



Kaleidoscope Stage!

A dynamic hour of music presented by **Brian Fleming**

Remember back in the early years we had a *Kaleidoscope Stage*? This year you asked for this to be brought back. Join festival veteran and percussionist extraordinaire **Brian Fleming** as he creates a magic hour of music and music-making – featuring **Richie & Eve Buckley**, **Caitríona Sherlock** and **Jay Rankin** and a spectacular **Kaleidoscope Finale**.

Richie Buckley (saxophone)

After going down a storm in 2019 Richie returns to Sitges for the ten year celebrations! A self-taught saxophone player, Buckley has long been recognized on an international level as one of the finest jazz musicians of today. His performing credits include Van Morrison, Freddie Hubbard, Dave McKenna, Jiggs Wigham, Bob Dylan, Georgie Fame, Elvis Costello and many more. His recording credits include Van Morrison, Lisa Stansfield, Riverdance, Lord of the Dance, The Spice Girls and Elmer Bernstein. One of the longest serving members of Van Morrison's band, Buckley has also recorded and performed with most major Irish artist such as The Cranberries, Mary Black, Christy Moore, Mary Coughlan, Paul Brady, Sharon Shannon, and Bill Whelan. Richie has scored five documentary films and two feature films, including *The General* directed by John Boorman.

Richie will perform at a number of events over the weekend so don't miss the opportunity to join him along the Festival route!

Eve Buckley (singer/songwriter/guitar)

As an up-and-coming singer/songwriter Eve Buckley is equally at home singing folk, blues and jazz as she is singing her own contemporary compositions. Recently graduated from BIMM (British and Irish Modern Music) Institute, Eve has supported singers and artists such as Mary Black and Mary Coughlan over the last

few months. Eve is currently working on her début EP which will be released later this year. A new name to watch out for!

We are delighted to announce that as well as individual performances at this year's festival, the father / daughter combination of Richie and Eve will make an appearance together at one of the Festival Club Gigs.