MEMBERSHIP

SIGN UP NOW

When you join the club or renew your membership you can collect your receipt and annual membership card at the door at any monthly club night after that year's AGM.

By practicing such economies we can keep our club subscriptions as low as possible. See you at the next club night!

We are seeking people interested in being on committee, wanting to learn new skills like running a festival, putting together a newsletter and other skills connected with committee service and Governance. If you want to talk about what's involved, please have a chat with one of our committee members.

There is always a membership form in the newsletter. EFTPOS is available at the door.



A big thank you to Banjo's at Claremont, Moonah and Salamanca for generously donating vouchers for our raffle prizes! Your support helps make our event even more special. We truly appreciate your contribution to the Hobart Jazz Club.

CLASSICAL MEETS JAZZ



The music will be from composers GEORGE GERSHWIN AND CLAUDE BOLLING

TICKETS

6:30 - 9:30 PM 5 / 12 / 2025

\$20

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Jeany Bright

Newsletter Editor

If you have any content you'd like to include in the newsletter, please reach out to me through hobartjazzclub@gmail.com or 0423 688 133.

The newsletter is published bi-monthly, with print dates on the 25th of odd-numbered months (e.g., Nov 25th for the Dec - Jan issue).

Please ensure your information is submitted to Jeany well in advance of these dates.



JAZZAROUNDTAS

Launceston: at the Australian Italian Club. The last Tuesday of the month.

Bookings Ph. 0498 239 164

Longford: 3rd Sunday of the month, 2pm at a venue (TBA).

St Helens: Lunch 'n' Munch (January to November).

Last Friday of the month, 12 noon at the Swan Football Club Rooms.

Tully Street, St Helens.

**"Wake up with Kaye"
every Tuesday on Hobart FM from
6am to 9am**

Find me on Facebook
Wake up with Kaye.



THE DUKE



JAM

6.30-8.30 PM

THE DUKE

192 Macquarie St
Hobart, TAS
03 6223 5206

27 JAN, 2026
24 FEB, 2026



The Gnomon Pavillion
@Ulverstone Wharf

\$5 members
\$8 non members

They're BACK!!

STAGE BAND SUMMER SCHOOL

Elizabeth College

12-16 January 2026

Contact Glenn Schultz
glenn.schultz@decyp.tas.gov.au
or 0418 596 967

Two women, two voices, one bass, one guitar and 80 plus songs. Kaye Payne and Wendy Moles specialise in 60s ~ 70s and play the game guess the band, sing along, dance and remember a time when life was less complicated.

Always fun!

5.30-7.30pm FRIDAY, 5 December 2025

HOBART AREA DEC - JAN

VENUE	ARTIST	DAY	TIME	DATE	STYLE
REKTANGO- SALAMANCA (behind Salamanca Arts Centre, off Wooby Lane Salamanca)					
	Various	Fridays	6.00pm	Weekly	Mix
DERWENT SAILING SQUADRON (23 Marieville Esp, Sandy Bay)					
	Clarence Jazz Ensemble	Tuesday	(Music) 7.30pm - 9.30pm	9 Dec	Mix
	& the Duke Jam Band				
NEW SYDNEY HOTEL (37 Bathurst St Hobart - 6234 4516)					
	Billy Whitton	Sundays	6.00pm	Weekly	Jazz/Blues
THE DUKE (192 Macquarie St Hobart - 6223 5206)					
	The Duke Jam	No Duke Jam in December			
	The Duke Jam	Tuesday	6.30pm - 8.30pm	27 Jan	Jazz
THE TIMELESS WAY (top of shopping centre 29 Channel Highway Kingston - 6239 3903)					
	The Bolling Quartet	Friday	6.30pm (\$20 ticket)	5 Dec	Jazz
SHIPWRIGHT ARMS HOTEL (29 Trumpeter St Battery Point - 6223 1846)					
	Dave Sikk Quartet	Thursdays	7.00pm	Weekly	Jazz
	Various	Sundays	2.30pm	Weekly	Jazz/Mix
BIRDCAGE BAR (Wrest Point Casino Sandy Bay - 6221 1888)					
	Various	Fridays & Saturdays	9.00pm	Weekly	Jazz/Mix
HENRY JONES ART HOTEL (25 Hunter St Hobart - 6210 7700)					
	Various	Thurs, Fri & Sat	6.00pm	Weekly	Jazz/Mix
THE MAYFAIR (Sandy Bay)					
	Gypsy Jazz Jam	Sunday	7.15pm	Last Sunday of the month	Jazz
PABLO'S COCKTAILS AND DREAMS (101 Harrington St Hobart)					
	Various	Thurs, Fri, Sat & Sun	Various times	Weekly	Jazz/Mix
BIG O'S JUKE JOINT (2 Newdegate St North Hobart - upstairs)					
	Various	2nd & 4th Sat of the month			Blues
MONA (Museum of Old and New Art—Berridale)					
	Various	Friday to Monday	12pm and 2pm on the lawns		Jazz/Mix
CASCADE HOTEL (South Hobart)					
	Gypsy Jam Session	Wednesdays	7.30pm	Weekly	Jazz
THE WHALER (39 Salamanca Place)					
	Les Coq Encroyable	Wednesdays	6.00pm - 8.00pm	Weekly	Jazz/Mix

This Newsletter in Colour and More Pics at

Check out our website

www.hobartjazzclub.com

Any upcoming gigs or special events in Tassie that you'd like to share with everyone?
Include them in our newsletter!

