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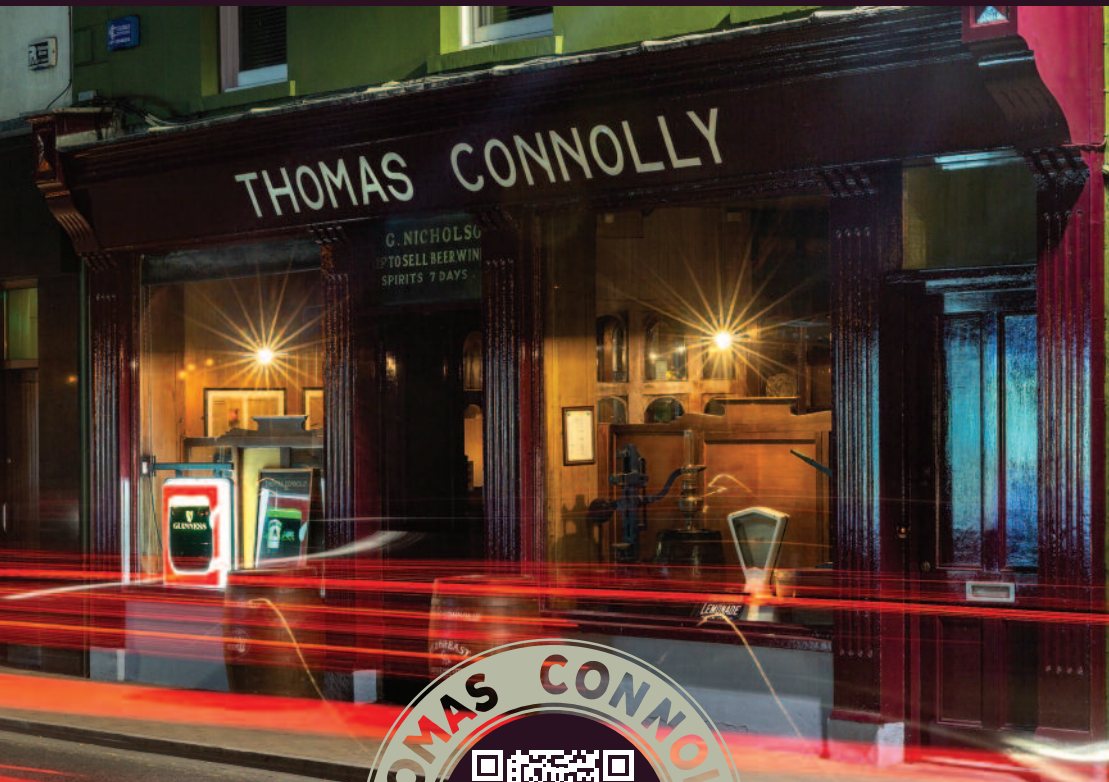
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SLIGO JAZZ PROJECT, INTERNATIONAL SUMMER SCHOOL & JAZZ FESTIVAL

Welcome to Sligo Jazz Festival 2024! Now in our 19th year, the event known to many as the Sligo Jazz Project (SJP) has grown to become the biggest and most inclusive jazz education event in Europe. With a faculty of 30 musicians teaching and performing for the week, our annual summer school event has grown to attract about 150 visiting participants, including a huge Youth Academy of up to 50 young musicians in partnership with Music Generation in Sligo, Mayo and other counties.

What makes Sligo Jazz Festival so unique is the combination of Irish and international jazz musicians who are teaching for the week and also performing on the various live events each day. Summer school participants get to attend our esteemed faculty members' morning workshops and masterclasses at ATU Sligo, have lunch with them, are guided by them each afternoon in their ensemble sessions and attend their concerts each evening, sometimes even getting to jam with their heroes on our twice daily jam sessions.

