



**CLASSICALLY-TRAINED SINGER/PIANIST OLIVIA
CHANEY PERFORMS AT CLUB PASSIM ON
SATURDAY, JULY 28TH**

Chaney Touring In Support of Recent Release, "Shelter"

Cambridge, MA - July 9, 2018 - Critically acclaimed British singer/pianist Olivia Chaney will perform at 8PM on Saturday, July 28th at Club Passim. Chaney, who just released her third album "Shelter" (Nonesuch) in June, has received widespread accolades for her self-titled, self-released debut EP and her first Nonesuch effort, "The Longest River."

A graduate of England's Royal Academy of Music, she taught herself both guitar and Indian harmonium following graduation. This harkening back to the inspiration of the British folk revivalists has earned her an eclectic collection of collaborators including Robert Plant, the Kronos Quartet and the Decemberists. "The Longest River" was noted in a number of 'Best Of 2015' lists, (Uncut, Mojo, PopMatters, Chicago Reader and more).

For "Shelter" Chaney took a new approach to the album process, decamping from her home in London for a remote family holiday location in the English countryside. She recalled the rustic location that led up to her partnership on the project with producer, Thomas Bartlett.

"A crumbling eighteenth-century cottage in the austere but magical hills of the North Yorkshire Moors—a family retreat since my teens, with no electricity or plumbing, where the only water comes from a spring—became the home for my work on 'Shelter'," she continues. "We brought out an Arts and Crafts Bechstein piano and an old wood burner to the house; and as summer's end turned to autumn's shorter, colder days, the room with the upright and stove fueled my stay."

Chaney is also an accomplished actress who has graced the stage of Shakespeare's Globe Theatre in Matthew Dunster's acclaimed production of "Troilus and Cressida", and Lucy Bailey and Django Bates' production of "Timon of Athens."



Tickets for Olivia Chaney at Club Passim are \$18 (\$16 for members) and are available at www.clubpassim.org, by calling 617-492-7679 (9:30 AM - 5:00 PM, Monday - Friday) or at the Club Passim box office sixty minutes before the show begins. Club Passim is located in Harvard Square at 47 Palmer St., Cambridge, MA 02138.

About Passim

Passim, a nonprofit arts organization, creates an inspiring and interactive music experience for all, building a vibrant community for artists, students and audience members through its legendary listening venue and school of music. Established in Harvard Square as the Club 47 in 1958 and incorporated as a nonprofit in 1994, Passim has been a cornerstone of the arts community in New England, fostering both performers and audiences alike.

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