

THE PROCLAIMERS

PLUS GUESTS

SUMMER 2019



SATURDAY 6TH JULY - BUGHT PARK, INVERNESS

THE DAY'S RUNNING ORDER:

3.00PM GATES OPEN

DJ TAM COYLE - ALL DAY SOUNDS

4.30PM ASTRID

5.20PM ZOE GRAHAM

6.15PM BE CHARLOTTE

7.15PM FATHERSON

8.30PM THE PROCLAIMERS

10.00PM FINISH



FROM MELROSE TO INVERNESS





FOOD AND DRINK...BESPOKE BARS OPEN FROM 3PM

AS WELL AS FANTASTIC MUSIC FROM A RANGE OF ARTISTS THERE WILL BE BARS AND AN ARTISAN FOOD VILLAGE TO ENJOY THAT WILL INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING: **BABU, MUCKY FACE, BARNACLES&BONES, PIZZA GEEKS, ROST, STOUGE AND THE SHAWARMA SHACK.**



TRAVELLING TO INVERNESS

INVERNESS IS EASILY ACCESSIBLE BY ROAD, TRAIN AND AIR.
(MAP)

BY ROAD – MAJOR ROAD LINKS FROM THE A9 NORTH AND A96 EAST

BY BUS – NEAREST BUS STATION IS INVERNESS BUS STATION, JUST 2 MILES FROM BUGHT PARK. BUSES ARE RUN BY STAGECOACH, PLEASE CHECK BUS TIMES HERE.

BY RAIL – NEAREST TRAIN STATION IS INVERNESS TRAIN STATION, NEXT TO THE BUS STATION, JUST 2 MILES FROM BUGHT PARK. TRAINS ARE RUN BY SCOTRAIL, PLEASE CHECK TRAIN TIMES HERE.

BY AIR – NEAREST AIRPORT IS INVERNESS, DALCROSS AIRPORT, JUST 11 MILES FROM BUGHT PARK. FLIGHT TIMES MAY VARY, PLEASE CHECK FLIGHTS HERE.

IF YOU ARE TRAVELLING BY CAR CONSIDER TAKING YOUR TIME ON THE ROAD AND INCLUDE ONE OR MORE OF SOME STUNNING LOCAL ITINERARIES AS PART OF YOUR VISIT TO INVERNESS. FURTHER INFORMATION IS AVAILABLE HERE.

FATHERSON

THE UPWARDS TRAJECTORY OF FATHERSON'S BLOSSOMING CAREER SERVES A HEARTENING REMINDER THAT THE HYPE MACHINE IS NO SUBSTITUTE FOR TALENT, AUTHENTICITY AND GRAFT. THIS IS A BAND AFFORDED NO SHORTCUTS TO GET WHERE THEY ARE TODAY, A SUCCESS STORY BUILT ON WORD-OF-MOUTH CONVERSIONS. AND THEY WOULDN'T HAVE IT ANY OTHER WAY. ATTEND ANY FATHERSON GIG AND YOU'LL FIND A ROOM ECHO WITH LYRICS BEING SUNG BACK EN MASSE BY ADORING FANS.



THE ARTICULATE, BROODING, EMOTIVE ROCK OF THE GLASGOW-BASED BAND CAN BE FOUND ON ALL THREE OF THEIR STUDIO ALBUMS, I AM AN ISLAND, OPEN BOOK AND SUM OF ALL YOUR PARTS.

THEIR POPULARITY SCALED GREATER HEIGHTS WITH THE RELEASE OF OPEN BOOK ON EASY LIFE RECORDS, A SUBDIVISION OF SONY MUSIC, IN THE SUMMER OF 2016. WHEN IT WENT STRAIGHT IN AT NO.2 IN THE OFFICIAL SCOTTISH ALBUM CHARTS, FATHERSON FOUND THEMSELVES SANDWICHED BETWEEN PAUL SIMON AND COLDPLAY.

OTHER HIGHLIGHTS TO DATE INCLUDE SUPPORTING KINGS OF LEON IN VIENNA, SELLING OUT A HEADLINE SHOW AT THE LEGENDARY GLASGOW BARROWLAND AND PACKING OUT A 12,000-CAPACITY TENT AT T IN THE PARK. THEY HAVE ALSO PLAYED IN THE UK AND EUROPE WITH BIFFY CLYRO, KINGS OF LEON, TWIN ATLANTIC, ENTER SHIKARI, FRIGHTENED RABBIT, IDLEWILD AND AUGUSTINES.

FATHERSON 'MAKING WAVES' — [HTTPS://YOUTU.BE/AI2QA5QQK78](https://youtu.be/AI2QA5QQK78)

WWW.FATHERSONBAND.COM

BE CHARLOTTE

SOME POP STARS MAKE MUSIC FOR THE SAKE OF IT. BUT FOR 21-YEAR-OLD BE CHARLOTTE – MUSIC IS ABOUT MEANING.

IT'S THE COMBINATION OF HER REMARKABLE SONGWRITING TALENT, A KNACK FOR SWEEPING MELODIES AND THE FIERCE SENSE OF IDENTITY AND SELF-WORTH WHICH MAKES HEADS TURN, NOT ONLY IN THE UK. EVEN ALTHOUGH SHE IS STILL AT THE BEGINNING OF HER CAREER BE CHARLOTTE HAS TOURED AROUND EUROPE, NORTH AMERICA AND ASIA AS WELL AS AS SHARING THE STAGE WITH MAJOR LAZER IN AFRICA IN 2018.