We have a mailing list of more than 150 subscribers, and it's also distributed to other publications.
Selected items are Duplicated. Plus, we share on Facebook.
Send your updates to hobartjazzclub@gmail.com JB



Hobart Jazz Club Membership Application/Renewal

Surname _____ First name _____

Partner's Surname _____ First name _____

Preferred name for name-tag _____

Address _____ Postcode _____

Phone _____ Date of Application _____

Email _____

Would you prefer to receive your newsletter by email? (please circle) YES NO

If renewing membership, just tick here: _____

If new application, complete the following:

Proposer's name _____ Signed _____

Seconder's name _____ Signed _____

MEMBERSHIP CATEGORY AND ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTION

Please note: **The club year ends on 31 December each year. Membership renewals must be received no later than two months after that date to avoid deletion of membership.**

MUSICIAN	\$10
SINGLE	\$25
DOUBLE	\$40
SINGLE CONCESSION	\$20
DOUBLE CONCESSION	\$30
STUDENT	\$5

Instrument/s played _____

CIRCLE APPROPRIATE FEE

All fees are GST free

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Membership fees can now be paid online.
Account name Hobart Jazz Club Inc
BSB: 807 009
Account number: 51139978
Reference: Surname & Initial

Jazz Club meets on the second Tuesday of each month (except January) at the
Derwent Sailing Squadron 23 Marievilla Esplanade, Sandy Bay

THE HOPE TRIO

NEW CD ALBUM

Saturday, 17 January 2026

@Kickstart Arts

St Johns Ave

NEWTOWN

Doors open at 7pm for 7.30 start.

The Hope Trio is celebrating the release of their new jazz album with a special performance. Known for their smooth mix of swing, cool jazz, and a touch of funk, the trio brings fresh energy to every tune.

Featuring **Dan Sulzberger** on keyboard, **Konrad Park** on drums, and **Nigel Hope** on bass, the group is loved for turning classic melodies into something new and exciting. This launch will showcase original tracks alongside reimagined standards, giving listeners a taste of the trio's creative style.

It's more than an album release,
it's a celebration of great music and the vibrant Hobart jazz scene.

SITES OF INTEREST

www.hobartjazzclub.com
www.facebook.com/LauncestonJazzClub
www.jazz.org.au
<https://australianjazz.net>
www.australianjazzconvention.org.au
<https://thejazzlab.com.au>
www.pariscat.com.au
<https://birdsbasement.com>
www.brisbanejazzclub.com.au
www.ellingtonjazz.com.au
www.jazztownsville.com
www.facebook.com/tropicjazz
www.vjc.org.au
www.noosajazzclub.com
www.jazzleague.net
www.gcjazzandblues.org
www.jazzday.com
www.jazzclubofwa.asn.au
www.downsouthjazzclub.org.au
www.jazzfremantle.com.au
www.bellingenjazzsociety.wordpress.com
www.sydneyjazz.com.au
<https://sydneyjazzclub.org.au>
www.illawarrajazzclub.com
www.jazzology.com.au
www.newcastlejazz.com.au
www.downsouthjazzclub.org.au
www.facebook.com/p/Wagga-Wagga-Jazz-100054451242068
www.facebook.com/p/Western-Plains-Jazz-Association-100090146023147

YOUR Website

Please send me sites you think may be of interest to our members. hobartjazzclub@gmail.com

Join Matthew Ives and his Big Band
Along with a great line-up of Tasmanian talent at
the

VARIETY CAROLS by CANDLELIGHT

Supported by the Glenorchy City Council
**Hosted by John X and Sarah Morrison
(7HO)**

Gates open at 6:30pm for an 8pm start
at Tolosa Park, Glenorchy
Tickets: \$15 - Under 15: FREE

Blankets and Low Chairs
THANK YOU

**HOBART JAZZ CLUB
YOUTUBE CHANNEL**

S U B S C R I B E

Simply Google Hobart Jazz Club YouTube

or

Go here:

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCJp_bMJ3hjCSUZ1Z8xdzkew

If anyone has any footage of jazz bands past and present
we are keen to put them up.

Please contact us at hobartjazzclub@gmail.com

WISHING YOU



HAPPY NEW YEAR!

Jack Duffy Award 2025.



This award was presented to **Josh Ford-King** trumpet player who now teaches in Melbourne. Josh was home for a few days so Martin Duffy, Jack's son was able to present the award to Josh at home.

Viv Curtain.
Award Coordinator

Your 2025-2026 Hobart Jazz Club Committee

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WE HAVE A VACANCY FOR TWO MORE ON COMMITTEE IF ANYONE IS INTERESTED AND WOULD LIKE TO CONTRIBUTE. CONTACT ONE OF THE COMMITTEE.

The REKTANGO COURTYARD



Courtyard down Wooby Lane behind Salamanca Art Centre.
Weather permitting.

Fridays
6pm- 7pm



Holly Sprig Catering

Phone. 0436 001 094
Email: hollysprigcatering@gmail.com

introducing our **Garments with Hobart Jazz Club Logo**

Members will have seen other members sporting a polo or rugby shirt embroidered with the Jazz Club logo. Anyone wishing to purchase one (or more) items of clothing may do so at Club Nights or by phoning Christine on 0438 722 137.

There is also the option to bring in your own garment to have the HJC logo embroidered on to it with the proviso that the garment is either brand new, recently dry-cleaned or freshly laundered.

We have caps of different colours for \$15 each.
Our tops start at \$25 each and usually need to be ordered if we don't have a suitable colour or size in stock.

All items are available at Club Night and we have cash or card facility available.
If you can't make Club Night and you know what you want, you can call Christine directly.