

# KASTAV BLUESFEST

5. - 10. 8. 2015.

Tribute To American Blues Legend  
Philadelphia Jerry Ricks

## 5. KOLOVOZA / 5<sup>th</sup> AUGUST

21.00h, KOSTRENA - Terasa Konobe More  
**Elizabeth Lee`s Cozmic Mojo (USA / IT)**  
**Alba & Leo (HR)**

## 6. KOLOVOZA / 6<sup>th</sup> AUGUST

21.00h, ČAVLE - Kaštel Grad Grobnik  
**Alan Messer (GB)**  
**Tony Lee King (HR)**

## 7. KOLOVOZA / 7<sup>th</sup> AUGUST

21.00h, MATULJI - Krov Sportske dvorane  
**Kaplowitz Blues Trio (HR)**  
**Darko Jurković Charlie (HR)**  
**Vedran Božić & Rock Masters (HR)**

8. KOLOVOZA / 8<sup>th</sup> AUGUST - 21.00h, KASTAV - Fortica  
**Sydney Ellis & Midnight Preachers (USA)**  
**The Sweet Waters (IT)**  
**Daniele Bazzani (IT)**

## 9. KOLOVOZA / 9<sup>th</sup> AUGUST

17.00h, KASTAV - Gradska loža  
**Michael Messer (GB) – Blues Workshop**

21.00h, VIŠKOVO - Ronjgi  
**Little George Band (GB)**  
**Blue Point (HR)**

## 10. KOLOVOZA / 10<sup>th</sup> AUGUST

DRAŽICE - Trg mlikarice  
**Crossroad Blues Band (MK)**  
**Duško Jeličić & The Blues Friends (HR)**

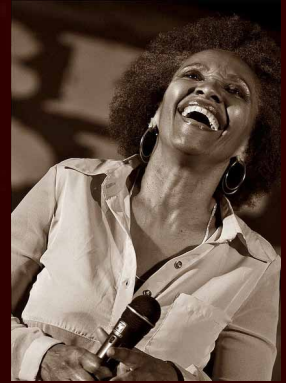


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## SYDNEY ELLIS AND HER MIDNIGHT PREACHERS (USA)

[www.sydneyellis.com](http://www.sydneyellis.com)

Zvijezda je ovogodišnjega Kastav Blues Festivala Sydney Ellis, vrhunska vokalistica suvremene *blues* i *jazz-scene*, koju hvali i publika i glazbena kritika. Njezinu kvalitetu i popularnost potvrđuje, između ostaloga, i činjenica da je u posljednja dva desetljeća održala preko 1200 koncerata u 27 zemalja.



The star of this year's Kastav Blues Festival is Sydney Ellis, a leading vocalist on the modern blues and jazz scene, acclaimed by both audiences and critics. Her quality and popularity are attested to by the fact that over the last two decades she has held more than 1,200 concerts in 27 countries.

## LITTLE GEORGE SUEREF (GB)

[www.allmusic.com/album/little-george-sueref-the-blue-stars-mw0000216440](http://www.allmusic.com/album/little-george-sueref-the-blue-stars-mw0000216440)

*Little George Band* je dvanaest godina pjevao i svirao usnu harmoniku u grupi *Big Joe Louis & His Blues Kings*, s kojom je proputovao cijeli svijet. *Blueprint Magazine* tri mu je godine zaredom dodijelio nagradu *Harp Of The Year*.

Njegov prvijenac iz 2000. godine, na kojemu gostuju legende *bluesa* Lazy Lester i Jimmy Thomas, postao je *best-seller* s objiju strana Atlantika, a ugledni *MOJO Magazine* svrstava ga u ključna izdanja ove glazbe.



Little George Sueref used to sing and play harmonica with Big Joe Louis & His Blues Kings, with whom he travelled around the world. For three years in a row, *Blueprint magazine* awarded him the Harp Of The Year prize.

His 2000 debut album, featuring blues legends Lazy Lester and Jimmy Thomas as guests, became a bestseller on both sides of the Atlantic, and the renowned *MOJO* magazine described it as one of the key achievements of this kind of music.