Among those coming here to teach and perform this year are Grammy winners, nominees, and award winning international musicians including our 2024 Artist in Residence, the New York based Cuban born composer, pianist and educator, Elio Villafranca. SJP has gone to great lengths to assemble a faculty of sympathetic musicians who will perform and teach with the maestro.

Following a very successful inaugural "Young Artist in Residence" held by Nils Kavanagh in 2023, this year's title belongs to the award winning Scottish composer and pianist Fergus McCreadie, who will bring his immense talent and youthful vigour to the faculty and the festival, along with a whole host of young musicians, each one which could be labelled a rising star in the international jazz scene today: guitarists Eleonora Strino (Italy), Tom Ollendorff (UK) and drummer Sun-Mi Hong (Korea) included, with a fabulous supporting cast of familiar young faces, many

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of whom, we can proudly attest, attended our summer school in the past and now are teaching here and performing at the festival, including last year's Young Artist in Residence, Nils Kavanagh. You can find them all dotted throughout this programme and in various venues throughout the week.

On this proud note, I'd like to thank you all for being part of this amazing event and helping it grow each year. I sincerely hope you all have a fabulous week and are filled with inspiration from your experience of Ireland's most unique jazz festival!

Eddie Lee
Artistic Director, Sligo Jazz Project



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TUESDAY 23 JULY

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10am – 4pm

Summer School at ATU Sligo (See sligojazz.ie for schedule)

The Garavogue Sessions

Welcome to our daily 4:30 session where you can catch some of Ireland and Europe's finest jazz musicians in an informal setting.

4:30pm Garavogue Bar

OFFICIAL FESTIVAL LAUNCH

Kosinski Trio

Mark Kosinski: Drums

Dima Kosinsk: Guitar

Dmitry Verba: Bass

11- year old drum prodigy Mark Kosinski has been wowing audiences for a few years now at Sligo Jazz, here's another chance to see him before he hits the big time with his trio featuring dad Dima and bassist Dmitry Verba, in the first of the Garavogue Sessions by Sligo's iconic river.



5pm – 7pm Hawk's Well Theatre Lobby

Early Jam Session

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TUESDAY 23 JULY

Sligo Jazz Project Young Artist in Residence 2024 **FERGUS MCCREADIE & FRIENDS**

8pm Hawk's Well Theatre
€25/20conc./€12.50 u18s
Booking: 071-9161518
www.hawkswell.com

Fergus McCreadie: Piano
With special guests;
Tom Ollendorff: Guitar
Sun-Mi Hong: Drums
Conor Murray: Bass
Micheal Murray: Saxophone

Fergus McCreadie is one of the most exciting jazz pianists on the world stage today. With a unique blend of Jazz and Scottish folk inspired by his country's sublime landscapes, his music captures the hearts and minds of audiences worldwide, with an appeal that extends far beyond the constraints of genre. Fergus is joined on the Hawk's Well stage by fellow Sligo Jazz 2024 faculty members in performing a richly varied repertoire of self-penned material.



10pm Hawk's Well Theatre Lobby **Festival Club Jam Session**

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WEDNESDAY 24 JULY

10am – 4pm

Summer School at ATU Sligo (See sligojazz.ie for schedule)

Lunchtime at the Well Eleonora Strino Trio

1pm-1:50pm Hawk's Well Theatre Lobby

Eleonora Strino (Italy): Guitar, Voice
John Goldsby (DE/USA): Double Bass
Dion Parson (US VI): Drums

Eleonora Strino is recognized by critics as one of the most promising young talents in the international jazz scene. She is a permanent member of Dado Moroni's quartet, Emanuele Cisi's quartet, Greg Cohen's trio and the group "The Great Guitarist" alongside Ulf Wakenius and Martin Taylor. (The group was founded in '73 by Barney Kessel, Charlie Byrd, and Herb Ellis, and she is the first woman to be part of it).



