

21<sup>st</sup> — 25<sup>th</sup> August 2024

# mok<sup>24</sup>fest



See the full line-up inside.



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# The Festival Schedule

**Wed 21<sup>st</sup>**

TICKETS: £12  
DOORS: 7:00PM

**Beinn an Tuirc Gaelic Night** ARGYLL ARMS HOTEL

Katie MacFarlane with Pablo Lafuente and Michael Biggins headline with Christine MacIntyre as Bean an Tighe and many local artists for a great night of tunes, stories and songs.

**Thu 22<sup>nd</sup>**

TICKETS: £8  
DOORS: 7:00PM

**Spoons Young Folk Night** HERITAGE CENTRE

This hugely popular event features some of the finest young musical talent. A delightful event that showcases the future of Kintyre's musicians.

**Fri 23<sup>th</sup>**

TICKETS: £18 / £9  
DOORS: 7:30PM

**The Festival Ceilidh** VICTORIA HALL

Join in the Friday night Ceilidh fun with the Grouse Ceilidh Band, Argyll Ceilidh Trail, The Dalriada Connections Band and Kintyre Schools Pipe Band. Don't forget, under 12's get in for just £9.00.

**Sat 24<sup>th</sup>**

FREE  
12:30PM

**Festival Parade & Pipe Band Performance**

KSPB performs at the head of The Quay, then leads the Festival Parade procession as they march along Main St, Longrow, Aqualibrium Ave ending at Kinloch Green to kick off Doon the Green.

**Sat 24<sup>th</sup>**

FREE  
1:00PM

**Doon the Green** KINLOCH GREEN | OPEN-AIR EVENT

Family fun and live entertainment from our surprise main band, Tommy and Stewart Blue, Kintyre Schools Pipe Band, Funky Chicken Fun, James McCorkindale's Dancers, Taekwondo exhibition, Footnotes, beer tent, food, charity & commercial stalls. NB: licensed event – it is illegal to take alcohol into the bar area.

**Sat 24<sup>th</sup>**

FREE  
1 - 5.30PM

**Festival Club & Saturday Session** KILBRANNAN BAR

The Festival Club mega session is the place to be for some great live acoustic music

**Sat 24<sup>th</sup>**

TICKETS: £23  
DOORS: 6.30PM

**The Trad Concert** HERITAGE CENTRE | ALL SEATED EVENT

The legendary Dougie MacLean making a welcome return and Dàna making their debut support with Christine MacIntyre as MC.

**Sat 24<sup>th</sup>**

TICKETS: £28  
DOORS: 8.30PM

**Glen Scotia West Coast Rocks** VICTORIA HALL

Trail West headline this year's concert. Joining them are Rhuval and The Laurettes with Alison Moffat Leith as MC. Three fantastic bands giving us the full-on West Coast Festival experience! NB: Licensed event, over 16's must be accompanied by an adult.

**Sun 25<sup>th</sup>**

TICKETS: £14  
DOORS: 1.30PM

**Dalriada Connections** HERITAGE CENTRE

A celebration of Scottish, Irish and Pan Celtic musical links with The Canny Band, The Sarachs, Lorne MacDougall, Scooter Muse, Ross Conner + more. Ciaran Mulholland will MC and perform. Thanks to Kilkerran Distillery for sponsoring the miniatures at this event.

**Sun 25<sup>th</sup>**

TICKETS: £22  
DOORS: 7.30PM

**Kilkerran Survivors Night** VICTORIA HALL

Slainte Davaar Allstars headline this legendary concert and are joined by the Kintyre Schools Pipe Band, We.R.Soul with more bands TBC. Alison Moffat Leith will MC.



**Get your tickets**

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# Introducing the Artists



Named the 2023 'Live Band of the Year' at the Scots Trad Awards. The 6-piece lineup from the Western Highlands and Islands has become a festival favourite across Scotland, selling out the Barrowlands Ballroom for the third time and performing at the OVO Hydro.



Acclaimed singer/songwriter, known for his hit song 'Caledonia' and his unique roots-based lyrics and instrumental composition blend. He has received numerous awards, an OBE, a place in the Scottish Music Hall of Fame, and had three sell-out concerts at the Festival.



Known for her unique blend of Gaelic and Catalan styles, Katie has been recognized as a semi-finalist in BBC Radio Scotland's Young Traditional Musician and BBC Radio 2's Young Folk Award competitions. Pablo Lafuente and Michael Biggins will join Katie.



A unique blend of piano, diatonic button accordion, and bodhran. The Canny Band won the MG ALBA Scots Trad Music 'Up and Coming' award in 2021 and have toured festivals across the UK. With influences from classical and jazz, they are a must-see!



We are delighted to welcome back the fantastic Grouse Ceilidh Band who had the whole dance floor bouncing when they performed at our Ceilidh night in 2018. They will perform with their 5-piece lineup this year, so be sure to bring your dancing shoes.



