

SPECIALISED PACKAGES

8 (1 hour) Sessions: £240 (£30 per session)

PACKAGE 1: "PERFORMANCE MENTORING"

I meet many people who enjoy song writing or indeed just noodling. Often this is a hobby enjoyed at home. However, I seem to be meeting an increasing number of home musicians who have a desire to perform live in front of an audience but the idea often terrifies them. Over this course, we will explore the reasons to what causes anxiety and fear and work through techniques to help calm the nerves. If you are a songwriter we will also look at your songs and I will offer advice on making your set the best it can be (this is true if you are playing covers to). We will explore what makes a good performance and will also look at microphone techniques.

I will provide you with hand-outs which will cover what we did in your lesson. I will also give you specific guidance on what to work on for the next lesson. If your ultimate goal is to play at an open mic, I will come and watch you and offer feedback. There will also be the option of performing with me if you've always wanted to play with another musician!

PACKAGE 2: "PICK 'N' MIX"

This package offers you the choice of learning guitar, piano, singing and songwriting techniques. You could choose to work on all four disciplines or pick a couple to work on.

I would recommend this package for someone who is interested in developing their musical skills or a beginner who simply wants to sample a number of different instruments to decide what he/she enjoys the best.

We'll start with discussing and writing down your goals and what you want to achieve over the course. The lessons will be tailored around your specific needs. Perhaps you would like to learn how to read music or simply want a better understanding of how chords and scales work. Maybe you want to learn how to play your favourite songs on guitar or increase your vocal range. Whatever it is you want to achieve we will work together on reaching your desired goals.

I will provide handouts from your lessons and offer guidance on what to work on between lessons. I am also happy to answer any questions by email or phone in-between your lessons should you need my help with anything.