The Garavogue Sessions 4:30pm Garavogue Bar

Paul Dunlea Quintet

Paul Dunlea: Trombone
Cathal Roche: Saxophone
Nils Kavanagh: Piano
Conor Murray: Bass
Stephen Davis: Drums

Although at home in a variety of musical styles, Cork Trombonist/Composer/Arranger, Paul Dunlea concentrates primarily on Jazz and Improvisation. This has furthered his reputation as one of Ireland's most in demand musicians. Dunlea has performed/toured/recorded with the likes of Michael Bubl , Cassandra Wilson, RAYE, Frankie Valli, Liam O'Maonlaoi, Mick Flannery, Richard Reed Parry (Arcade Fire), Bryce Dressner (The National), Lewis Nash, Peter Washington, Billy Drummond,

David O' Rourke's O' Rourkestra, Sachal Vasandani, John Clayton, National Symphony Orchestra, RTE Concert Orchestra, The Dublin City Jazz Orchestra, The New Irish Jazz Orchestra, The Syd Lawrence Orchestra, Hot House Big Band, Freezeroom & Brian Deady. Paul is joined by some of Ireland's finest jazz musicians, north and south for this session by the river.



WEDNESDAY 24 JULY

6pm Lillies

Kosinski Trio

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Dima Kosinski: Guitar

Dmitry Verba: Bass

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Double Bill

JULIAN SIEGEL & GARETH LOCKRANE QUINTET with special guest Christine Tobin & SUN-MI HONG TRIO

8pm Hawk's Well Theatre

€25/20conc./€12.50 u18s

Booking: 071-9161518

www.hawkswell.com

Julian Siegel & Gareth Lockrane Quintet

Julian Siegel: Saxophone, Bass Clarinet

Gareth Lockrane: Flutes

John Goldsby: Bass

Paul Clarvis: Drums

Phil Robson: Guitar

Plus special guest: Christine Tobin, voice



Julian Siegel is an in-demand saxophonist on the UK and European Jazz scene who has worked with many of the top figures in the music. He was awarded the 2007 BBC Jazz Award for Best Instrumentalist. He is currently touring with the Julian Siegel Quartet featuring pianist Liam Noble, bassist Oli Hayhurst and drummer Gene Calderazzo. The Quartet was featured on the cover of UK's Jazzwise Magazine in February 2018 and VISTA was included in Jazzwise's Top 20 Jazz Albums of the year. Flautist and multi-instrumentalist Gareth Lockrane is one of the UK's most celebrated jazz musicians, having worked as a collaborator with many of the UK's leading bandleaders from James Taylor's Quartet to Lianne La Havas and Nikki Iles, also worked extensively as a bandleader himself. For this Sligo concert we have assembled around these esteemed gentlemen a veritable supergroup with the amazing SJP stalwarts Phil Robson, guitar, John Goldsby, bass, Paul Clarvis, drums and very special guest, Christine Tobin on voice.

Sun-Mi Hong Trio

Sun-Mi Hong: Drums

Oli Hayhurst: Bass

Tom Ollendorff: Guitar

Netherlands based Edition Records artist Sun-Mi Hong is one of the rising stars on the European jazz scene. With a signature of rooted groove in combination with well-tempered outbursts, Sun-Mi has placed herself strongly in the Dutch jazz scene. By approaching the moment in a somewhat meditative fashion, she achieves the ability to bring something entirely original to the band stand. Her last album 'A Self-Strewn Portrait' (ZenneZ Records) has won the prize of the Edison Award 2021 in National category. She is the winner of the Dutch Jazz Competition 2018 and the 2nd Prize of the Getxo International Jazz Competition 2017 (Sun-Mi Hong Quintet), She released a new album with her quintet on Edition Records. For her Sligo debut as a bandleader, Sun-Mi teams up with two of the UK's finest: ace London bassist Oli Hayhurst and virtuoso guitarist Tom Ollendorff.



