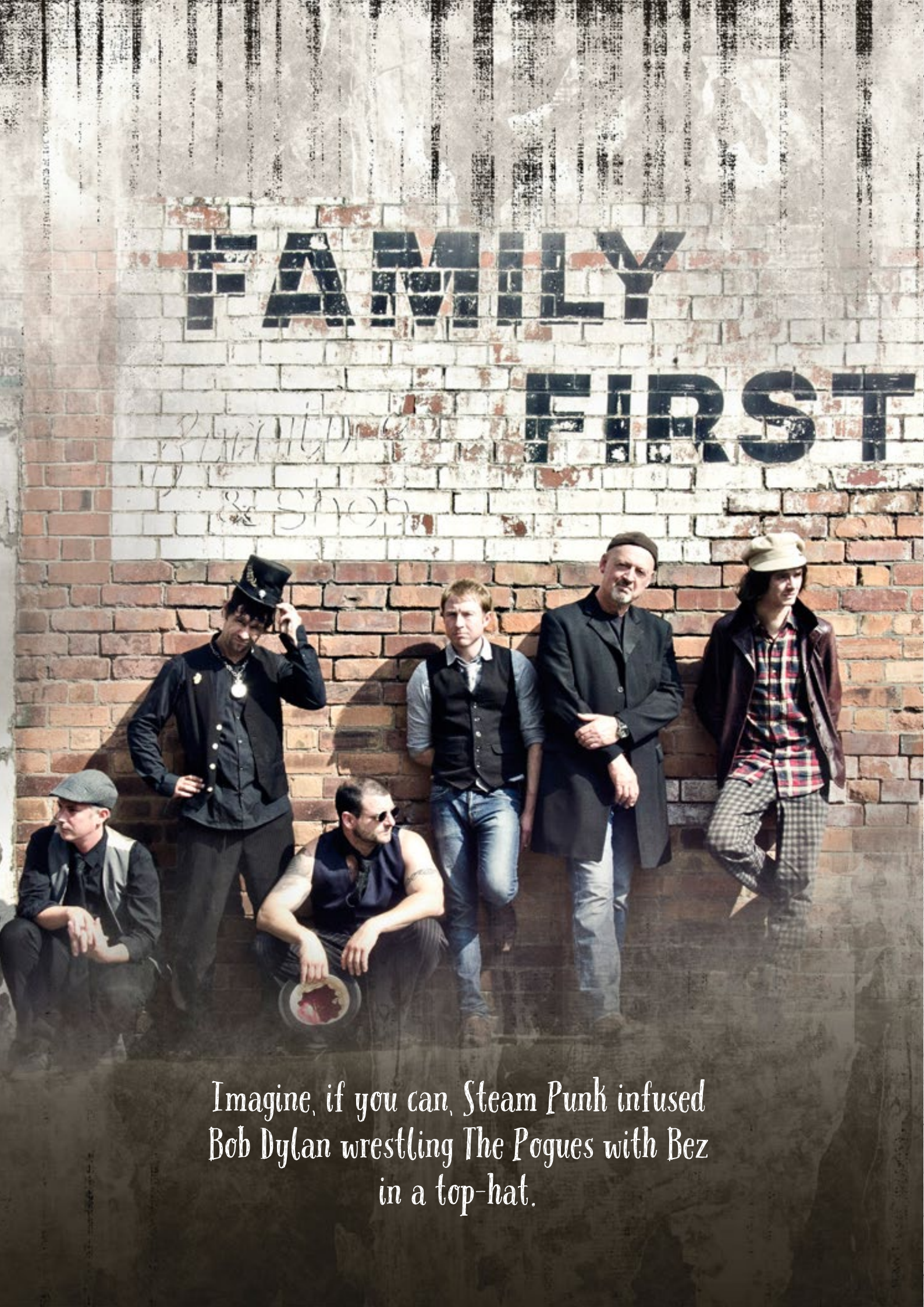


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Hartlepool based The Jar Family are five individual songwriters and musicians, who decided that, rather than strive for success in isolation, they would join forces to pool their talent and create their 'industrial folk' sound.

