

Press Quotes - The Queen's Cartoonists

"As I watched The Queen's Cartoonists slip and slide through decades of cartoon music in a matter of minutes, with the animations projected on a large screen behind them, I followed a captivated crowd of young and old consciously connect what they were watching with what they were hearing. The pleasure of the perfect synchrony of sound and pictures was instantly recognizable."

- Mashable

"The Queen's Cartoonists can make a jazz lover out of anyone."

-The San Diego Union Tribune

"The Queen's Cartoonists are somehow able to locate oodles of fresh humor and energy and grandeur in tunes you've heard countless times from modest TV speakers."

-BroadwayWorld

"A visual and aural treat."

- Los Angeles Times

"Who needs another Broadway show when you can hire a jazz combo playing music from Bugs Bunny cartoons?"

- The Wall Street Journal

"If you watch - and only watch - cartoons, you're missing something!"

- The Chicago Tribune

"Enthusiastic renditions so infectious that they brought instant smiles on the faces of the listeners. I was in such rapture listening to them that I had tears of joy."

- Queens Law Review

"Bringing a fresh, yet vintage, sound to the ears of audiences through the city."

- The Queens Courier

"By taking jazz and classical music and applying it to animated pieces, the Queen's Cartoonists seamlessly married their goofy sense of humor with musical prowess."

- The Triad City Beat

"They are an incredible band with very tight precision... Whether you are 15 or 85, they are playing music from cartoons that we all remember growing up watching."

- Tillamook County, Pioneer

"The result is an interactive, multi-generational concert that, at most, may convert young people into jazz fans and, at least, will keep them engaged for a night."

- San Diego Union-Tribune

Audience Reviews - Edinburgh Fringe 2022

“Brilliant show... Amazing & entertaining live music with a charismatic lead. I loved the contemporary cartoons and the way the music lifted & created the atmosphere. I’m certain this will be a sell out!”

“This was such an enjoyable, energetic, and uplifting show. The band are really talented, and the music synchronized with the cartoons perfectly. It’s a must for fans of Wallace and Gromit / Aardman Animation as they have collaborated on quite a few excerpts, but even if you just like the sound of cartoons accompanied by live music then I would definitely recommend checking this show out.”

“Saw this show with my husband and two children. We all loved it. The musicians are incredibly talented against a brilliant backdrop of wonderfully varied cartoons. A really different type of show which was really excellent. 5 stars!”

“Fabulous! Great music and great fun! So unusual, I’m really pleased I chose this show.”

“Wonderfully talented musicians, providing good and varied entertainment for all ages, including original material, and showing how essential music is to cartoons.”

“A superb, fun show for both kids and adults alike! You get the best of both worlds—seeing one hilarious cartoons and hearing some first-class jazz to accompany some classic favorites.”

“Amazing jazz musicians accompanying wonderful, well-loved (and some unexpected) cartoons. Watch out for the guy playing trumpet with his mouth and recorder through his nose at the same time, and the bass player frantically playing more notes than I’ve ever seen a bass play before! I love it when the band are obviously having so much fun. The challenge for the audience is do you watch the cartoons or watch the musicians?”