## THE SWEET WATERS (IT)

[www.danielebazzani.com/](http://www.danielebazzani.com/)

[www.facebook.com/pages/The-Sweet-Waters/1465138150420529](https://www.facebook.com/pages/The-Sweet-Waters/1465138150420529)

Daniele Bazzani jedan je od najcjenjenijih talijanskih *fingerstyle* gitarista. Tommy Emmanuel ga je proglasio jednim od najvećih svjetskih talenata. Bolji će poznavaoći njegova rada u njemu odmah prepoznati fascinaciju *blues*-glazbom i općenito američkom tradicijom, što će publika KBF-a najbolje doživjeti u izdanju Danieleova *blues* banda *The Sweet Waters* iz Rima.



Daniele Bazzani is one of the most respected Italian fingerstyle guitarists. Tommy Emmanuel described him as one of the biggest talents in the world. Those who are better acquainted with Daniele's work will immediately recognise his fascination with blues music and the American tradition in general. The KBF audience will have an opportunity to experience this first-hand at the concert by Daniele's blues band *The Sweet Waters* from Rome.

## DUŠKO JELIČIĆ & THE BLUES FRIENDS (CRO)

Jedna je od atrakcija ovogodišnjega izdanja Kastav Blues Festivala i *Duško Jeličić & The Blues Friends*, koji čine poznati glazbenici s područja Kvarnera. Ovom će se prilikom predstaviti u jedinstvenom izdanju svirajući klasike *bluesa*, odnosno glazbu uz koju su odrastali i koja još uvijek kola njihovim venama.



One of the attractions of this year's Kastav Blues Festival is *Duško Jeličić & The Blues Friends (CRO)*, a band made up of renowned musicians from the Kvarner area. On this occasion, they will present themselves to the audience in a special way, playing the blues classics that they grew up with and which still run in their veins.

## ALBA & LEO (CRO)

[www.facebook.com/albaleoduo](http://www.facebook.com/albaleoduo)

Alba Nacinovich je diplomirana *jazz*-pjevačica, a studirala je u Trstu (Italija) i na konzervatoriju u Portu (Portugal). U više je navrata nagrađivana kao kompozitor, aranžer i izvođač u domeni *jazz*, zabavne, elektroničke i filmske glazbe, a nastupala je po čitavoj Europi.

Leo Škec je gitarist s velikim iskustvom u različitim glazbenim žanrovima i formatima, od dua do *big banda*. Nastupao je s najvećim imenima hrvatske zabavne i *jazz*-glazbe poput Gibonnija, Olivera Dragojevića i Elvise Stanića.

Alba Nacinovich graduated in jazz singing and studied in Trieste (Italy) and at the conservatory in Porto (Portugal). She has won many awards as a composer, arranger and performer of jazz, pop, electronic and film music, and has performed all across Europe.

Leo Škec is a guitarist with experience of various musical genres and formats, from duos to big bands. He has performed with the most renowned Croatian pop and jazz musicians such as Gibonni, Oliver Dragojević and Elvis Stanić.



## ELIZABETH LEE'S COZMIC MOJO (USA / IT)

[www.cozmicmojo.com/](http://www.cozmicmojo.com/)

Visokooktanski *rock band* s dubokim korijenima u *bluesu* Elizabeth Lee's *Cozmic Mojo* redovito nastupa u SAD-u i Europi.

Pjevačica i voditeljica *banda* Teksašanka Elizabeth Lee plijeni pažnju svojom energijom i vokalom.

A high-octane rock band with deep roots in the blues, Elizabeth Lee's *Cozmic Mojo* performs regularly in the USA and Europe. The band's singer and leader, Elizabeth Lee from Texas, captivates audiences with her energy and powerful voice.





## TONY LEE KING (CRO)

[www.reverbnation.com/tonyleeking](http://www.reverbnation.com/tonyleeking)

Glasnogovornik hrvatskoga *bluesa*, kako ga je nazvao naš najbolji, nažalost pokojni, glazbeni kritičar Dražen Vrdoljak, vratio se na scenu novim *bandom* i programom. Odnedavno je pokrenuo i vlastitu izdavačku kuću *Blue Life Records*.