WEDNESDAY 24 JULY

9.30pm Shoot the Crows

Members of NoCrows and friends

Sligo world music outfit NoCrows gets augmented with friends from Sligo Jazz Project's stellar faculty for a hot and sweaty Shoot the Crows session.

10pm Hawk's Well Theatre Lobby

Festival Club Jam Session

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THURSDAY 25 JULY

10am – 4pm

Summer School at ATU Sligo (See sligojazz.ie for schedule)

The Garavogue Sessions

4:30pm Garavogue Bar

Halpin/Morscher Quintet

Veronika Morscher: Voice

Matthew Halpin: Saxophone

Sun-Mi Hong: Drums

Oli Hayhurst: Bass

Joseph Leighton: Guitar



THURSDAY 25 JULY

Austrian singer-songwriter and jazz-vocalist Veronika Morscher is based between Cologne and Vienna and has collaborated on numerous projects and albums over the last years. She has won the Culture Prize in the category of Jazz in 2017 in Austria, been awarded the Jazzprize in Bonn in 2019 and last year, was nominated for the German Jazz Prize in 2023 for "Best Vocal Jazz Album of the Year" with her album collaboration "Tales From the Wooden Kingdom" with saxophonist Heiner Schmitz. Dublin-born saxophonist and composer Matthew Halpin is currently based in Vienna and has been appointed professor for jazz saxophone at Music and Arts Private University of Vienna. Aside from his pedagogical activities at the university and having taught masterclasses around Europe, USA, Asia and Central America, he works with various ensembles from Ireland, Germany and Austria and tours internationally as a saxophonist. They are joined by an all-star rhythm section of Joseph Leighton, guitar, Sun-Mi Hong, drums and Oli Hayhurst, bass.



5pm Ósta

Latin Jazz and Rumba

Felip Carbonell: Guitar, Voice

Eddie Lynch: Piano

Eddie McFarlane: Guitar

Thursday evenings at Osta are a regular Sligo treat. Regulars Felip Carbonell and Eddie McFarlane are joined by Eddie Lynch on piano. Fine food served.

5-7pm Hawk's Well Theatre Lobby

Early Jam Session

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THURSDAY 25 JULY

ELIO VILAFRANCA'S SLIGO AFRO-LATIN & JAZZ ORCHESTRA

8pm Hawk's Well Theatre

€25/20conc./€12.50 u18s

Booking: 071-9161518

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ARTIST IN RESIDENCE 2024

Elio Villafranca: Composer, Piano

Freddie Hendrix: Trumpet

Alejandro Aviles: Saxophone

Dion Parson: Drums

Paul Clarvis: Percussion

Manel Fortia: Double Bass

Julian Siegel: Saxophone, Bass Clarinet

Paul Dunlea : Trombone

Cathal Roche: Baritone Saxophone, Bass Clarinet

Gareth Lockrane: Flute



Born in the province of Pinar del Río, Cuba, Steinway Artist and cultural activist, author, pianist, and composer Elio Villafranca is a 2021 Guggenheim Fellowship recipient; a two-time Grammy nominee; 2019 Downbeat Critic's Poll Rising Stars Pianist; winner of the 2018 Downbeat Critic's Poll Rising Stars Keyboard; first Cuban born recipient of the Sunshine Award (2017), founded to recognize excellence in the performing arts, education, science, and sports of the various Caribbean countries, South America, Centro America, and Africa; and a recipient of the first Jazz at Lincoln Center (JALC) Millennium Swing Award in 2014. In 2023 Elio was also commissioned to compose his "Tres Aguas" suite which was premiered by Wynton Marsalis' Jazz at the Lincoln Centre Orchestra to huge acclaim in April 2023.

