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High energy Welsh wizardry!

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# YN CHRUINNAGHT THE GATHERING

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Gathering together the very finest musicians from around the Celtic world, Yn Chruinnaght is has been a real highlight in the Manx entertainment calendar for generations.

Firmly at the forefront of Isle of Man culture, the family friendly festival has earned a richly deserved reputation for excellence both at home and overseas whilst championing the Island's own talent and breathing new life into Manx customs and traditional music.

Now firmly established in Peel, Yn Chruinnaght makes its home in the Centenary Centre as well as a number of community venues and pubs. Joining our own home grown talents are a number of visiting groups and artists who each bring very different and unique flavours to the festival. Along with ceilis and workshops, it all goes to make up another superb festival of music and dance.



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**Concerts & Workshops for Schools**  
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Yn Chruinnaght has taken great care over recent years to inspire the Island's school children, often taking visiting artists into the classrooms and school halls to perform, play and teach. However, for 2016, Yn Chruinnaght are bringing the kids to the concerts!

Peel Centenary Centre will host hundreds of local school children as our visiting acts put on two free concert performances to inspire a generation. Students will also receive some unique insight, hints and tips to guide their own playing and song writing. This year's schools concert line up brings together three ground-breaking groups - Calan, An Tri DipoP and Birlinn Jiarg.

# Calan

## The Wednesday Night Concert: 13th July 2016

Welsh band Calan breathe fire into the old traditions with their infectious rhythms and high voltage routines before melting into some of the most beautiful and haunting songs. Calan play fiddles, whistles, guitar and bagpipes and a traditional reed instrument from Wales called a pibgorn made from a wooden pipe and the horns of a bull. Great fun, a sense of humour and step dancing from a champion dancer makes for a great show!



*As heard on*  
**BBC RADIO 2**  
Mark Radcliffe's  
Folk Show

# An Tri DipoP

## The Thursday Night Concert: 14th July 2016

This wonderfully inventive quartet from Brittany breathe originality and creativity. Their warm infectious music brings the sound of northern France to these shores. As delightful as Breton crêpes, An Tri DipoP were worthy winners of the prestigious Trophée Loïc Raison in 2014.

In addition to An Tri DipoP, Thursday's concert also boasts two superb Manx music acts - celebrated Gaelic songstress Ruth Keggin and the distinctive sound that is Birlinn Jiarg - an exciting new combo brought together by Isle of Man multi-instrumentalist, Beccy Hurst.



# Celtic Voices

## The Friday Night Concert: 15th July 2016

Cornwall based singer-songwriter, Kezia, is a compelling artist. With her heartfelt lyrics and subtle music accompaniment, her sound drifts effortlessly between folk, blues and country. Her debut EP 'Kezia' was produced by John Cornfield (Muse, The Verve, Razorlight, Supergrass).

The peerless Christine Collister joins Kezia for our Celtic Voices Concert. Blending multiple genres and uniquely interpreting a huge catalogue of classics, today she remains as powerful, subtle and effortless as ever.

*"So much soul you think she'd been signed by Motown!" (Q)*



# Lynched



## The Saturday Night Concert: 16th July 2016

Having suddenly been transported from the rough and tumble of Dublin pub sessions to the rarefied climes of the Cambridge Folk Festival, a celebrated TV debut on *Later With Jools Holland*, as well as a best album nomination for the BBC's Folk Awards, Dublin's Lynched have a new status as folk music's hottest property. So it's no wonder we are oh-so excited that they have agreed to a bit of island hopping.

*"Ian's passionate, rough-hewn singing, and the band's powerful arrangements of classic ballads offers a credible lineage through Irish folk's great heritage." (The Guardian)*

*"That authentic voice of the streets is back in a big way." (Mark Radcliffe, BBC Radio 2)*

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### Jedoonee 3 Jerrey Souree / Sunday 3 July

14:00 Celtic music and dance displays, Mooragh Park, Ramsey / FREE

### Jerdein 7 Jerrey Souree / Thursday 7 July

19:30 Lecture, Ramsey Town Hall / Free  
*"Colin Jerry – Cornerstone of the Manx Music Revival"*

## YN CHRUINNAGHT 2016

### Jecrean 13 Jerrey Souree / Wednesday 13 July

20:00 **The Wednesday Night Concert: Calan**  
*With Katie Lawrence's Folkestra, Centenary Centre, Peel / £15*

### Jerdein 14 Jerrey Souree / Thursday 14 July

10:00 Pre-school Manx music class, Centenary Centre, Peel / FREE  
10:30 Walking tour, meet at the Centenary Centre / FREE  
13:15 Poetry in the Chapel, Peel Methodist Chapel / FREE  
20:00 Music in the Villa Marina Arcade, Douglas / FREE  
20:00 **The Thursday Night Concert: An Tri DipoP**  
*With Ruth Keggins & Birlinn Jiarg, Centenary Centre, Peel / £10*  
22:00 The Ballaghs Live in the White House / FREE

### Jeheiney 15 Jerrey Souree / Friday 15 July

10:30 Walking tour, meet at the Centenary Centre / FREE  
10:30 Manx Gaelic for beginners, Green's Tearooms, St Johns / FREE  
13:15 Mini concert with Birlinn Jiarg, Peel Methodist Chapel / FREE  
16:00 Children's Ceili, Atholl Room, Centenary Centre / FREE  
16:00 Celtic Language Talk, Guild Room, Peel / FREE  
19:30 **Ceili! Fest Noz!**  
*Kippercaillie, Rhythm of Bulgaria & An Tri DipoP, Golf Club / £5/£3*  
20:00 **The Friday Night Concert: Celtic Voices**  
*Christine Collister, Kezia & Aalin Clague, Centenary Centre / £10*

### Jesarn 16 Jerrey Souree / Saturday 16 July

12:00 Artisan Craft Fair, Corrin Hall / FREE  
14:00 Cornish Dance workshop, Atholl Room / FREE  
16:00 Playing at sessions workshop, White House Inn / FREE  
20:00 **The Saturday Night Concert: Lynched**  
*With Isla & Caz, Vlad & Ivelina, Centenary Centre, Peel / £15*

### Jedoonee 17 Jerrey Souree / Sunday 17 July

13:00 Manx language events with Pobble, Peel Beach / FREE  
14:00 Celtic music and dance displays, House of Manannan / FREE  
16:00 Farewell Session, White House Inn / FREE

*Book it!*

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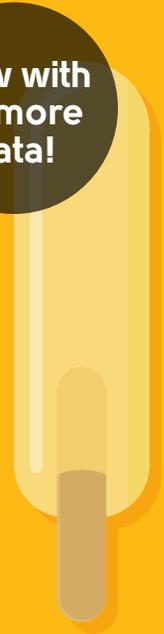
A variety of styles and influences have collided to make it the most exciting album of traditional Irish song in decades.

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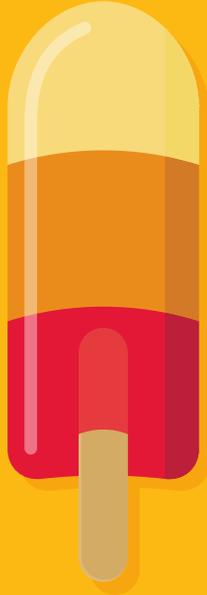
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