



**September**

6	<b>A New Old Fashioned Band</b>
13	<b>Midnight Special</b>
20	<b>The Dick Williams Six</b>
27	<b>The Keith Little Hot Six</b>

**October**

4	<b>Ron Kings' Meridian Jazz Band</b>
11	<b>The Paul Munery Band ----- (Special)</b>
18	<b>The Liberty Street Jazz Band</b>
25	<b>Norman Thatchers' New Orleans Band</b>

**Look out for**

Nov 22	<b>Celebrating 10 years at Café Jazz</b>
Dec 6	<b>The Old Green River Band</b>

*Café Jazz - The Sandringham Hotel, St. Mary Street, Cardiff*  
 Admission - P.J.S Members & Concessions £3.00, Non Members £3.50,  
 Students £2.00  
 Specials £4 / £5 (Students £2)



***Steve Davis in full Adamant gear belting it out at Brecon***

***See Steve with Ron King's Meridian Band***



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## EDITORIAL

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Well we have survived yet another Brecon and again thoroughly enjoyed it, although it must be said that the representation of our style of jazz is sadly lacking to what it used to be. All our local bands had highly successful gigs and all the comments that I received, were highly complimentary of the "Welsh contingent"

Earlier in the year many of us went to Upton upon Seven for the annual Oliver Cromwell Festival, which was very fortunate to escape the torrential downpour of rain which affected many parts of the country. It was great to see Acker Bilk playing again. Apart from the firm favourites such as Phil Mason, Bob Kerr etc. the one band that, to me, were outstanding, was Henry Davies' Bootblacks with our own Steve Davis performing admirably on brass bass. One instrumentalist to look out for is trumpeter Enrico Tomasso who played in Henrys' band and also featured with Acker Bilk. There were a host of other top band, too numerous to mention here, which contributed to a highly successful festival.

Our programme for September and October features all your favourite local bands and a Special featuring the Paul Munery Jazz Band on the 11<sup>th</sup> October

Many people have asked for **Midnight Special**, who have a highly successful residency at the Butchers in Rhiwbina, to play at Café Jazz. Well they will be with us on 13<sup>th</sup> Sept.

We wish Memphis Seven pianist, Ray Jones, a quick return to the piano after a short illness.

The PJS AGM is on Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> Sept upstairs in the Sandringham Hotel and will commence at 7:30 - all welcome

Don't forget Tuesdays for our "Best of Jazz" at Café Jazz.  
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**Steve Davis, Bob Davis, Barry Phillips Parade Marshal Jim Wood**



**Eddie Williams, Ceri Williams, Ron King**



**Alun Jones, Phil Wall Mike Pearce, Mike Kennedy, Clarence Nugent**



*Laurie Davies*

*Paul Dunleavy normally takes photographs for the FT. Here's one of him having a pint at this years Brecon Festival*



*Clarence Nugent  
Ceri Williams  
Jayne Gregory  
Eddie Williams  
Mike Kennedy*



*The Adamant Marching Band at Brecon*



*Keith Little Hot Six front Line*

*Keith Little*





# What's On



### Sunday

Jazz Paraders	The Wig & Pen - Newport	8 - 10:30 p.m.
The Society Jazz Band	The Royal Oak - Whitchurch	11 <sup>th</sup> Serpt.

### Mondays

Speakeasy Jazz Band	Uplands Tavern Swansea	1 <sup>st</sup> of the month
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### Tuesdays

<b>The Preservation Jazz Society</b>	<b>Café Jazz The Sandringham Hotel, St. Mary St. Cardiff</b>	<b>8:30 - 11:00 p.m.</b>
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### Wednesday

Various Bands	St James's Club - Uplands Swansea	Check 01792 654428
Keith Little Hot Six	The Windsor Hotel - Penarth	Alt Weeks
The Liberty Street Jazzbands	The Windsor Hotel - Penarth	Alt Weeks

### Thursdays

Midnight Special	The Butchers Rhiwbina	8:30 - 11:00 p.m.
The Jazz Paraders	The Hand Post Newport	8:30 - 11:00 p.m.
Various Traditional Bands	Roof Top Café Grand Theatre Swansea	8:30 - 11:00 p.m.

### Fridays

Torfaen Jazz Society	Sebastopol Social Club	8:30 - 11:00 p.m.
Various Bands	Griffithstown - Pontypool	check :- 01495 762504

### Jazz on the Air

Sunday	Wales	09.05	Dewi Griffiths - String of Pearls
Sunday	Radio 2	22.00	Malcolm Laycock - The Age of Swing
Monday	Radio 2	20.00	Humphrey Lyttleton - The Best of Jazz
		22.00	Big Band Special -Helen Mayhew
Friday	Radio 3	19.00	Jazz Legends
Saturday	Radio 3	16.00	Jazz Line Up - various
	Radio 3	17.00	Jazz Record Requests - followed by Jazz File.

### West Country Jazz

<b>Clevedon Jazz Club</b>	
The Avon Suite - Walton Park Hotel - 2nd & 4th Thursday each month	

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## Jazz in the Park

Perhaps one of the most picturesque festivals is that held at Pontypool Park between the 9<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup> of September. Tom Williams and his team have again excelled themselves in providing a broad mix of styles to suit all tastes.

Artistes appearing include :- Humphrey Lyttelton, Willie Garnett Big Band, Alan Barnes Quartet, Jeff Hooper, Jive Aces, The Newport Big Band,, Pendlebury Quintet, Rob Haddon. Byron Jones Big Band, Gethin Liddington, Round the Horn, The Freewheelers Jazz Band, Carole Clegg & Speakeasy, Keith Little Hot Six, Kool Katz, Ceri Williams Hot 5, Memphis Seven and not forgetting the organiser himself, Tom Williams

There are 40 sessions spread over the three days and admission to ALL events is by programme, which you can purchase at the Park which will cost you a mere £5.00 - a bargain.

### Band News

**Ian Phillips** has renamed his band and it's now called :- "The Ian Phillips & The Newport City Jazz & Swing Band.". They still perform at the Handpost on a Thursday and The Pen & Wig, Stow Hill, Newport ; every Sunday 8 till 10.30 pm.

**Sid Powell** :- A benefit night is being organised for Sid, who is seriously ill, on **Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> October**. The main band called "The Sid Powell Benefit Nite Jazz Band has, William Chitcheater drums, Steve Davis brass bass, Mike Morris banjo, Mick Jones trombone, Lawrence Davies trumpet and Ian Jameson clarinet. There will be loads of guest musicians so if you can, support it. The venue :- **The Farmers Club, Widemarsh Street, Hereford.**

### Caldicot

A highly successful night was held for **Vic Partridge** during July at the "Good Measure" in Caldicot where literally loads of people turned up to participate in his benefit night. We all send Vic our best wishes for a speedy return to better health.

**The Caldicot Jazz Festival** will be held on 23<sup>rd</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> September. It is FREE on Friday with all sessions held at the Good Measure Inn and Saturday and Sunday at the Choir Hall Caldicot The "Antique Six" and "Jive Aces" will be the main bands on Saturday and Sunday respectively and it will cost £5 each day.