

# OCTOBER 2018 INDEPENDENT

## THE EMPIRE BAR

INDEPENDENT  
MUSIC VENUE  
/ CAFE / BAR /  
RESTAURANT  
HACKNEYS LIVE  
CULTURAL HUB

OPEN 7 DAYS A WEEK  
from 8am until 1/2am

THE EMPIRE BAR  
289 MARE STREET  
HACKNEY CENTRAL, E8 1EJ

Free entry, Free Prosecco + Private area  
for Party Bookings (15+ people)  
[theempirebarldn@gmail.com](mailto:theempirebarldn@gmail.com)

### 02 / TUE JAH BUNNY ALL STARS

8pm — 1am  
£5 otd  
Jah Bunny (crowned 'best drummer' in the first ever Black Echoes awards) leads an all star lineup of musicians to the Empire Bar + DJ Jah Wonder.

### 03 / WED JULIAN COSTELLO QUARTET

8.30pm — 1am  
Free Entry  
Julian Costello, Maciek Pysz, Michele Tacchi and Adam Teixeira never play the predictable.

### 04 / THU ROOTS, RHYTHMS, RECORDS AFTER-PARTY

8.00pm — 1am  
Free Entry  
The Sounds and stories Of African Caribbean Music in Hackney ft. GRAND UNION ORCHESTRA, OMAR PUENTE & DJ GLADDY WAX & special guests.

### 05 / FRI M-SWIFT - MOVING WITH THE CHANGES

7.00pm — 2am  
£8 adv, £12 otd  
Join us for the most sophisticated Jazzy Soul Music from Tokyo — M-Swift performs live in celebration of his new album "Moving with the Changes", featuring top UK musicians.

### 06 / SAT HIP HOP HACKNEY

8pm — 2am  
Free Entry  
Resident Hackney selectors host a night of non stop Hip hop, rnb & house.

### 07 / SUN SUNDAY JAZZ AT THE EMPIRE

8pm — midnight  
Free Entry  
Led by Hannes Reipler. A chance to see some extraordinary musicians play. The atmosphere is playful, but the calibre is outstanding.

### 08 / MON BLACK HISTORY MONTH: MASTERS OF MUSIC

5pm — 1am  
Free Entry  
Documentary film screenings and dinner at the Empire Bar. (17:30) 'What Happened to Miss Simone', (19:30) 'Mama Africa', (21:00) 'Soundtrack for a Revolution', (22:30) 'One Nation Under the Groove'.

### 09 / TUE HEAD2HEAD

8pm — 1am  
Free Entry  
Percussive Latin/Funk/Jazz with African/Dub grooves with Tim Dodd, Satin Singh, Tristan Banks, Ping Lee, Luke Rattenbury, Jimmy Martinez and Marta Riccardi.

### 10 / WED PAINT IT BLUE

8.30pm — 1am  
Free Entry  
"If there's a more complete guitarist in contemporary music than Deirdre Cartwright - I'd like to know who it is" - Dave Gelly.

### 11 / THU KOOL LONDON

8pm — 1am  
Free Entry  
The world's longest running underground station, live from London 24/7, 11 times winner of Drum & Bass Awards. Home to the leading Jungle, Drum & Bass and Hardcore DJs.

### 12 / FRI BAND JAMM SPOKEN WORD

8pm — 2am  
Free Entry  
Calling all singers, musicians, poets, spoken word artists or rappers! Share your talent in our band jamm & spoken word segments of this super show. Also ft guest artists and DJs on the night.

### 13 / SAT MANGOSEED LIVE

8pm — 2am  
£5 otd  
Mangoseed are a band comprising of a Trinidadian, a Jamaican, an Irishman and a Australian. Mangoseed fuse funk guitar riffs and rock bass with a poetical hip hop lyrical delivery to create their own unique sound + support band and guest DJs until late.

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### 16 / TUE SISTERS OF REGGAE

8pm — 1am  
Free Entry  
Enjoy the sweet sounds of Reggae music from your Sisters of Reggae selectors playing Dub, Roots, Revival Reggae, Rocksteady, Rub a Dub, Lovers Rock and more! + Outerglobe Female DJ Relay.

### 17 / WED JZ REPLACEMENT WITH JAMIE MURRAY & ZHENYA STRIGALEV

8pm — 1am  
Free Entry  
"...fascinatingly intense, winding and staccato performance — a real orchestrated duo..." - London Jazz News.

### 18 / THU MANA WAX

8pm — 1am  
Embrace the egoless energy at the Mana Wax jam session. Expect an inferno of awesome flow, rock & roll with heightened acid awareness. A free sound focused sensory experience.

### 19 & 20 / FRI & SAT JOHNNY WOO'S UN-ROYAL VARIETY - OFFICIAL AFTER-PARTY

7pm — 1am  
Free Entry  
Come party with the stars of Jonny Woo's Un-Royal Variety show!

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### 23 / TUES HOME SWEET HACKNEY

8pm — 1am  
Free Entry  
Resident DJs and live bands from the heart of Hackney.

### 24 / WED BLUES 62

8.30pm — 1am  
Free Entry  
Great jazz mainly from the 60's. Twin saxes Diane McLoughlin and Laurence Kershock, with Deirdre Cartwright guitar, Alison Rayner bass and Adam Lewis drums.

### 25 / THU HAVANA SESSIONS

8pm — 01am  
£5 otd  
Eliane Correa & Sambroso Sambroso present a night of afro-cuban music, funk, jazz and more. Featuring a star studded lineup of legendary cuban musicians and composers.

### 26 / FRI THE LONDON RAREGROOVE PARTY

8pm — 02am  
£5 guestlist - 07904666548  
Six hours of pure back-to-back Raregroove classics and unshazamable exclusive dubplate deepness with 2 Dam Funky & MC E-Mix (Wicked Pulse, Africa Centre, Slow Motion, Soul Kitchen etc) + live percussion.

### 27 / SAT THE EMPIRE STRIKES WAX + SPENT - HALLOWEEN SPECIAL

11am — 2am  
Free B4 9pm, £5 after  
'The Empire Strikes Wax' afternoon Record Fair followed by a haunting live halloween performance from Miss Havisham's Digital Clock (60's psychedelic rock) at 7pm. Our No-nonsense party crew 'Spent' treat the evening with supernatural selection Rock, Roll, Pop, Soul, Disco, Electro & Pogo!

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### 29 / MON I'LL COVER YOU

8pm — 1am  
Free Entry  
Nashville inspired concert where artists cover each other's songs. Featuring songwriters Liv Austen, Lisa Wright, Clara Bond, Kaity Rae.

### 30 / TUE EARL GATESHEAD

8pm — 1am  
Free Entry  
An integral part of sound system culture Earl Gateshead's (Trojan Sound) involvement in reggae spans over two decades. Earl went from playing reggae between punk bands in Brixton, to touring the world in-between his 20 year soho residency.

### 31 / WED BRIAN IDDENDEN QUARTET

8.30pm — 1am  
Free Entry  
Brian Iddenden has been part of the British jazz scene for more than 20 years, with his chosen instrument (saxophone) often at the centre of layered compositions. Flouncy waltz-time disappearing into explosive bebop flurries.

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