

SATURDAY 11TH OCTOBER

Hub open from 10am - 4pm Festival Hub Pass Holders ONLY

YOUTH CONCERT

Featuring Young Shetland Musicians

FESTIVAL HUB Room 16 - 10:30am

Open to Festival Hub Pass Holders ONLY. A special one day pass is available for Saturday only, price £10 Adult / £5 Under 18

YOUTH SESSIONS

Informal sessions for young musicians led by local and visiting artistes

FESTIVAL HUB Session Rooms - 1:30pm

MUSIC & DANCING

Afternoon of music and dancing. See Hub notice boards for details

FESTIVAL HUB Room 16 - 1pm-4pm

GRAND DANCE

CLICKIMIN LEISURE CENTRE 7:30PM

The following bands will provide music for an evening of dancing

Leeshinat - Wullie Scott SDB - The Cullivoe Band - Robert Whitehead & the Danelaw Dance Band - Callum Nicolson Dance Band - Filskit - Sandy Legget & the Carseloch Ceilidh Band - Callum Irvine Dance Band - Ewan Galloway SDB - Brendan Scollay Dance Band - Da Fustra

Tickets : £25 Adult / £15 Under 18

Doors Open at 6:30pm
Commencing at 7:30pm
No admittance after 11pm
Bar Closes at 12:30 am

No food or drinks (including bottled water) to be carried into Clickimin, all bags are liable to be searched



SUNDAY 12TH OCTOBER

Hub open from 12pm - 4pm Festival Hub Pass Holders ONLY

FINAL CONCERTS

FESTIVAL HUB & ROYAL BRITISH LEGION - 2pm

Music by a selection of this years visiting artistes. Both venues will feature same performers.

The concert at the hub will not require a Hub Pass

For information the Garrison Theatre is not available this year due to ongoing maintenance works so this concert will be held within the Royal British Legion, Lerwick, home of the Shetland Accordion & Fiddle Club

Tickets £20 Adult / £15 Under 18

Both concerts sponsored by The Sandwick Baking Company



Supporters

"The Committee would like to thank all sponsors, contributors, volunteers and hosts of the 2025 Festival - it could not happen without your support"

Committee

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Tickets available from www.shetlandaccordionandfiddle.com

36TH SHETLAND ACCORDION & FIDDLE FESTIVAL

9th - 12th October 2025



INFORMATION

Welcome to the 36th Shetland Accordion and Fiddle Festival. The Festival will see musicians from across the UK, Norway, Ireland and the USA come together to perform alongside a host of local musicians across Shetland.

They will showcase the best in Accordion and Fiddle music as well as traditional Shetland and Scottish dancing. Whether you are a regular or attending for the first time we hope you have a great weekend!

the Committee

FESTIVAL HUB Islesburgh Community Centre

The Festival Hub is the focal point of the Festival. A Weekend Pass entitles the holder to unlimited entry to the Hub from Thursday morning through to Sunday afternoon.

Pass holders who wish to attend Concert/ Dances in the Hub on Thursday and Friday evenings will also require a ticket for these events.

Pass Holders are entitled free entry to the Youth Concert on Saturday morning. A special 1 Day Pass is available for those who can only attend on Saturday.

Hub Pass (Weekend) £20 Adult / £15 Under 18

Hub Pass (Saturday) £10 Adult / £5 Under 18

Please note that a Hub Pass is no longer required to attend the Concert/Dances in the Hub on Thursday and Friday evenings and also the Sunday afternoon concert. This is now included in the ticket price

Programme maybe subject to change without prior notification

Transport to country venues

Limited space will be available to passengers on the buses taking artistes to country venues.

Tickets for those buses are available priced at £5 return from the Festival shop within the Hub from 11am of the day of the concert.



THURSDAY 9TH OCTOBER

Hub open from 11am - 3am
Festival Hub Pass Holders ONLY

Official Opening Festival Hub Room 16 - 1pm

Performed by Shetland Fiddler - **MAGGIE ADAMSON** followed by an afternoon of music from a selection of visiting artistes.

EVENING CONCERT/DANCES

Tickets £22 Adult / £15 Under 18

FESTIVAL HUB - 7:30pm

The David Halcrow Band - John Daly & Connor Connolly - Kerem Tekcan - Malm Accordion Club - Iain Williamson & Ryan Couper. **Dance to Ewan Galloway SDB. Compere - Ewan Galloway**

AITH PUBLIC HALL - 7:30pm

Langstrings - Neil Galloway Trio - Ami Grains (Shetland's Young Fiddler of the Year) - The Cullivoe Band - Charlie Walden & Patt Plunkett. **Dance to Wullie Scott Dance Band. Compere - Charlie Kirkpatrick**

EVENING CONCERTS

Tickets £20 Adult / £15 Under 18

Hub Pass holders welcome to return to Hub for late night music and dancing following concerts

HAMNAVOE PUBLIC HALL - 7:30pm

The Callum Irvine Band - Gary Blair - Bryden Priest & Megan Nisbet - Shetland Fiddlers Society - Nicola Braid & Gordon Haddow Trio - Maggie Adamson - Robert Whitehead & the Danelaw Dance Band. **Compere - Andy Philip**

SANDWICK SOCIAL CLUB - 7:30pm

Westside Fiddle & Accordion Club - Murray Cowie - Leeshinat - Liza Henderson - Michael Garvin Trio - George Spence - Sandy Legget & the Carseloch Ceilidh Band. **Compere - Andy Kain**

Doors open at 7pm for all venues

Tickets available from
www.shetlandaccordionandfiddle.com

FRIDAY 10TH OCTOBER

Hub open from 11am - 3am
Festival Hub Pass Holders ONLY



Festival Hub Room 16 - 12pm - 4pm

Afternoon of music and dancing. See Hub notice boards for details

EVENING CONCERT/DANCES

Tickets £22 Adult / £15 Under 18

FESTIVAL HUB - 7:30pm

Northmavine Fiddle & Accordion Club - Gary Blair - Alan & Gemma Small - Michael Garvin Trio - Andy Kain. **Dance to Robert Whitehead & the Danelaw Dance Band. Compere - Andy Kain**

WHITENESS & WEISDALE PUBLIC HALL - 7:30pm

Malm Accordion Club - Linda, Pauline & Margaret - The Brendan Scollay Band - Nicola Braid & Gordon Haddow Trio - Bryan Gear & Martin Henderson. **Dance to Sandy Legget & the Carseloch Ceilidh Band. Compere - Andy Philip**

EVENING CONCERTS

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SOUTH NESTING HALL

The Callum Nicolson Dance Band - Charlie Walden & Patt Plunkett - Bruce Peebles - Ness Accordion & Fiddle Club - Murray Cowie - Ami Grains (Shetland's Young Fiddler of the Year) - Ewan Galloway SDB. **Compere - Ewan Galloway**

CENTRAL DUNROSSNESS PUBLIC HALL - 7:30pm

Heritage Fiddlers - Neil Galloway Trio - Filskit - John Daly & Connor Connolly - Bryden Priest & Megan Nisbet - Da Gadderie - Wullie Scott Dance Band. **Compere - Charlie Kirkpatrick**

Doors open at 7pm for all venues

IMPORTANT FOR ALL VENUES
Heel sizes must be at least 15mmx15mm.
No METAL segs or cleats on shoes