The spokesman of Croatian blues, as described by Croatia's late great music critic Dražen Vrdoljak, is back on stage with a new band and programme. Tony has also recently started his own label: Blue Life Records.



## CROSSROAD BLUES BAND (MAC)

[www.crossroadbluesbandmkd.webs.com/](http://www.crossroadbluesbandmkd.webs.com/)

U tekstovima pjesama *Crossroad Blues Banda* osjeća se snažna socijalna dimenzija. Govore o problemima običnih, „malih“ ljudi što, na koncu, i jest jedna od osnovnih tema *blues*-lirike.

The songs of the Crossroad Blues Band have a strong social dimension. The lyrics speak about the problems of ordinary people, which is one of the basic themes of blues music.









## DARKO JURKOVIĆ CHARLIE (CRO)

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Darko Jurković Charlie dobitnik je sedam *Nagrada Status* za najboljega hrvatskog jazz-gitarista. Dobitnik je *Porina* za najbolju instrumentalnu izvedbu (originalni aranžman za sologitaru *Cantando no toro*).

Darko Jurković jedan je od hrvatskih glazbenika koji broji najviše nastupa u inozemstvu (i po pedesetak godišnje), a osim u Europi, nastupao je u Čileu i Brazilu.

Darko Jurković Charlie has won seven *Status Awards* for best Croatian jazz guitarist. He was awarded the Porin for best instrumental performance (an original arrangement for solo guitar: *Cantando no toro*).

Darko Jurković is one of the Croatian musicians who performs a lot abroad (up to fifty times a year). Apart from Europe, he has also performed in Chile and Brazil.



## BLUE POINT (CRO)

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Grupa *Blue Point* već je deset godina poznata po svom repertoaru iz *fusion bluesa* i *jazza*. Članovi su banda, svi redom i vokali: Dudo Jakuš – gitara, Jurica Hotko – klavijature, Igor Cesar – bubnjevi i Tomislav Lacković – Laci – basgitara.

The Blue Point band has been known for 10 years for its fusion blues and jazz repertoire. Members of the band (all on vocals) are: Dudo Jakuš – guitar, Jurica Hotko – keyboards, Igor Cesar – drums and Tomislav Lacković – Laci – bass guitar.





## KAPLOWITZ BLUES TRIO (CRO)

[www.lelakaplowitz.com/html/](http://www.lelakaplowitz.com/html/)

Lela Kaplowitz je renomirana hrvatska jazz-vokalistica s zapaženom karijerom i u inozemstvu. Lela i Joe Kaplowitz će uz iskusnoga riječkog bubnjara Tončija Grabušića nastupiti na ovogodišnjem KBF-u kao *Kaplowitz Blues Trio*.

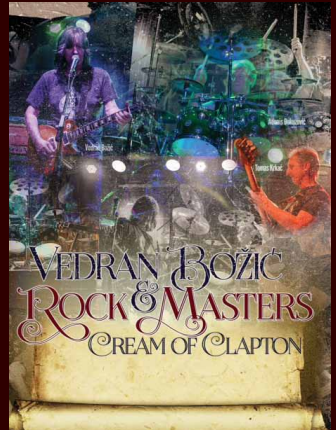
Lela Kaplowitz is a renowned jazz vocalist with a career in Croatia and abroad. At this year's Kastav Blues Festival, Lela and Joe Kaplowitz will perform together with the experienced drummer from Rijeka Tonči Grabušić as the Kaplowitz Blues Trio.



## VEDRAN BOŽIĆ & ROCK MASTERS (CRO)

Vedran Božić ulazi u red najboljih hrvatskih rock-gitarista. Pripada generaciji koja je odrasla na blues-glazbi, pa bi se i njegov izričaj mogao kategorizirati kao *blues-rock*.

Bio je član legendarnih grupa *Time*, *Parni valjak* i *Telefon Blues Band*. Imao je priliku nastupiti i s Jimijem Hendrixom. Na samu se godišnjicu smrti Jimija Hendrixa u Rijeci okupio *band Rock Masters*, u kojem, osim Božića, svira provjerena zagrebačka ritam-sekcija: Slavko Pintarić – Pišta na bubnjevima i Tomas Krkač na bas-gitari.