The Jar Family have mesmerised, entertained, thrilled and conscripted punters at more than 400 gigs including approximately 75 festival performances. Their fanbase is notoriously loud, thirsty, loyal and very large. This six piece are a superb option for festival crowds all over the UK and Europe as they have the knack of being able to win over a crowd quickly and they are extremely entertaining to watch. Imagine, if you can, Steam Punk infused Bob Dylan wrestling The Pogues with Bez in a top-hat. Intrigued?!

You should be... They are one of those rare and wonderful acts that quickly galvanises a crowd and brings a real sense of old fashioned showmanship to the stage. They are a truly exceptional live act.

Some of the festivals the lads have played as follows

Togfest
Lakefest
Scarborough Blues Fest
Blues On The Farm
We Are Family Festival
Cornucopia
Great British Folk Festival
Plumefest
Dent Music & Beer Festival
Corbridge Festival
Gylly Beach Festival
Chichester Blues Festival
Exile Festival

Click [here](#) to view the promo video for 'In The Clouds'.

In 2014 the lads recorded new material at the legendary Monnow Valley Studios with acclaimed producer Rupert Christie and they released a new album 'Family First' in September 2015.

Listen to 'Family First' by The Jar Family [here](#).

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Bluesdoodles 10* Album Review

<http://bluesdoodles.com/cd-review/cd-review-jar-family-family-rst/>

"Having heard the Jar Family live at festivals and gigs I did wonder if their energy would work contained in the static medium of recorded music. By the end of the first track there was no need to worry - they sound live as if the six band members were in the room with you."

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Vulture Hound Live Review

<http://vulturehound.co.uk/2015/05/the-jar-family-at-redcar-blues-club/>

"Have you ever seen a live act move you so much you that want to get them permanently inked on your body? No? Well maybe you should see The Jar Family."

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Crack Magazine Album Review


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The Northern Echo Festival Review

http://www.thenorthernecho.co.uk/entertainment/13775111.We_Are_Family_Festival_Hartlepool_Marina/

"...as the sun went down, festival hosts The Jar Family played on their own main stage. You could feel a mixture of anticipation, emotion and pride in the venue as they smashed through an hour of their raucous blues addled industrial folk, taken largely from their excellent new LP 'Family First'. Let's hope it's the first of many because this tops the tree of Family-friendly events."



The Jar Family on stage at
We Are Family Festival in
front of their home crowd

The Jar Family are

Max Bianco - *vocals, guitar, harmonica, percussion*
Dali - *vocals, guitar, slide guitar, percussion*
Richie Docherty - *vocals, guitar, percussion*
Chris Hooks - *vocals, lead guitar*
Keith Wilkinson - *bass, vocals*
Kez 'jubjub' Edwards - *drums*

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The Jar Family have got so big in the North East they also host their own festival 'We Are Family'.

The festival celebrates and showcases some of the best talent in the North East, whilst regenerating cultural and economic interest in the region. The concept was derived, curated and produced by the band and their management team. The event in September 2015 featured exciting performances by some of the greatest musicians from the area, over 15 artists in total.

It was hosted at Jacksons Landing, a council owned 5,000 capacity venue at Hartlepool Marina which has been disused for over a decade. Working alongside regional organisations including Camerons Brewery, Tees Music Alliance, Gentoo, and Metro TFM radio The Jar Family delivered a vibrant and innovative festival to the people of the North East and galvanised the area with an accessible music event of distinction.

Looking forward to 2016 the band seek as many UK festival performances as possible.

The accolades keep on coming and the army keeps on growing.

Social Media Stats

Band database 4,500
Facebook 17,000
Twitter 3,400

Promo Highlights

Stockton Fireworks Display to 80k people

Headlining the BBC's 'Hadrian's Wall of Sound' Event

Hosting their own 5k capacity We Are Family Festival

Four page feature in Living North magazine

Sunday Brunch TV performance

National and Regional radio support

Inclusion in 'Flying Vinyl' Issue 4

The Jar Family

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Link to the band discussing We Are
Family [here](#)

Link to highlight of band activity in
the last year [here](#)

Please email [here](#) for a full press kit