

HOSTED BY JACK STEIN & FRIENDS

ROCK OYSTER FESTIVAL TO BE HOSTED BY JACK STEIN WITH HAPPY MONDAYS, LAURA MVULA AND PASSENGER HEADLINING

Rock Oyster and Jack Stein are teaming up to curate a food line-up unlike any other for the Cornish festival in 2022. The festival has also announced its music headliners with Happy Mondays, Laura Mvula, Passenger, Huey Morgan, Jade Bird and Rae Morris topping the bill next July (29th to 31st).

Rock Oyster is hosted by a different chef each year and Jack - who is chef director across the Rick Stein restaurant group - is gathering his foodie friends to come and cook up a storm at the festival next July. Expect to see famous restaurants popping up in the Chefs Tipis, demos and masterclasses from some of the UK's most talented chefs and long-table feasts by the Camel Estuary.

Next year's music line-up is off to a stellar start too with Laura Mvula and Jade Bird on Friday, Happy Mondays and Huey Morgan on Saturday and Passenger and Rae Morris on Sunday.

And this is just the tip of the iceberg according to the team at Rock Oyster who are planning for another big announcement in the new year: "This is really just a taste of things to come," said festival director Lee Bater. "We are incredibly excited to be collaborating with Jack and the team at Steins. The Stein name is synonymous with the best food in Cornwall and we know Jack will bring so much to Rock Oyster.

"I couldn't be more chuffed to be teaming up with Rock Oyster Festival," said Jack Stein.

"Together we'll bring you chef demos, masterclasses and restaurant tipis with produce from local suppliers at the heart of the action - including plenty of freshly shucked oysters, of course."

And Rock Oyster has a packed programme of events still to announce in the new year including the festival's full music and chef line-ups, an amazing array of outdoors and wellbeing activities and the family programme.

"Early Bird ticket sales are 300% up on 2021," said Lee Bater. "And after a sell out festival last summer we know it's going to be a big year for Rock Oyster. You can secure your ticket for a deposit of £25 and pay the rest later, so don't hang around"

Tickets now available from rockoysterfestival.co.uk

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Adult day tickets - £45. Adult weekend camping tickets - £119. Children under 5 go free! Teen tickets are £79 for the weekend or £30 for a day ticket. Under 12s are £35 for the weekend and £15 for a day ticket. VIP tickets and bell tent options available too. All tickets are subject to booking fee.

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Notes to editor:

Rock Oyster Festival will take place at Dinham House, St Minver from July 29th to 31st 2022

About Jack Stein

Born in Cornwall, Jack is the middle son of Rick and Jill Stein. Jack has worked as a chef at restaurants across the world, including La Régalade in Paris, before extensive travels to Australia, the Far East and Japan, via a stint in the kitchen at Tetsuya's, Sydney. Jack has been Chef Director of the Stein restaurants since 2017 and under his leadership, the business has undergone much change including the launch of Jack's own cookery course at the Rick Stein's Cookery School.

Jack is a familiar face on television, having filmed series including *Wine, Dine and Stein* (cohosted with brother Charlie), *Jack Stein: Born to Cook* on SBS and UKTV food, and *Inside the Box*. He is also the author of cookbook, *World on a Plate*, released by Bloomsbury Cooks and Absolute Press.