The Sarachs are a new iteration of the much-loved Campbeltown band The Wild Sarachs, champions of the infamous Kintyre genre of "turbo-dreich" music. The band features Anne Leith on vocals, Les Oman on guitar and bouzouki, and Alex Johnson on double bass.

## Live Music Fringe Bars & Social Clubs

Saturday Session will be hosted at the Kilbrannan Bar plus music in Commercial Inn, Burnside Bar, Ardshiel, Kinloch Bar, St John's 141 Recreational & Stronvaar Bowling Club.

\*Events and information listed is accurate at time of print



The Slainte Davaar Allstars will headline this year's Kilkerran Survivors Night. The band recruits new musicians each year, creating memorable performances. Campbelltown's own supergroup will close the 31st live Festival celebration for 2024.



A fun & energetic traditional band from Argyll, formed in 2015. They have gained popularity in the traditional music scene in Scotland and have performed at festivals across the country. They have supported various bands including Skipinnish, Tide Lines, and Manran.



Scottish all female musician band known for their powerful Indie Folk Fusion with a Celtic Rock twist. They are gaining popularity for their energetic performances and ability to engage the crowd, including over 60,000 rugby fans at Murrayfield.



Dàna is an exciting all-female band in their final year studying Traditional Music at the Royal Conservatoire of Scotland. They are set to perform their arrangements at various gigs across Scotland this summer, including MOK Fest in August.



Featuring six up-and-coming young musicians, on the road, showcasing their music across Argyll. We are delighted to have them perform at this year's Ceilidh Night, as they impressed the audiences last year and we can't wait to hear them again.



The Kintyre Schools Pipe Band perform at three events across this year's festival, two performances at the Head of the Quay, and lead this year's Festival Parade. The three events are the Festival Ceilidh Night, Doon the Green, and the Kilkerran Survivors Night.

## Plus even more events!

We are proud to support additional events such as Heritage Trail walks and Whisky and Gin tours — see map on back.

# About the festival

**The Mull of Kintyre Music Festival celebrates its 31<sup>st</sup> live anniversary this year and continues to promote and present the highest calibre of live music.** The festival has always had a unique, friendly and community atmosphere, and with the plans all in place for this year, 2024 is looking to continue with those same values whilst adding new attractions to the event.



The event draws its inspiration from the rich tapestry of talent in the area to perform alongside national and international musicians, helping attract visitors to the Campbeltown area from across the globe.

A generation has grown up with MOK Fest and have witnessed the expansion from two to seven ticketed concerts, open-air events, music sessions, heritage trail walks, whisky & gin distillery tours and tuition workshops.

This year we will once again have our family events including the hugely popular Doon the Green at Kinloch Green with community stalls, live music and children's entertainment with the Festival Parade opening the Saturday afternoon events with community floats led by Kintyre Schools Pipe Band.

The 2024 festival once again promises to showcase some of the best local, national and international musicians; we'll see you there.

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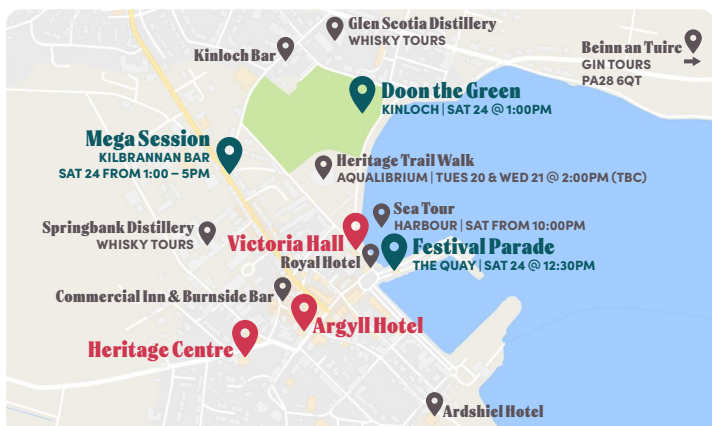


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Road — A83 route or Citylink bus service.

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Special thanks: We would like to share a heartfelt “thank you” to all the local businesses and individuals too numerous to mention.

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Sound Acoustic Services have expanded to television work over the past few years & have also provided the sound technology at many events over the years. The Mull of Kintyre Music Festival remains one of the company’s favourite events.

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Licensing Laws: Consumption of alcohol out-with a designated area is in place. Permission for a “designated area” for the consumption of alcohol has been granted to the Mull of Kintyre Music & Arts Association to include a cordoned off area on Kinloch Green on Saturday 24th between 12pm – 6pm. The consumption of alcohol out-with the area of Kinloch Green and out-with allocated times will be deemed an offence. We will be grateful if members of the public observe this by-law in order to create a relaxed, enjoyable weekend for everyone and maintain a good image of the town for potential visitors and for future festivals and events.