



**SHAM  
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**FESTIVAL 2011  
25-28 AUGUST**

With 5 weeks to go until the doors of Shambala are flung open, we are madly beaver away adding the finishing touches to what is set to be August's most perfect weekend.

## Stop Press - Music News

The program is now fully confirmed but, as you know, we keep most of it under wraps until you arrive, but here are a few little secrets we just had to share...

The brilliant Ghostpoet, who has just been nominated for a Mercury Music Prize for Best Album will be wooing you on the Chai Wallah's stage. His inspiring vocal dexterity riding bass heavy beats has won over Gilles Peterson among many others.

Another act we advise you not to miss is The Hidden Orchestra (one of four Orchestras performing at Shambala this year) who have been wowing crowds and winning fans worldwide with their organic blend of deep smokey jazz, heavy beats and a great live show featuring two live drummers.

[Click here to get more orchestral information](#)



## The Devil's Advocate

Can you sell sand to an Arab? Or, can you charm the pants off your employees like Bill Clinton? If the answer is yes - then we need you and 3 of your most argumentative mates.

We are proud to present our new daily debate where we will pit the best brains of the Shambala community against each other in lively controversial banter.

The best thing about the whole concept is that we are hosting it in the Wonky Cock - our beloved real ale bar. All chosen teams get free booze during the debates! So grab a comfy chair, a pint or 3 and let the words commence.

[Click here to enter your team](#)



## Next Generation Takeover

New for this year, The Shambala Teen Tent will be run by Remix – Bristol's Youth Music Action Zone. Run by professional tutors who cater for all musical genres in an inspired environment.

All budding young talent can develop their skills in song writing, production, singing, MCing, DJing, instruments, arrangement, performance and much, much more!

We are also offering young musicians the chance to play in the REMIX tent on the New Generation Takeover line up. If you want to enter your band, but other members of your band are not attending the festival, DON'T panic, Shambala will give away up to 3 teen tickets for your band to be able to play.

[Click Here to Enter Your Band](#)



## Move Over Carl Cox

"Reduce, Reuse, Recycle and then..... have a disco party!" So say's Tip of the Pops, brainchild behind the world's only eco disco! A solar powered wheelbarrow disco where, amazingly, all of the equipment and music has been reclaimed from Household Recycling Centres.

But, this experimental discotheque is as far from rubbish as MC Hammer is to the Beatles. Hosted by dump-master [DJ Dynamo](#) spinning classic 7" vinyl and six decades of dance.

He'll be performing various impromptu sets around site over the weekend so make sure you catch him.



## Calling All

Ever thought Shambala was a bit mellow? Well, prepare to be blown away by the heaviest power chords known to man - DJ Darcus and his air-guitar-tastic-devil-horn-fists-in-the-air-time-to-ROCK DJ Set will raise the roof!

Featuring the epic Air Guitar Competition, Head-bang Heats, Mosh-pit Mayhem, Spandex Spasms, Denim Dick Bulges, Leather Love Handles, Hair ....and refreshments (orange squash) .....Eat your heart out Ozzy!

[Click here for more info on the strangely brilliant goings on in the Social Club at Shambala.](#)



## Tickets On Course To Sell Out!

We are on course for another sell out year so get your skates on!

[Book your tickets here](#)