

Port Fairy Jazz Festival



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The 2024 Port Fairy Jazz Festival is being held on the weekend of
9th – 11th February 2024



Online tickets sales will open on 1st August (early-bird prices will be available until the 30th November) – www.portfairyjazz.com.au

Band Nominations for the 2024 Festival

Band leaders please note the following:

Band registrations for the 2024 festival open on 1st August 2023 and close on 30th September 2023.

Registrations are once again to be completed via the online registration process. Please see www.portfairyjazz.com.au

Registration of Bands, including the names of the musicians and band availability over the weekend, is required.

For programming purposes, musicians are limited to nominating for **THREE** bands only. During the festival musicians may play in as many bands as they wish, but programming will not factor in clashes for these unscheduled performances. Band leaders should remind their musicians that it is imperative that they complete the online registration which allows them to be included in the musician disbursement process.

All registrations, if completed successfully, will result in an automated email confirmation. If this is not received, you may need to repeat the registration process.

The John Huf Award

The John Huf Award is an event that was inaugurated in 2023 and was enthusiastically received by patrons of the festival. Our intention is to encourage younger performers to take part in the festival. Performers under 26 on the date of the festival are invited to submit audition material in the form of recordings/video playing heads and solos. Three finalists will be invited to play off as part of the festival program, giving them a valuable performing experience and a cash prize. Please spread the word about this to young musicians so they can prepare material to submit their work.

To apply: please click – www.portfairyjazz.com.au and click on the “John Huf Award” link.

PROPOSED STREET PARADE

MUSICIANS - are you interested in participating in a street parade at next year's festival?

– please respond, YES or NO, by clicking on the following link:

[Musicians - PORT FAIRY JAZZ FESTIVAL](#)

OR

access this survey from the musicians' tab on our website:

<https://www.portfairyjazz.com.au/>

Based on current responses there has only been limited interest in this, so if you are keen, please let us know ASAP

However, regardless of whether there is a parade or not, there will still be a Massed Band Event to be held on the Village Green on Saturday.

JAZZ AUSTRALIA EVENT

Sunday August 6th at The Vue Grand Hotel, Queenscliff, 11.30am for midday.



JONATHAN HUNT and The Blue Devils, featuring Jon Hunt, clarinet & sax; Miro Lauritz, piano; Sam O'Halloran, guitar & Tamara Murphy, bass

The Blue Devils is a new Melbourne based band playing classic jazz and swing and led by the highly regarded and very popular Jonathan Hunt.

This band focuses on the music of Sidney Bechet, Benny Goodman and Duke Ellington, plus other specially selected gems of the 1920s and '30s.

Cost \$80 per person including luncheon with drinks at bar prices.

Payment can be made by bank transfer online to Jazz Australia CBA, BSB 063 138 Account No. 1001 3193

OR by cheque or cash to Diana Allen, 25 Peterho Boulevard, Point Lonsdale 3225.

Web: www.jazzaustralia-vic.com
