Gig Buddies Edinburgh

Winter/Spring Newsletter 2020









### **Update From Sam**



2020 is looking to be another great year for Gig Buddies Edinburgh! We've got more members and volunteers than ever, and we've got loads of exciting events planned.

As always, we will be getting out to lots of gigs, Sneaky Pete's and the Jazz Bar remain favourites for many members. But we also plan to get out to some new things this year, like enabling members to get out to a music festival for the first time!

We can't reveal everything yet, but make sure you follow us on facebook to get all our up to date news. We will also email all our members any exciting pieces of information.

This newsletter contains all of our current Edinburgh socials until May 2020. I'm sure we will be adding more so be sure to keep an eye out on your emails.

We hope to see you at an event soon! Sam



#### **Upcoming Events - January**

## Tuesday 21st January - Midlothian mEAT UP



It's our first mEAT UP of the year! Come along to Blacksmiths forge in Dalkeith for a bite to eat and a catch up with other members. You may even make a few new freinds!

Tuesday 21st January 6pm-7:30pm Blacksmith's Forge Dalkeith Midlothian





### Monday 27th January - Kettle Of Kites

Monday 27th Jan - 7-10pm Sneaky Pete's, Cowgate Edinburgh, EH1 1JW Tickets On The Door £8 Support Goes FREE It's Independent Venue Week again, which means we're heading back to Sneaky Pete's for some more great gigs! On Monday 27th, come along to see 'Indie Art Rock' band 'Kettle Of Kites'. Get tickets on the door, or head over to www.sneakypetes.co.uk to book yours now! Free support tickets can also be booked online!

### Wednesday 29th January - Cloth + Annie Booth





Come along to another Independent Venue Week gig at Sneaky Pete's! This time we will be watching Glasgow alt-rock 3 peice 'Cloth' with support from Annie Booth. Tickets can be bought on the door or booked online.

Monday 27th Jan - 7-10pm Sneaky Pete's, Cowgate Edinburgh, EH1 1JW Tickets On The Door £9 Support Goes FREE

We are also putting on a gig in Glasgow for Independent Venue Week this year. It's on Friday 31st January at The Glad Cafe. Sam is unable to run this as a social for Edinburgh members but if you would like to know more you can find information at the 'Gig Buddies Scotland' or 'Gig Buddies Glasgow' facebook pages.



Gig Buddies Glasgow

#### **Upcoming Events - February**

# Tuesday 11th February - Edinburgh mEAT UP

Our Edinburgh mEAT UP's happen every other month at The Standing Order on George Street. Come along and grab a bite to eat with other members!



Tuesday 11th February 6pm-7:30pm The Standing Order George Street Edinburgh



## Friday 21st February - Thera Scotland's 10th Birthday

Friday 21st February
7pm onwards
Danderhall Minder Club
Midlothian
Ticket price to be annoucned

Join us in celebrating Thera Scotland's 10th Birthday. Thera are our parent charity and we're delighted that they arecelebrating this milestone. The event will be a gig at Danderhall Miners Club.



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#### **Upcoming Events - March**



**Tuesday 10th March - Midlothian mEAT UP** 

Tuesday 10th March 6pm-7:30pm Blacksmith's Forge Dalkeith Midlothian Our Midlothian mEAT UP's happen every other month at The Blacksmiths Forge in Dalkeith. Come along and grab abite to eat with other members!

## Saturday 21st March - Jazz Bar

thejazzbar

The Jazz Bar is a firm favourite with our members, so we're going back! Come along for an afternoon of drinks and jazz! There's a live band and it's free!

Unfortuantley this venue is not wheelchair accessible. Sorry for any disapointment caused.

Saturday 21st March
2pm - 4pm
Jazz Bar, Chambers Street
Edinburgh, EH1 1HR
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For more information on all of our socials call Sam, our Project Manager, on 07738486001 or email gigbuddies@thera.co.uk

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#### **Upcoming Events - April**

## Tuesday 7th April - Edinburgh mEAT UP

Our Edinburgh mEAT UP's happen every other month at The Standing Order on George Street. Come along and grab a bite to eat with other members!



Tuesday 7th April 6pm-7:30pm The Standing Order George Street Edinburgh



## Saturday 25th April - Edinburgh Modern Art Gallery

Edinburgh's Modern Art Gallery always has a changing collection of art of display. They also have fantastic grounds surrounding the gallery to walk around and explore. What's more, it's FREE to visit all year round!Come along with us and explore the gallery with other Gig Buddies!

Saturday 25th April
1pm-2:30pm
Edinburgh Gallery of Modern Art
75 Belford Road, Edinburgh
EH4 3DR
FREE



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#### Get involved across the country!

We also run Gig Buddies in West Lothian and in Glasgow.

They are always holding socials as well, and you can get involved!

Just head over to their social media pages or get in touch with their local coordinator to find out more!





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#### Regular Events We Love

Along with our monthly 'mEAT UP' and West Lothian Cinema events, here are some other regular events you may want to try out!

Our friends at Get2Gether Regularly run events such as discos and karaoke nights all over the Lothians, not to mention their legendary clubnight at ATIK. To find out more search 'Get2Gether' on facebook, or call them on 07867179023.



thejazzbar

Bored on a rainy day? We have the perfect solution. The Jazz Bar on Chambers Street run a FREE afternoon of music every saturday from 2pm-5pm.

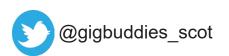
Sneaky Pete's in Edinburgh is open everynight with great live music! Check them out online for their upcoming shows! The venue may not be suitable for people in wheelchairs, but the staff will accommodate you as best they can.





St Cecilia's on Niddry street is one of our partner venues. Every 3rd Thursday of the month they run a great evening concert featuring 3 acts of different genres for £5. Gig Buddies members get 2 for 1 on tickets!











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