Sligo Jazz Project has rarely seen such a combination of world-class stature on the Hawks Well stage. Our 2024 Artist in Residence is joined by a scintillating line-up of international and Irish musicians including his core group of long time collaborators: Alejandro Aviles, Freddie Hendrix, Dion Parson and Manel Fortia have all made the long trip to Sligo for the week, joining Elio on the SJP 2024 faculty from various parts of the globe. Drummer Dion Parson is a long-time Villafranca collaborator, our first faculty member hailing from St Thomas, US Virgin Islands, and is joined by Cuban saxophonist Alejandro Aviles, Spanish bassist Manel Fortia and New Jersey based trumpet tour de force Freddie Hendrix. Award winning UK musicians Siegel, Lockrane and Clarvis complete the line up along with Cork trombonist Paul Dunlea and Leitrim's own Cathal Roche!

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10pm Hawk's Well Theatre Lobby
Festival Club Jam Session

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FRIDAY 26 JULY

10am – 4pm

Summer School at ATU Sligo (See sligojazz.ie for schedule)

The Garavogue Sessions

4:30pm Garavogue Bar

Joseph Leighton & The Murray Brothers

Joseph Leighton: Guitar

Conor Murray: Bass

Micheal Murray: Saxophone

Born in the rugged, rural landscape of County Donegal Ireland, Conor and Micheal Murray began experimenting with various different instruments in Irish traditional music like the Fiddle, Guitar, and Tin Whistle before settling on Saxophone and Double Bass respectively at age twelve. Both brothers quickly developed a strong love for jazz music after this and in 2013, attended the Sligo Jazz Project when they began their astonishing upward curve, fast forward ten years and both are busy members of the international jazz scene, Conor in the UK and USA and Micheal in continental Europe. Both brothers have performed on many occasions with their Derry born friend Joseph Leighton, now a prominent figure on the London jazz scene. Joseph is another fine young musician mentored at Sligo Jazz throughout recent years and who has also, like the Murrays, been on the SJP faculty now for several years.

5pm – 7pm Hawk's Well Theatre Lobby

Early Jam Session

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5.30pm Thomas Connolly

Old Market Street Swing Band

One of Sligo's most popular sessions featuring a merry troupe led by a legend of the Sligo music scene Gerry Grennan, playing good time western swing and gypsy jazz

FRIDAY 26 JULY

THE POWER OF THE VOICE

8pm Hawk's Well Theatre €25/20conc./€12.50 u18s

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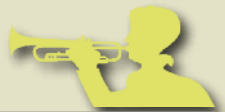
Christine Tobin: Voice
Emilia Martensson: Voice
Veronika Morscher: Voice
Phil Robson: Guitar
John Goldsby: Bass
Paul Clarvis: Drums
& surprise guests



Celebrating the female voice in jazz with Emilia Martensson, Christine Tobin, Veronika Morscher and an all-star rhythm section of Phil Robson on guitar, WDR Big Band's John Goldsby on bass and Hans Zimmer's percussionist of choice, Paul Clarvis. Expect a few surprise guests along the way.

10pm Hawk's Well Theatre Lobby Festival Club Jam Session

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SATURDAY 27 JULY

10am – 4pm

Summer School at ATU Sligo (See sligojazz.ie for schedule)

11am Lyons Cafe

Flip, Mac and Lynch Breakfast Special Rumba and Latin Jazz

Felip Carbonell: Guitar, Voice

Eddie McFarlane: Guitar

Eddie Lynch: Piano

SATURDAY LUNCHTIME DOUBLE BILL

TOM OLLENDORFF TRIO & GARETH LOCKRANE SEXTET

1.30pm Hawk's Well Theatre €15

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Tom Ollendorff Trio

Tom Ollendorff: Guitar

Manel Fortia: Bass

Sun-Mi Hong: Drums



Gareth Lockrane Sextet

Gareth Lockrane: Flutes

Linley Hamilton: Trumpet

Micheal Murray, Saxophone

Mike Nielsen: Guitar

Oli Hayhurst: Bass

Stephen Davis: Drums



SATURDAY 27 JULY

1:15pm The Canopy

Sligo Academy of Music Jazz Orchestra



We can't have a festival without a contribution from our brilliant friends in Sligo Academy of Music! Martin Moser leads Sligo's most accomplished junior jazz musicians – head for Boots or our esteemed leader, Ed Lee's photography shop, and you'll find them there!

