



Press conference about the International Jazz Day in Latvia was held on April 15

On April 15, 2014, in Coffee Inn cafe Wise Music Society representatives held a press conference about the International Jazz Day in Latvia that will take place on April 30 for the first time in the country. More information about the program and musicians can be found on www.jazzday.lv.

The press conference featured Jazz Day Latvia organizers as well as **Indrikis Veitners**, the head of Jazz Department of Latvian Music Academy of Jāzeps Vītols and the teacher of Contemporary and Jazz Music department in Riga Dome Choir School, **Karlis Vanags**, composer, arranger and musician of many big bands and orchestras who is participating with City Jazz Big Band, and **Davis Jurka**, Latvian Radio Big Band musician, who takes part in the Jazz Day Latvia with his two bands.

During the conference Jazz Day Latvia organizers officially presented the full event schedule, pointing out two main concerts, one of which would be a “**Jazz Concert Hall**” in **Riga TV24 studio** from 19.00 to 21.00 with Add Libitum and City Jazz Big Band as well as special guests: Inga Berzina, Julia Zakirova, Ieva Kerevica, Kristine Praulina and Evilena Protektor. After that, starting from 21.00, the listeners will be welcomed in **restaurant Dārzs in Spīķeri** to listen to “**Jazz Dance**” program: Bunch of Gentlemen, Very Cool People, Pienēgu Vīns and O'Night Quartet. Tickets to the concert are already available in Biļešu serviss. According to Indrikis Veitners, Jazz Day concerts will unite all active Latvian musicians - both young and older generation.

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