

Bywater Call



What They Are Saying:

"One of My Favorite Bands... Meghan Parnell does a Hell of a Job... Put them in your playlist... embrace it...get the name out there" - **Joe Bonamassa, SiriusXM Different Shades of Blue**

"Bywater Call knocked it out of the park ... A highly impressive showing from a seriously impressive band." - **Fabrications HQ**

"Best concert of the day, maybe of the month, and perhaps even of the year. A veritable juggernaut, impeccably crafted and presented ..." – **El Independiente de Granada**

"This seven-piece powerhouse outfit proves with this astonishing display of joy, energy and camaraderie that they are without a doubt one of the most exciting bands of the moment." – **Bluestown Music**

"There's enough here to convince any roots music lover that if Bywater Call is playing anywhere nearby, that's the place to be." - **Rock and Blues Muse**

"Bywater Call are one of the few current bands who strike that nerve with some of the most heart-lifting and utterly exciting music I've heard in ages..." - **Music News**

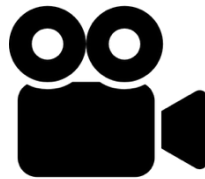
"This band is heading for much bigger stages..." - **Paul Long, Blues Matters**

"A living, breathing testament to what happens when a band catches fire, led by a vocalist who doesn't just perform but preaches the blues. Bywater Call isn't following the tradition, they're pushing it forward one electrical show at a time" – **Blues Matters**



'Bywater Call' out of Toronto, Canada, is a new, exuberant musical hybrid of Rock, Blues, New Orleans Funk, R&B and Southern Soul

Promotional Material:



Social Media:





Current Highlights:

- Single **"Only"** Release Date: January 9, 2026
- Performing at **The Folk Alliance International Conference** – January 2026
- Raffleing Off a Gibson Les Paul in Partnership with **Gibson Gives** and Beehive Love
- Recording **Ocean Way Nashville Studios** with **Kevin Shirley** (**Led Zeppelin, Aerosmith, Journey, The Black Crowes, Joe Bonamassa**, and more) - March 2026
- Performing at **Joe Bonamassa's Keeping the Blues Alive at Sea 2026** – March 2026
- US Tour: March – April 2026
- European Tour: May – June 2026
- Performing at **Ribs and Blues Festival** – May 2026 – Average attendance 10,000 +
- New Studio Album Release – July 2026
- Performing at **God Save the Kouign Festival** – June 2026. Average attendance 12,000+

Past Highlights:

- Performed at **Zwarte Cross Festival 2025** - over 240,000 in attendance.
- Performed at **BOSPOP 2025** - over 50,000 in attendance.
- Recent European Tour Averaged 250+ Per Night
- **Top Blues Album of the Year** – Classic Rock Magazine, UK
- Nominated "Entertainer of the Year" – Maple Blues Awards, Canada
- Nominated "Electric Act of the Year" – Maple Blues Awards, Canada
- Nominated "Best Female Vocalist" – Maple Blues Awards, Canada
- Nominated International Act of the Year ('24 and '25) – UK Blues Awards
- 2025 – 130 Shows Played in 10 Countries
- 2024 – 140 Shows Played in 10 Countries



About:

Often transcending genres, Bywater Call is known for their dynamic, emotional live shows, featuring powerful vocals and exciting interplay between all band members. A powerhouse seven-piece Southern soul, roots rock outfit from Toronto, Canada; the band is comprised of Meghan Parnell (vocals), Dave Barnes (guitar), Bruce McCarthy (drums), Mike Meusel (bass), newest member, Andrew Moljgun (keys), Stephen Dyte (trumpet) and Julian Nalli (tenor sax).

Bywater Call is steadily building a reputation as one of the best up-and-coming bands in the market today. Their live performances paired with an ever-growing catalog of recorded music, is establishing their fanbase globally. With praises from other artists, media, and music fans alike, Bywater Call is quickly becoming a fan favorite.

Recently, Bywater Call played their second Joe Bonamassa "Keeping the Blues Alive" (KTBA) cruise, featuring headliners Big Head Todd and the Monsters and Larkin Poe. In 2025, they played the Netherland's **BOSPOP** festival alongside the likes of the **Black Keys, Warren Haynes Band, Marcus King and Blackberry Smoke**, and others.

Bywater Call's music is an exploration of life's highs and lows. From intimate ballads that lay bare the complexities of human emotion to electrifying anthems that demand to be played at full volume, their catalogue is a journey through human experience, featuring influences from the likes of **The Band, The Wood Brothers, Tedeschi Trucks Band, Otis Redding, Little Feat, Sly and the Family Stone**, and many more.

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