The Garavogue Sessions

4:30pm Garavogue Bar

Scott Flanigan Organ Trio featuring Lee Meehan and Paul Clarvis

Scott Flanigan: Organ

Lee Meehan: Guitar

Paul Clarvis: Drums

SJP perennial Scott Flanigan has collaborated with Dublin based guitarist Lee Meehan on several projects, most notably Lee's solo release "Some of Us Are Looking at the Stars" along with some other stellar Irish musicians. They are joined on this, our final 2024 Garavogue session by Scott's northern Ireland compatriot Stephen Davis on drums.



5pm – 7pm Hawks Well Theatre Lobby

Early Jam Session

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SATURDAY 27 JULY

SJP ALL STARS

8pm Hawk's Well Theatre €25/20conc./€12.50 u18s

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Featuring Artist in Residence Elio Villafranca, Young artist in Residence Fergus McCreadie and the entire SJP 2024 Summer School faculty in small, medium and large groups. We truly believe this will be one of the most exciting All Stars concerts in SJP's history.

Piano (Artist in Residence): Elio Villafranca (Cuba/USA)

Piano (Young Artist in Residence): Fergus McCreadie (UK)

Saxophone	Alejandro Aviles (Cuba/USA) Julian Siegel (UK) Matthew Halpin (IE/AUT) Cathal Roche (IE) Micheal Murray (IE)	Guitar	Phil Robson (IE/UK) Dr Mike Nielsen (IE) Tom Ollendorff (UK) Eleonora Strino (ITA) Joseph Leighton (NI)
Flute	Gareth Lockrane (UK)	Piano	Dr Scott Flanigan (NI) Nils Kavanagh (IE) Kieran Quinn (IE)
Trumpet	Freddie Hendrix (USA) Dr Linley Hamilton (NI)	Bass	John Goldsby (USA/DE) Manel Fortia (ESP) Oli Hayhurst (UK) Conor Murray (IE)
Trombone	Paul Dunlea (IE)		
Drums/ Percussion	Dion Parson (USA) Sun Mi Hong (KOR/NED) Paul Clarvis (UK) Dr Stephen Davis (NI)		
Voice	Emilia Martensson (SWE) Veronika Morscher (AUT) Christine Tobin (IE)		

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10pm Hawks Well Theatre Lobby
Festival Club Jam Session

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SUNDAY 28 JULY

THE SJP BIG BASH

12 noon Hawk's Well Theatre

All of our participants have been practicing and fine tuning their performances all week and now get the chance to showcase them in front of an audience. This is officially the biggest Sligo Jazz summer school ever, and its also the first SJP Big Bash ever held in the auditorium of the Hawks Well Theatre. Come and support our summer school participants, many of them performing in public for the first time, some of them seasoned performers, as they are led by our experienced international faculty.



SUNDAY 28 JULY

SJP WRAP PARTY with the SJP Little Big Band & Final Jam

6pm Hawk's Well Theatre €25/20conc./€12.50 u18s

Booking: 071-9161518 www.hawkswell.com

Celebrate our amazing week which culminates in a sensational big band set by our stellar 2024 musicians and a jam session featuring tutors and participants alike.



WELCOME TO THE SLIGO JAZZ FESTIVAL FOOD TRAIL



While you are at Sligo Jazz Festival this year, why not sample the culinary delights of these fabulous establishments on our food trail. They have supported us, so please support them by visiting and tasting their delights! See the map for locations.

Hargadons Our top local sponsors Ray and Eileen (not forgetting the grafter himself, Morgan) have been so good to Sligo Jazz Project for many years now. Apart from that, their award winning Gastro Pub deserves a visit every year during Sligo Jazz week!

