



THE BUDDY MCEARNS BAND

"Blue Roots Rock n' Roll"
"Rag-abilly"
"Funky Folkie Electric Blues"

All of the above have been used to describe The Buddy McEarns Band. Highly influenced by the musical traditions of yesteryear, Buddy McEarns creates music that is fresh, yet familiar to the listener. Buddy's original material flows smoothly with a handful of creative cover songs. Often a listener will hear an original boogie followed by a traditional folk song turned jump blues... followed by a kid's tune that's funk'd out with spicier lyrics. Buddy McEarns' often self-deprecating wit and comfortable playfulness with the audience - combined with relatable, smart, passionate songwriting - creates an atmosphere that uplifts, helping to forget any troubles for a small moment ... be it in your seat, or the dance floor.

Currently, the band has opened for national touring acts **Samantha Fish, Joe Louis Walker, Duke Robillard, Quinn Sullivan, and Tommy Castro**. They've also been billed alongside local acts such as: Wildcat O'Halloran Band, Sweet Daddy Cool Breeze, Shokazoba, Ray Mason, Eavesdrop Trio, and others. Songs of The Buddy McEarns Band have been played on 91.1 WMUA (Amherst), 90.7 WTCC (Springfield), and 93.9 WRSI (Northampton, MA / Keene, NH).

Western MA Food Bank Blues Benefit
Northampton, MA 11/21/18 By: Jimm O'D
livemusicnewsandreview.com

"Buddy McEarns' real "thang" is his quite particular style. Called "Ragabilly" by one particularly articulate observer, this guy has a real knack for creating surprising and engaging arrangements for all his material, such that his repertoire maintains an admirable consistency, whether a given number is one of his many originals, or one of his highly original arrangements of others' songs. This is a perfect example of an artist creating versions of songs, rather than 'covers' per se."

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Recent Venues & Events:

Iron Horse Music Hall – Northampton, Celebrate Ludlow - Ludlow, Luthier's Co-Op – Easthampton, Northampton Music Festival – WWII Club, Cultural Chaos Festival – Easthampton, WWLP Mass Appeal, The Rendezvous – Turner's Falls, Theodore's - Springfield, Gateway City Arts – Holyoke, Pines Theater – Northampton, Majestic Theater – W. Springfield, Mocha Maya's – Shelburne Falls, Millside Park Benefit - Easthampton, HINGE – Northampton, Western MA Food Bank Blues Benefit – Northampton, Fort Hill Brewery – Easthampton, Red Lion Inn - Stockbridge, North Quabbin Garlic & Arts Fest – Orange, Whetstone Station – Brattleboro VT, Springfield BID Downtown Summer Music Series, , Locals In The Lot Summer Music Series – Westfield, Crafts on the Common - Amherst

The NEW album

from
The Buddy McEarns Band!
The collection of new songs projects growth of the band and also in Buddy's songwriting. A bit more urgency and "oomph" is on display with this new release. This 7 song mini-LP is available online or (at the best place to get it) at our SHOWS!!

