Millennium Jazz Orchestra met Claron McFadden & Manu van Kersbergen: de drinkbare rivier

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When	Fri, 18. December 2026, 20:30 h
Category	Live Music in Rotterdam



Description

Millennium Jazz Orchestra brings De drinkbare rivier to LantarenVenster: a theatrical music project about the relationship between people and water. Inspired by Li An Phoa’s book Drinkbare Rivieren, the performance follows a turbulent journey of a river meeting humankind, from source to sea.

The project combines orchestral jazz, classical music, hip-hop, spoken word, songs and visuals. Composer, arranger and bandleader Joan Reinders creates the musical world, while Marieke Meischke contributes the libretto and spoken-word texts. Award-winning nature filmmakers Arthur de Bruin and Dick Harrewijn provide the visuals.

Soprano Claron McFadden appears as De Rivier, while spoken-word artist Manu van Kersbergen represents De Mens. Together with the Millennium Jazz Orchestra, they explore nature, conflict, ignorance, harmony, pollution, beauty, hope and reconciliation.

Expect a concert that feels more like a staged musical journey than a standard jazz evening. Big band, big themes, big water energy. □□

Details
Event: Millennium Jazz Orchestra met Claron McFadden & Manu van Kersbergen: De drinkbare rivier
Date: Friday 18 December
Start: 20:30
Location: LantarenVenster, Rotterdam
Tickets: €25, including €3 service costs
Seating: Seated concert, free seating
Music: Jazz, classical, hip-hop, spoken word and theatrical music

Main line-up
Claron McFadden, soprano, De Rivier
Manu van Kersbergen, spoken word, De Mens
Millennium Jazz Orchestra
Joan Reinders, compositions, arrangements and musical direction
Marieke Meischke, libretto and spoken-word texts
Arthur de Bruin and Dick Harrewijn, visuals

Venue - LantarenVenster

Location	LantarenVenster
Street	Otto Reuchlinweg 996
Postcode	3072 MD
City	Rotterdam
Website	https://lantarenvenster.nl

Description

LantarenVenster, located at Otto Reuchlinweg 996, is one of Rotterdam's premier venues for music and film. The cultural hub offers an intimate setting for experiencing live performances across genres.