Maeve's If you're going to the 4:30pm session in the Garavogue, you're perfectly placed to put in an order for some Thai food at Maeve's next door.

The Swagman Dale's establishment is one of the most popular gastropubs in town, with a fab beer garden area for food and beverages.

Osta Brid's place is a Sligo food and coffee hub – right beside our 4:30 session venue, the Garavogue, plus Osta has great live music on Thursday evenings too!

Lyons Café Gary Stafford's award winning daytime eaterie is one of Sligo's favourite food spots at lunchtime and if you're up early enough, you can catch an 11am gig on Saturday July 27 too!

Café Souperb Catch the bustle of Sligo's busiest daytime city centre eaterie in The Canopy shopping centre, serving sandwiches soups and salads.

Osta at the Model There's a fabulous array of fresh food in Osta at the Model, Sligo's landmark arts centre, if you visit early enough you can enjoy some amazing art too.

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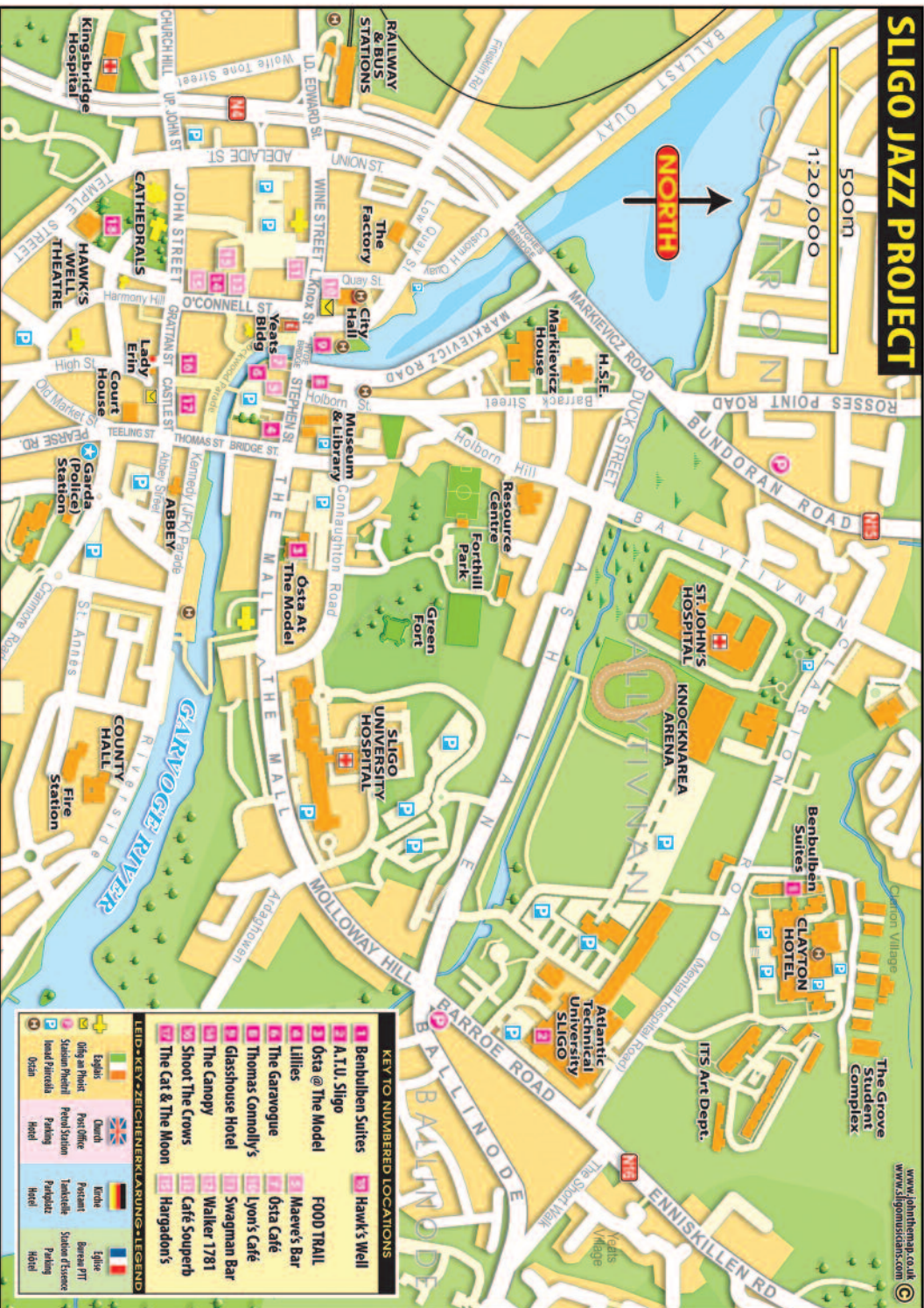
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at a glance

