

Sing!

A Vocals & Harmonica Workshop

1h:15m

Vanessa Thomas – Vocals

Louise Meggs – Guitar

Richard Taylor – Harmonica

Stuart McKay – Harmonica

Objectives

To overcome fears and inhibitions of singing To expand harmonica players' musical ability To learn self-accompaniment and soloing To acquire repertoire ideas for performance

Songs

Mockingbird (*Bo Diddley*)
Song Key **E** / Harmonica Key **A**

Bright Lights Big City (Jimmy Reed)
Song Key G / Harmonica Key G or C

Programme

Vocal Introduction and Warm Ups - 20 Minutes
Bright Lights – 25 Minutes
Mockingbird – 25minuts
Playback– 10 minutes
Plenary – 5 minutes



Mockingbird (E)

Intro – Rhythm track / Clave 3:2 pattern
Vocals - melody and lyrics call and response
Harp riff 1 / Harp riff 2
Combine vocals & harps in two groups
Rhythm and melody options for harp solos

Bright Lights Big City (G)

Intro – Demo by presenters

Vocals - melody and lyrics call and response

Vocals - harmony and lyrics call and response

Harp chug for I IV V chord progression (C Harp)

Combine vocals & harps in *three* groups

Harp solo options – 2nd and 1st position

Playback

Both pieces

Plenary

Lyric and tab downloads on website