

Event News by Events Coordinator, Rhiannon Jones

Trinity welcomed in the year with our NYE Masked Ball featuring killer performances from new kids **Junkyard Scientists** and local giants **Carny Villains**, **Dr Meaker** and **Laid Blak**. What was great about this night was the variety, from 8-piece bands to DJ sets including **EZ Rollers**. The crowd were eccentric, energised and ready to party. The theme of the mask was entangled throughout Trinity with notable masks including space invaders, and more animals than you could squeeze onto an arc. Prizes were given out for the best efforts, courtesy of **LUSH!** by our excellent, enthusiastic compère **Jules Mysteri**. There was great vibe surrounding the whole night – we'll have to pull out even more stops to beat this one for NYE 2011!

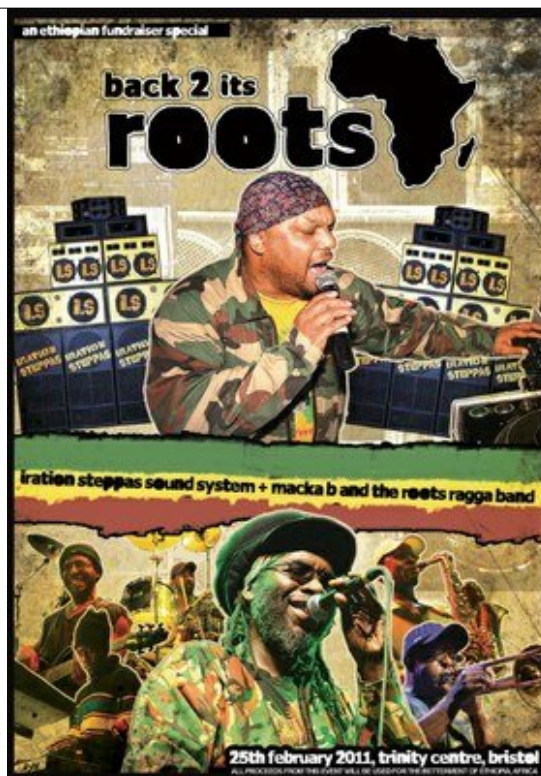
Our first gig of the year was **The Walkmen**, all the way from the Big Apple as part of their latest tour of the UK. They packed out the building, and played to a swaying crowd of satisfied revellers. The set included a mixture of mellow, almost folky sounds from their new album *Lisbon*. Songs included *Stranded* and *Juveniles* with moments of upbeat rhythms with *Angela Surf City* all of which were punctuated with the distinctive voice of front man Hamilton Leithauser. They finished with an old favourite, the awesome, roof raising, New York styled *The Rat*. Support was provided by Nashville's latest export **Mona**, who are making waves and gathering interest with their energetic stage presence and rock powered "euphoria", playing new favourites including *Listen to Your Love*. They have just been announced MTV's winner for 'Brand New 2011' – expect to see lots more of these guys in the near future.

For full reviews and details about all our upcoming 2011 gigs, visit www.3ca.org.uk

Preview: Back 2 Its Roots

Back 2 Its Roots comes to Trinity this month, with a worthwhile fundraising event in aid of Plan Lalibela and For-Ethiopia projects.

Big, bad **Irration Steppas Sound System** will be sure to bring their usual brand of positive vibrations to Trinity. Live on stage we have **Macka B** and the the Roots Ragga Band. They will be setting the scene with their reggae atmosphere, and, we're sure, won't fail to take Trinity and a full crowd back to their roots.



Upcoming Events

February

Mon 21 **Tea Dance**
2pm- 4:30pm - Price - £3 (£2 transport return)

Fri 25 **Back 2 Its Roots**
Feat Irration Steppas sound system, plus Macka B and the roots reggae band.

March

Sun 6 **Retro & Flea Market**
Back with more retro fashion, vinyl records, jewellery, china and home furnishings.

Sat 26 **Meet Your Feet**
Returns to Bristol, originally from the 80's an 8-piece all female band will be pleasing your ears with the likes of jazz, latin, funk and pop influences.

April

Sun 10 **Pigeon Detectives**
Playing at Trinity as part of there upcoming tour.

