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**Friday 18 March 2011
at Chequer Mead, East Grinstead**

Sandi Thom

Originally regarded as part of the 'nu folk' scene, Sandi Thom has since been compared to artists as diverse as Janis Joplin, Joni Mitchell and KT Tunstall. In 2006, she had an incredible early rise to fame from her renowned Tooting basement to a debut hit single with 'I Wish I Was a Punk Rocker' and a platinum-selling album 'Smile... It Confuses People' that topped the charts in 7 countries.

After spending the last four years touring the globe with her incredible live band and working with blues legend Joe Bonamassa, Spring 2011 sees Sandi performing at some of the UK's more intimate venues, including a return to Chequer Mead, which she last played in 2007.

Her set will include tracks from her new album 'Merchants & Thieves', which this year topped the UK iTunes Blues Chart and reached number 5 in the equivalent US Chart. The album showcases a new sound from Sandi Thom, bringing to light her increasingly-evident passion for the blues.

**SANDI THOM
SPRING TOUR 2011**



Tickets are £15 (£12.50 concessions) Box Office 01342 302000.

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Quotes - what others say:

"If you like great music played by great musicians, then go see Sandi Thom and the band, as they're one of the best live acts around at the moment." **BlastRadio**

"It's clear that everyone in the room was blown away, a true testament to Sandi's will as an artist, and that she is in fact one of British music's greatest assets." **GIGAPE**

What is Acoustic Sussex?

Acoustic Sussex is a non-profit making organisation that puts on live 'folk, roots and acoustic' events in the mid-Sussex area. Any profit we make over the year is used for charitable purposes.