



Tortilla Flat, named after the John Steinbeck novel, is a 3-piece punk rock group and was founded in Langenthal, Switzerland in 1991. Having been friends since school days, the same three members have stayed and played together ever since the beginning. They write and perform mostly simple, short, straight, melodic punk rock songs, often influenced by Irish, Scottish, English and American folk music. Up to the end of 2015, the band has played well over 300 gigs in Switzerland, Germany, Austria and the Czech Republic. At

selected gigs they are often joined by bagpipers (The Independent Pipers) in the last couple of

years.

Tortilla Flat has also started to perform acoustic gigs that deliver a blend of acoustic versions of their own songs, Irish folk classics as well as cover versions of vintage punk and rock favourites. At acoustic gigs, they are sometimes accompanied by The Independent Pipers and their long-time friend and supporter Spider McEwan as well as other guest musicians.



Highlights:

Supportact at Gigs from The Real McKenzies, Fiddlers Green, Jamie Clark's Perfect, Paddy Murphy, Celtica, Chixdiggt, RAMS/The Bucks, The Vad Vuc, The Rumjacks, Sir Reg, and also on the main stage of the Albani Fest, at Montreux Jazz Festival (Music in the Park), the Honky Tonk Festival in Luzern and many other stages from clubs and festivals such as: Aarburg, Moonwalker, Musigburg Basel, Hirscheneck Fehraltorf, Highland Games Frauenfeld, KAFF Freiburg i. B. (D), Walfisch Hinwil/St. Margrethen, Pirates Huttwil, Improvisorium Solothurn, Kofmehl Konstanz (D), Contrast Kriegstätten, Pisoni Keller Lausanne, The Great Escape Pub Lenzburg, Baronesa Luzern, Schüür, tschuppi's wonderbar Neftenbach, Chräen-Openair Niederried, Moonrock Oberentfelden, Böröm Pöm Pöm Pratteln, Z7 Sursee, Kulturwerk 118

Zua. Chollerhalle

Zürich, Polyball, Dynamo

Line up:

electric:

Guitar/Voc.: Chris Bass/Harp: Ritchie Drums: Lexu

accoustic:

acc.Guitar/Voc.: Chris Mandoline/Bass: Ritchie

acc.Guitar: Lexu

The Independent Pipers (TIP)

Bagpipe: Peter Laird of Lochaber Bagpipe: Rob Highlander

Bagpipe: Tom MacFly

Guest:

Flute/Percussion: Mr. Spider MacEwan

Links:

Homepage: www.tortillaflat.ch

Facebook:

https://www.facebook.com/pages/ Tortilla-Flat/262442220486868

Discographie



The Great Escape CD, release 24.05,2013



CD. release 12.1.2008

DIRTY OLD TOWN CD Single, released 23.7. 2004

AS USUAL CD, released 18.9.1999



A TRAINLOAD FULL OF STOUT



CD. released 18.3.200

ALL HAIL THE W 7" Vinyl Single, released 28.3.2002

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