TUESDAY 23 JULY

4.30pm	Official Festival Launch - Kosinski Trio	Garavogue Bar	FREE
5pm	Early Jam Session	Hawk's Well Theatre Lobby	FREE
8pm	Fergus McCreadie & Friends	Hawk's Well Theatre	€25/20/€12.50 u18s
10pm	Festival Club Jam Session	Hawk's Well Theatre Lobby	FREE

WEDNESDAY 24 JULY

1pm	Eleonora Strino Trio	Hawk's Well Theatre Lobby.	FREE
4.30pm	Paul Dunlea Quintet	Garavogue Bar	FREE
6pm	Kosinski Trio	Lillies	FREE
5pm	Early Jam Session	Hawk's Well Theatre Lobby	FREE
8pm	Double Bill: Julian Siegel & Gareth Lockrane Quintet/Sun-Mi Hong Trio	Hawk's Well Theatre	€25/20/€12.50 u18s
9.30pm	Members of NoCrows and friends	Shoot the Crows	FREE
10pm	Festival Club Jam Session	Hawk's Well Theatre Lobby	FREE

THURSDAY 25 JULY

4.30pm	Halpin/Morscher Quintet	Garavogue Bar	FREE
5pm	Latin Jazz and Rumba	Ósta	FREE
5pm	Early Jam Session	Hawk's Well Theatre Lobby	FREE
8pm	Elio Villafranca's Sligo Afro-Latin & Jazz Orchestra	Hawk's Well Theatre	€25/20/€12.50 u18s
10pm	Festival Club Jam Session	Hawk's Well Theatre Lobby.	FREE

FRIDAY 26 JULY

4.30pm	Joseph Leighton/The Murray Bros	Garavogue Bar	FREE
5pm	Early Jam Session	Hawk's Well Theatre Lobby	FREE
5.30pm	Old Market Street Swing Band	Thomas Connolly	FREE
8pm	The Power of the Voice	Hawk's Well Theatre	€25/20/€12.50 u18s
10pm	Festival Club Jam Session	Hawk's Well Theatre Lobby	FREE

SATURDAY 27 JULY

11am	Rumba and Latin Jazz	Lyons Cafe	FREE
1:15pm	Sligo Academy of Music Jazz Orchestra	The Canopy	FREE
1.30pm	Double Bill: Tom Ollendorff Trio & Gareth Lockrane Sextet	Hawk's Well Theatre	€15
4.30pm	Scott Flanigan Organ Trio	Garavogue Bar	FREE
5pm	Early Jam Session	Hawk's Well Theatre Lobby	FREE
8pm	SJP All Stars	Hawk's Well Theatre	€25/20/€12.50 u18s
10pm	Festival Club Jam Session	Hawk's Well Theatre Lobby	FREE

SUNDAY 28 JULY

12noon	The SJP Big Bash	Hawk's Well Theatre	FREE
6pm	SJP Wrap Party & Final Jam	Hawk's Well Theatre	€25/20/€12.50 u18s

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