Tues 12 **Lykke Li**
Treating us with her quaint voice entangles with her minimal experimental pop sound.

Sat 23 **Pay It Forward**
Bristol artists are joining forces and hosting a week of free activities.

May

Sun 15 **Garden Party**
Join us at Trinity for another sun filled day in the garden.

Fri 20 **LOW**
Returning for a full UK tour ahead of their new album release, "C'mon", to be released April 12th 2011

Tickets: 0117 920 9008
For information about all our events, visit: www.3ca.org.uk

Weekly classes

Bristol Samba

Mondays 6pm-10:30pm
Energetic Brazilian-based drumming and dancing. 8 week block of sessions £40 /£30 concessions. Weekly drop-in cost £6/£5 concessions.

Gentle Ballroom & Salsa Dance

Monday Fortnightly 2pm-4pm
Price-£3 per session (transport 50p each way)

For more info contact:
Jacqui – 0117 9304 1725

Hype Dance

Wednesdays 6pm-9:30pm
Exciting and vibrant street dance training. Lil Hype: 5-10yrs, 6pm-7pm, Hype Juniors: 11-15yrs, 7pm-8pm, Hype Seniors: 16+ 8pm-9pm. £3.50 per session.

NEW - Burlesque Dancing

Wednesdays 7.30-8.30pm, from 3rd November

In this 6 week course you will learn all about burlesque bump and grind, showgirl poses, shimmies and shakes and that all important Burlesque attitude to the beat of pulsating, sensual jazz music! No experience necessary.

Bike Workshop

Thursdays 2pm-4pm
If you need someone to help you fix your bike or would like advice on bike related matters then come along to Trinity (Some spare parts are available, for a small charge).

Zumba

Tuesdays 7pm-8pm & Thursdays 6:15pm-7:15pm & 7:30pm-8:30pm
Easy to follow moves and Latin tunes are proving so effective and addictive people continue to come back for more even after weight loss goals have been achieved. £5 per session or 10 for £40.

Intermediate IT Class

Thursdays 4pm-6pm Fridays 10am-12pm
Drop-in IT sessions run by Bristol Refugee Rights.

For details of all our classes visit:
www.3ca.org.uk

Pay it Forward

To mark International Pay It Forward Day on 28 April 2011, a collective of Bristol based arts organisations are joining forces and hosting a week of free activities, to encourage participants to pay the good deed forward.



The expression "pay it forward" - inspiring a novel, a social movement and a film - is used to describe the concept of asking that a good turn be repaid by having it done to others instead, essentially giving forward instead of back.

Trinity Community Arts, The Love of It and Let's Do Nice Things are organising a programme of free arts and community activities. From 23-30 April, activities will include a free family indoor picnic, workshops and more.

We are also keen to facilitate activities led by local people and groups so please get in touch if you would like to run an activity of your own in this week. Other groups and businesses are invited to join in and provide their own free fun - anyone can submit what they are doing to be included in our Pay It Forward programme and promotional material.

Individuals attending events during the week will be encouraged to pay the good deed forward. If you are interested in taking part, or would like more information, visit www.3ca.org.uk

Creative Courses 2011

Trinity is pleased to announce the start of a new **Music Makers Project**, funded by Awards for All.

If you are a young person or you know someone who enjoys producing music, playing a particular instrument, MC'ing, singing, or sound engineering, this is your chance to get involved and get an in depth knowledge of the music style you love. The project will take place from January-May 2011, every Thursday 9am-1pm (19-25yrs, and 12:30pm-4:30pm (13-15yrs).



Music/ Photography & Graffiti Courses

As well as the above, we are continuing our provision for 16-18yr olds with ongoing Music, Photography and Graffiti training. Trinity is running a series of free projects for young people not in education, employment or training to broaden their experience and assist them with finding a route into further education, voluntary work, or employment. As well as the chance to be creative and learn skills in Music or Photography and Graffiti Art, students will work towards certificates in Creative Media Production, Maths, ICT and Personal Social Development, make friends and gain new experiences. Referrals accepted.

For details visit the Trinity Office or call 0117 935 1200.