

PRESS RELEASE

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MUSIC ON THE MARKET – NEWBURY MARKET PLACE

SATURDAY 23rd JULY 2011



Newbury Town Council, together with Newbury Sound has put together a programme of local musical talent for the summer at Newbury Market.

Newbury Charter Market is held each Thursday and Saturday in the Market Place and offers a wide range of produce with some new exciting stalls which have recently been added.

Our musical talent this week comes from The Jammin' Dodgers and The Mini Band. The Jammin' Dodgers are a young Berkshire based rock band aged 12 to 16 years old. Despite their young age, they have already won Newbury's battle of the bands and reached the semi finals in Britain's biggest music contest, 'Live and Unsigned'.

They write their own songs, including a single recorded with the children from Newbury Rock School. Having performed at such prestigious venues as the Portsmouth Guildhall, these are a young band to watch out for!

The Mini Band may be mini in size, but are maxi in talent! Just 8 to 10 years old, these youngsters are already a major force to be reckoned with! Having members already featured on TV and radio, plus endorsements by major music companies, prepare to be blown away by these tiny musicians who pack a mighty punch!

Come along, discover your local market and enjoy the music!

Cllr Julian Swift-Hook, Leader of the Council said, “The ‘Music on the Market’ programme is proving to be very popular with our town centre shoppers. It’s great fun and what better way of spending a Saturday than browsing the market and listening to some quality local talent.”

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