CHRIS BLUES BAND BARBER

The BBC Radio recording of the Fairfield Hall Anniversary concert will be transmitted on Radio 2 on Saturday October 21st. in the 'Gala Night' series on both Medium Wave and UHF.

During a break in June Chris Barber takes a 'busman's holiday and appears as special guest with the Rod Mason band in Texel (Denmark) on June 9th. and then Wiesbaden and Cologne in West Germany on June 10th and 11th. respectively. There is also a concert in Dusseldorf with the Rod Mason band on June 15th.. Full venue details from Wim Wigt Productions.

We are delighted to announce that PAUL JONES will make further special guest appearances with the band during September. Full details will follow later but The Royal Concert Hall, Nottingham (Sunday September 10th.) and The Marlowe Theatre, Canterbury (Monday September 11th.) are confirmed.

Further Anniversary concerts featuring original band members will take place in the second half of the year. On Friday September 1st. Ben Cohen, Alex Revill etc.. from the 1949 band will appear as guests at The Gaiety Theatre, Douglas Isle of Man. On Friday December 1st. Monty Sunshine will guest at Bedford School, Burnaby Road Bedford. On Tuesday August 29th. there will be an Anniversary concert at The Hexagon Theatre, Reading, Berks with guests to be announced later. The 1949 'legends' will appear at The Royal Festival Hall in London on June 29th..

Some of Chris Barber's recordings in recent years have been issued on the Timeless label. For those who prefer to locate recordings through record shops but who may be experiencing difficulty then the numbers of the importers/distributors may prove useful. They are New Note/Pinnacle on 0689 77884 and Cadillac Music on 01 836 3646 . These sources will be relevant only for UK subscribers. Elswhere on the continent of Europe contact Wim Wigt Productions in Holland: Tel Wageningen 08370

A note to those who have recently ordered 'Who's Blues': The item is still out of stock but we are hoping to receive further supplies by the end of this month. Our apologies for the delay but demand was heavier than anticipated for this particular item.



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CHRIS BARBER'S JAZZ & BLUES BAND -DATES

THU MAY 18:Arts Centre:University of Warwick:COVENTRY CU4 7AL with special guest RORY GALLAGHER 8.00pm concert. Tel 0203 417114

SAT MAY 20: Empire Theatre: HALSTEAD: Essex 7.30 concert

SUN MAY 21:The Regent Centre:CHRISTCHURCH:Dorset 8.00pm concert: Tel 0202 499148

TUE MAY 23:The Grand:Great Whyte:RAMSEY:Huntingdon:Cambs 8.00pm concert. Tickets £7.00 by mail with remittance from Cromwell Management. Venue Tel 0487 813777

WED MAY 24:Caspar John Hall:Brittania Royal Naval College:DARTMOUTH: Devon. 8.00pm concert.

THU MAY 25:Bullers Arms Hotel:Marhamchurch:BUDE:Cornwall 8.00pm

FRI MAY 26:Memorial Hall:ATHERSTONE:Warwickshire 8.00pm concert

SAT MAY 27:Arts Centre:SOUTHPORT:Lancs 8.00pm concert:Tel 0704 40011

SUN MAY 28:Garrick Playhouse:ALTRINCHAM:Cheshire 7.30 concert

WED MAY 31:100 Club:100 Oxford Street:LONDON W1;
Anniversary Party Night with special guests including
Monty Sunshine,Ron Bowden,Beryl Bryden,Lonnie Donegan
Jim Bray, Ben Cohen, etc etc
Doors open 7.30 : Tickets in advance only £10 from
Roger Horton, 100 Club. Tel 01 636 0933

FRI JUN 2:Dumfries & Galloway Arts Festival

SAT JUN 3:Gatehouse Theatre:STAFFORD
Anniversary concert with special guests Ben Cohen, Alex
Revill etc..
8.00pm concert. Tel 0785 54653

SUN JUN 4:Dorking Halls:DORKING:Surrey
7.45pm concert: Tickets £6.50:£5.50:£4.50
Visa/Access Bookings 0372 374109
Personal callers: Leatherhead Leisure Centre Box Office
Doors & bars open 7.00pm

On Friday June 23rd the band plays at the Tuno Jazz Festival in Denmark. Playing times are not confirmed but it is expected that the band will be on stage at approx 8.00pm. Full details of the Festival programme can be obtained from Wenkens Productions in Copenhagen. Tel: 45 1117463 or Fax 45 1147020

SAT JUN 24:Millfield Theatre:Silver Street:EDMONTON:London 8.00pm concert

SUN JUN 25:Churchill Theatre:BROMLEY:Kent 7.30 concert