

Not just any old rhythm and blues band
491 news
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491 blues GIGS

491 blues play in Cambridgeshire in April:

Sunday 6th April 2008

Elme Hall Hotel

68 Elm High Road, Wisbech, Cambridgeshire, PE14 0DQ.

Start 16:00 until 18.30

£3 entry (under 14s free)

This is our first Sunday afternoon gig ever - and our first in the Elme Hall Hotel. There has been a *Rock and Blues Club* there for five years and they've had some great bands on so we are honoured to be following in their footsteps.

491 blues on the web

Full details of the band and forthcoming gigs are on our web site. The site has plenty of pictures of us playing live, some YouTube videos and live recordings of us playing our favourite blues standards: www.491blues.co.uk



You can also hear live recordings of original 491 blues numbers by going to our MySpace site:

www.myspace.com/491blues

491 blues people

491 blues Q&A: Brian



Favourite song ever?

"Beside You" by Van Morrison. We don't include it in our set because it is more of a solo acoustic number.

Favourite singer?

Muddy Waters

Favourite guitarist?

Chuck Berry

Favourite cover number in the 491 blues set?

"Got My Mojo Working"

Favourite 491 blues original?

"Throw me a lifeline"

Favourite car?

'59 Chevy

Why do you play a Fender Telecaster?

I kept on breaking strings on my Strat on stage and I bought this Telecaster as a back-up. It took over - I'm not sure if it has mojo or voodoo.

Which words or phrases do you most overuse?

"Shut up, Harry"

When were you happiest?

On stage. I just enjoy myself so much, every time.

First record you ever bought?

"Walkin' Back to Happiness", sung by Helen Shapiro. I was in love with her in 1961, she was fourteen and I was ten years younger.

491 blues is a 5-piece rhythm and blues band with a great live show.

491 live



Sunday 6th April 2008 :

Elme Hall Hotel / Wisbech

Friday 11th April 2008:

Stevenage Club & Institute

Sunday 4th May 2008:

The Red Lion / Stevenage,

Thursday 5th June 2008 :

The White Hart / Greys, Essex

Saturday 21st June 2008 :

The White Hart / Billericay

Friday 27th June 2008 :

Stevenage Club & Institute

Saturday 5th July 2008:

The White Hart / Flore, Northants

Friday 11th July 2008:

The New Inn / Buckingham

Saturday 20th September 2008 :

The White Hart / Billericay

Friday 26th September 2008:

Stevenage Club & Institute

Saturday 4th October 2008 :

The Wishing Well / Hemel

Saturday 11th October 2008:

The Beecroft Community Centre

Saturday 15th November 2008 :

The Wishing Well / Hemel

For performance times, full addresses of venues and confirmation of booking, always check www.491blues.co.uk.

These things have a nasty habit of being cancelled at short notice - although it hasn't happened to us yet.



If you want to book 491 blues for your venue or event, call Tony on 07850 792141