

# Wild at heart - medieval music with a modern twist



**NOT TO BE MISSED:** La Zag, featuring Franco Ferrarese (Renaissance bagpipe, 12 string guitar, lute, Elfriede Ferrarese (hurdy-gurdy, Renaissance recorder), Anna Florina (ethnic percussion, Renaissance recorder), Anna Viola (violin) and Luca (electric bass), play The Bell, Bath, on Monday, October 29

La Zag, a five-piece band who have revitalised the songs and dance tunes of the Italian Renaissance, visit Bath on Monday, October 29. There folk and contemporary style is performed using traditional and electric instruments that include hurdy-gurdy, fiddle, crumhorn, recorders, bagpipes, accordion, guitar and lute. Some of the tunes may be 400 years old yet the band produces a sound that reverberates with life and modernity.

Franco and Elfriede Ferrarese studied at the Mozarteum/Salzburg, Austria, where they developed a passion for historical culture and early music.

This fire was fuelled from experiences across Europe before moving to Merano in Northern Italy.

With the contributions of their musical daughters (Anna Florina and Anna Viola) and future son-in-law (Luca Agostini), La Zag have blossomed into a household name in Italy.

This eight date tour, promises to see the band captivate their audience - musically and visually - with music that is not just played with heart but also comes from the heart and will undoubtedly warm the heart.

**LA ZAG**

- **WHAT IS IT?:** whether it is in a castle, a theatre or a beer garden La Zag serve up a feast of medieval and Renaissance music which is a not to be missed treat.
- **WHO SHOULD GO?:** those who enjoy mediaeval and early European music or folk roots will be fascinated
- **WHEN:** Monday, October 29, 9pm
- **WHERE:** The Bell, Walcot St, Bath,
- **TICKETS:** free
- **FURTHER INFO:** telephone 01225 460426



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