# POLO



## <u>ILOY</u>

Yoji is a singer, songwriter and pianist from Suffolk who is inspired by artists such as Alicia Keys and Aretha Franklin. Yoji has great support from BBC Introducing in Suffolk. She has won a number of awards including Fame Music & Coffee House Sessions Stripped Back competition and Vodafone Future Breaker on The Big Top40 on Capital FM and her original song was played on National Radio. Yoji recently released a new single 'Shine' as is currently recording second EP. her

Performance dates: 26th January, 16th February, 3rd March, 30th March and 20th April 2018.



# MURDO MITCHELL

Murdo has what I had at his age – "the hunger to communicate" - Donovan. With over 5,000 Twitter & Instagram followers, Murdo has been busy adding to the ever-growing fan base with a slew of gigs. From a slot at Cottiers with up-andcoming songstress Frances, to supporting X-Factor runner up Nicky McDonald on his UK tour, Murdo has been fervently honing his live skills and performance from an early age. In between sharing stages with fellow tunesmiths - including Donovan and Glen Hansard - he bagged himself Best Scottish Acoustic Act at the Unsigned Scottish Pop Music Awards, not to mention triumphing at The Spree Festival's Danny Kyle Stage. From busking beginnings it's an exciting time for Murdo Mitchell.

Performance dates: 27<sup>th</sup> January, 17<sup>th</sup> February, 10<sup>th</sup> March, 31<sup>st</sup> March and 21<sup>st</sup> April 2018.



## ANDY JOHN

Channelling the soulful passions of his influences and life experiences, Andy John Jones works hard and fervidly to craft a solo performance that is both intimate, raw and energetic. Combining and intertwining various genres Andy John Jones is like a ghost from the past whose own brand of Jazz, Folk, Blues, Rock and Soul provide an emotive and connective experience for any audience in need of replenishment for their soul.

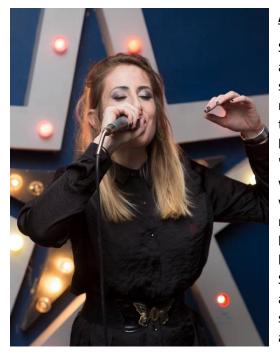
Performance dates: 20<sup>th</sup> January, 3<sup>rd</sup> February, 3<sup>rd</sup> March, 24<sup>th</sup> March 2018 and 14<sup>th</sup> April 2018.



# **ROB FALSINI**

Rob Falsini is a singer songwriter based in London and an established performer at the world-famous street performances venue Covent Garden. In September 2014, 95.7 KJR radio from Seattle uploaded on their Facebook page a live video of Rob singing Chasing Cars by Snow Patrol. The video went viral straight away and registered well over 3,000,000 views and 250,000 shares in the space of 3 months. As a result of that video, Rob got 43,000 followers on his Facebook page in 6 months and was approached by producer Stephane DeReine. They released an album called Streets Are Never Fake. From 2005 till 2008 he performed as lead singer and co-lyricist for the multi million dollar show Le Reve at Wynn Las Vegas directed by Franco Dragone and music by Benoit Jutras.

Performance dates: 12<sup>th</sup> January, 10<sup>th</sup> February, 17<sup>th</sup> March, 7<sup>th</sup> April and 28<sup>th</sup> April 2018.



#### **ALESSIA**

Singer-songwriter, pianist, composer, loop artist, poet and blogger, Alessia was born and raised in Rome and she moved to London 3 years ago. As a self-taught musician Alessia started singing very young and she had the chance to sing professionally from the very beginning. She's currently focused on her new project "Me, MyLoopStation & I". It's a "vocal only" solo project with only a microphone and loop station. It has been well received by the audience in London and her live music videos have gained popularity on the web. After her first solo album PG Major 7 was released in 2001 she had the opportunity of opening up for American "Neo Soul Poet" Ursula Rucker. She's currently running a choir at Solace Women's Aid, a charity providing lifesaving support to women and children survivors of domestic and sexual violence.

Performance dates: 13<sup>th</sup> January, 2<sup>nd</sup> February, 23<sup>rd</sup> February, 16<sup>th</sup> March, 4<sup>th</sup> April and 27<sup>th</sup> April 2018.



#### LISA GRAND

Lisa Grand is an up-and-coming singer and songwriter from North West London. She blends a classically soulful vocal with sweet melodic piano. If you enjoy the mellow vibes of Alicia Keys and Norah Jones, then you will love Lisa Grand.

Performance dates: 19<sup>th</sup> January, 9<sup>th</sup> February, 2<sup>nd</sup> March, 16<sup>th</sup> March and 13<sup>th</sup> April 2018.