Vedran Božić is probably Croatia's most significant rock guitarist. He belongs to a generation that grew up on blues music, which is why his style could be described as blues-rock. He was a member of the legendary bands *Time*, *Parni Valjak* and *Telefon Blues Band*. He even performed with Jimi Hendrix. The band *Rock Masters* came together in Rijeka on the anniversary of Jimi Hendrix's death. Apart from Vedran Božić, the band consists of a renowned rhythm section from Zagreb: Slavko Pintarić-Pišta on drums and Tomas Krkač on bass guitar.

## ALAN MESSER (UK)

[www.alanmesser.com](http://www.alanmesser.com)

Dobitnik nagrade *Grammy* fotograf Alan Messer na ovogodišnjem će se Kastav Blues Festivalu predstaviti posebnim video programom. U posljednjih četrdesetak godina ne postoji značajnije ime popularne glazbe koje nije zabilježio Messerov fotoaparati; fotografirao je legende kao što su *Beatlesi*, *Rolling Stonesi*, *The Who*, *Deep Purple*, Johnny Cash, Jimi Hendrix, Bob Dylan i sl., a njegove fotografije krasi naslovnice preko 800 albuma.



At this year's Kastav Blues Festival, Grammy Award winner, photographer Alan Messer will present a special video programme. Over the last forty years, he has photographed virtually every significant name in pop music, taking photos of legends such as The Beatles, The Rolling Stones, The Who, Deep Purple, Johnny Cash, Jimi Hendrix, Bob Dylan and many more. His photographs can be found on the covers of more than 800 albums.

## Glazbenica radionica / Blues workshop:

### MICHAEL MESSER (GB)

[www.michaelmesser.co.uk/](http://www.michaelmesser.co.uk/)

Michael Messer, jedan od vodećih britanskih *slide*-gitarista, koji je uvelike doprinio da Kastav Blues Festival uopće zaživi i ostvari ovako visoke standarde.

Dvostruki je dobitnik prestižne BBC-jeve nagrade za *blues-gitarista godine*, a među njegovim su poštovateljima i velikani poput Johnnyja Casha i Louisiana Reda.



Michael Messer, one of Britain's leading slide guitarists, has made a great contribution to helping the Kastav Blues Festival become what it is today and the high standards it has achieved.

He is a two-time winner of the BBC best acoustic blues guitarist of the year award. His admirers have included renowned artists such as Johnny Cash and Louisiana Red.

## IZLOŽBE / EXHIBITIONS:

### BOŽIDAR MILINOVIĆ – Mr. JAZZ

Na ovogodišnjem će se Kastav Blues Festivalu Božidar Milinović predstaviti svojom 30. samostalnom izložbom, koja nosi naziv *Working Man Blues*.

At this year's Kastav Blues Festival, he will be presenting his work in his 30<sup>th</sup> solo exhibition, entitled *Working Man Blues*.



### EMIL KNAPIĆ AND ALEX KNAPIĆ

Izložba predstavlja emocionalnu sliku ljudi u različitim životnim situacijama. Tako se izdvajaju neke od ljudskih vrlina, kao upornost i nesaumljiv duh u nastojanju postizanja danih si ciljeva; sklonost suradnji i razumijevanje za potrebe drugih ljudi kao neophodni preduvjeti uspješne socijalizacije te dobrota i poštenje kao moguć izbor svakoga pojedinca.

This exhibition presents emotional pictures of people in different life situations. The focus is on different human virtues, such as persistence and indomitable spirit in an effort to achieve one's objectives; openness towards cooperation and understanding the needs of other people as the necessary preconditions for successful socialization; and goodness and honesty as a possible choice for every individual.



### ALAN MESSER

Profesionalni fotograf Alan Messer predstaviti će svoju izložbu fotografija ikona rocka i popa, koja uključuje svjetski poznate *The Doors*, Davida Bowieja, Johna Lennona, Jima Morrisona, Micka Jaggera, Iggyja Popa i ostale.

The professional photographer Alan Messer will present his photographs of rock and pop icons. The exhibition includes internationally famous stars like *The Doors*, David Bowie, John Lennon, Jim Morrison, Mick Jagger, Iggy Pop and many others.



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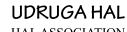
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