WOVEN INTO EVERY NOTE OF HER GLIMMERING POP SONGS, ANTHEMIC BEATS AND IMMEDIATE VOCALS WHICH RADIATE THAT QUIET YET DETERMINED PERSONALITY,

THERE'S THIS EXTRAORDINARY EFFORT TO INSPIRE OTHERS. IN THE LYRICS, THE LISTENER WILL FIND HONESTY, A LEVEL OF MATURITY BEYOND HER YEARS, AND REFLECTION. SHE HAS TAKEN INFLUENCE FROM CLASSIC SONGWRITERS SUCH AS BOB DYLAN AND TRACY CHAPMAN AND INSTINCTIVELY APPLIED THEM TO HER LOVE OF MODERN POP AND HIP-HOP.

SINCE STARTING TO FIND HER VOICE AS A TEENAGER WITH AN ACOUSTIC GUITAR IN DUNDEE, SCOTLAND, BE CHARLOTTE HAS BEEN FOCUSED ON FINDING INNER STRENGTH AND INSPIRING OTHERS TO DO THE SAME AND IS READY TO SPEAK UP.

“I HOPE THAT MY LYRICS CAN ENCOURAGE LISTENERS TO DISCOVER STRENGTH WITHIN THEMSELVES, RATHER THAN LOOKING FOR VALIDATION FROM OTHERS.”

SHE'S NOT A PERFECT PRINCESS FIGURE AND NEVER WANTED TO BE. SHE'S CONTENT IN BEING HERSELF AND SINGING IN HER OWN VOICE AND IS READY TO TAKE ON THE WORLD.

BE CHARLOTTE 'DO NOT DISTURB' — [HTTPS://M.YOUTUBE.COM/WATCH?V=QYMXZSP6VH8](https://m.youtube.com/watch?v=QYMXZSP6VH8)

WWW.IAMBECHARLOTTE.COM



ZOE GRAHAM

THERE IS AN IMPRESSIVE MATURITY AND ATTENTION TO DETAIL IN ZOE GRAHAM'S MUSIC THAT SETS THIS ACCOMPLISHED YOUNG SONGWRITER APART FROM HER PEERS. ON STAGE, YOU WILL FIND HER EITHER WITH BAND OR FLESHING OUT THE INSTRUMENTATION WITH LOOP PEDALS ON SOLO OUTINGS. BUT WHEN ZOE PARES IT BACK TO JUST A VOCAL AND ACOUSTIC GUITAR, AS SHE DOES ON THE ACHINGLY POIGNANT 'THE ANNIESLAND LIGHTS' (FROM HER RECENT 'HACKET & KNACKERED' EP), THAT IS WHEN YOU KNOW YOU'RE IN THE COMPANY OF SOMEONE VERY SPECIAL INDEED.

CHAMPIONED BY RADIO SCOTLAND'S RODDY HART AND WITH MULTIPLE CELTIC CONNECTIONS APPEARANCES TO HER NAME, ZOE GRAHAM'S UNDERSTATED CHARMS WILL NOT STAY BELOW THE RADAR FOR MUCH LONGER.

ZOE GRAHAM 'THE ANNIESLAND LIGHTS' —

[HTTPS://WWW.YOUTUBE.COM/WATCH?V=HVBF-NRDWS8&FEATURE=YOUTU.BE](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HVBF-NRDWS8&feature=youtu.be)

WWW.ZOEGRAHAMMUSIC.COM





ASTRID

IN THE BEGINNING THE BOYS OF ASTRID SPENT THEIR DAYS WRITING SONGS AND WORKING FLOWER STALLS. AT NIGHT THEY DROPPED THEIR FINEST CHARITY SHOP THREADS TO PLAY ASTRID'S COMPLETE CATALOGUE OF SEVEN SONGS AT KING TUTS WAH WAH HUT AND NICE & SLEAZY'S. STOP BY THE HALT BAR ON WOODLANDS RD. ANY SATURDAY AFTERNOON AND THE BOYS OF ASTRID COULD LIKELY BE FOUND PLAYING THE OPEN STAGE OR SPENDING THEIR GIROS AT THE BAR, EVEN MORE LIKELY, DOING BOTH. IT WAS HERE STEVIE JACKSON FROM BELLE & SEBASTIAN HEARD ASTRID AND ASKED THE BOYS ALONG FOR THE FIRST UK BELLE & SEBASTIAN TOUR. ASTRID ACCEPTED; THEIR AUDIENCE WAS QUICKLY BECOMING THEIR FANS.

IT WAS ON THIS TOUR AFTER A SHOW AT THE UNION CHAPEL IN LONDON THAT THE BOYS OF ASTRID MET MANAGERS AND FOUNDERS OF FANTASTIC PLASTIC RECORDS, DARRIN AND JULIE ROBSON. ASTRID SIGNED TO FANTASTIC PLASTIC IN 1998 AND ALL WAS RIGHT WITH THE WORLD.