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<p>SATURDAY 4TH MAY</p> <p><b>HELIX</b> ARCADIA'S HOUSE &amp; TECHNO HEARTBEAT</p> <p><b>JAMIE JONES</b> SPECIAL CLOSING SET</p> <p>HOT SINCE 82 MAYA JANE COLES PAN-POT VERY SPECIAL GUEST: SASHA</p> <p>A-Z</p> <p>ALAN FITZPATRICK DAVE CLARKE DENSE &amp; PIKA LA FLEUR MELE WILLIAM DJOKO</p> <p>PLUS MANY MORE</p>	<p>SUNDAY 5TH MAY</p> <p>PRESENTS <b>RADIUM UKF10</b> ARCADIA'S BASS IGNITION</p> <p><b>DJ EZ</b> SPECIAL CLOSING SET</p> <p>SUB FOCUS DJ SET &amp; ID DIMENSION FLAVA D LADY LESHURR VERY SPECIAL GUEST: LETHAL BIZZLE</p> <p>A-Z</p> <p>CIRCUITS ED RUSH &amp; OPTICAL FABIO &amp; GROOVERIDER NOTION B2B BUSHBABY THE PROTOTYPES TODDLA T B2B CHIMPO</p> <p>PLUS MANY MORE</p>
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**In a nutshell**

A bar, restaurant and live music venue with the south London jazz scene in the palm of its hand.

**Where is it?**

Deptford, positioned rather inconspicuously down an alleyway and under two railway arches. Follow the fairy lights and saxxy sounds.

**What's the vibe?**

This is an independently run hub for informed jazz lads and lasses, and those curious about south London's musical exports. Twinkly lights and a contemporary pine and white-tile interior set off the venue, decor-wise. The bar and restaurant is the perfect place to while away the evening on a date or with pals, and next door the arts and music space is minimally decorated with space to dance. It's most famous, though, for its diverse music policy – look forward to hearing jazz, hip hop plus roots and culture.

**What makes it a great venue?**

It's a cultural incubator that has been home to influential jazz collective Steam Down, the BBZ club night celebrating queer and non-binary women of colour, and a slew of incredible artists

and photographers. It's also one of the best places to take in the incredible sounds of young jazz musicians on the ascent.

**What's the booze situation?**

The clue's in the name... When Jamaica claimed independence from the British in 1962, Alexander Bustamante was the first president. Thus all the drinks and food hark to Jamaica: enjoy a rum-focused cocktail list and plenty of Red Stripe.

**What's coming up there soon?**

Every Wednesday the tunnel is set ablaze with the free jazz improv night, Champion Sounds, where incredible young jazz musicians and fans come together for a four-hour jamathon. These nights actively break the fourth wall, encouraging audience participation; if you're moving and grooving you're part of the performance. Get down there early to secure a good dancing spot.

**Tell me one random thing about Buster Mantis?**

It's a favourite of local Reggie Yates, who rates the fish fritters and Friday night fun times. ■  
*Hayley Joyes*  
→ Buster Mantis, 3-4 Resolution Way, Deptford rail.