

## Jah Lex press kit.

The Jamaica Gleaner, 11-11-2014  
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- Jah Lex produces debut album with live instruments.

**Reggae artiste Jah Lex recently released his first official reggae album called Shine Yuh Light. The album is currently available online on all digital stores such as Spotify, iTunes, CD Baby, and Amazon.**

According to the artiste, the album comprises 13 songs and is a good representation of authentic reggae music. All rhythms featured on the album were created using live instruments.

"People should support this album because it is as authentic as reggae music should be. Nowadays, reggae artistes mostly use computer rhythms, but for this album, all the music is real and live. This album is roots and culture, and me and my team are taking it (music) back to where it is supposed to be, real roots-rock reggae," Jah Lex said.

The album's distribution is currently limited to online stores. However, the artiste disclosed that plans are in place to release a tangible version of the album in spring 2015.

Produced by Rising Sun Records, **Shine Yuh Light** features a collaboration with iconic reggae-dancehall artiste Capleton, as well as reggae artiste Selaska. That effort is called **Bobo Man Chant**, which already has a music video in rotation in European and African markets.

### Uplifting music

"As a rasta, I try to uplift people through my music. Everybody has a light inside them and something positive to offer to the world. So that is why I decided to call the album **Shine Yuh Light**, because I want persons to know that they can conquer all obstacles," he said.

Jah Lex also produces his own reggae festival in Canada called Mystic Mountain Reggae Bash. The festival was hosted last summer, and the artiste says the product is growing from strength to strength. "I just returned from a tour of Europe, as well as my festival in Canada, which was very nice. I am always getting emails from fans who say that my songs make them feel good about themselves and that I help them cope with certain troubles. To me, that is better than fame and money. It's really a great feeling," the artiste said.

To keep up with some of the singles on the album, music lovers can also visit **Jahlexmusic.com**.

- Curtis Campbell, *Jamaica Gleaner* (Nov 11, 2014)

<http://jamaica-gleaner.com/gleaner/20141111/ent/ent4.html>  
<http://jamaica-star.com/thestar/20141111/ent/ent8.html>

The Jamica Gleaner, 28/02/2014

-Jah Lex aims for int'l market

Reggae artiste Jah Lex is aiming for an international breakthrough. He is intent on releasing new videos and CD in the coming weeks. "I and I plan fi tek my musicinternational to spread Jah messages and my joy to the whole world. I also want help couple up and coming artistes fi reach overseas ang a buss pon de international scene," he said. Jah Lex has done some notable collaborations. He has so far done tracks with Capleton, Lucan and Selaska, and Kleva Roots. The artiste has also recorded material for Jamhill Records.

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Jah Lex (left) and Lee 'Scratch' Perry.

## The Irish Miror

- We're Jammin': Reggae stars to turn on Trenchtown at Electric Picnic

Line up revealed as Jamaican themed village descends on Stradbally for sixth year running It's reggae time as Electric Picnic's Trenchtown stage announces the line-up for its Jamaican flavoured feast in the forest.

Six years on, the Jamaican village is as popular as ever at the Stradbally festival with more music, food, dance and performance on offer this time around.

Solo Banton tops the bill and is joined by Capitol 1212 and Jah Lex. Cian Finn leads the Irish reggae contingent...

By Claire Healy

<http://www.irishmirror.ie/whats-on/were-jammin-reggae-stars-turn-3762313>

Accès Laurentide, 13-08-2014

-Ca Groove en Août au Parc Georges Filion! Ya man!

- “...Ce n'est pas tout! Après le Blues, le Reggae s'empare du parc qui se transformera en plage jamaïcaine avec tout ce qui vient avec: sable, palmiers et palapas, mais aussi drinks, mets typiques - poulet Jerk et riz à la jamaïcaine - offerts par le Chef-propriétaire de Cuisine Spontanée, Fabrice Coutanceau. Ya Man! Deux spectacles de Reggae authentique par soir auront lieu avec des musiciens d'ici qui ont la musique dans le sang: Jah Lex et Jah Cutta, et des artistes de la Jamaïque atterriss à Saint-Sauveur pour l'occasion: Angele Smith et Hawkeye. Saint-Sauveur est hot et groovy en août!... Et septembre ne donnera pas sa place non plus, dépaysement garanti! Ne partez pas en vacances... les vacances viennent à vous!”

- Martine Laval, *Accès Laurentide* (Aug 13, 2014)

<http://www.journalacces.ca/Culture/2014---08---13/article---3832188/Saint---Sauveur%3A---Ca---groove---en---aout---au---Parc---Georges---Filion!---Ya---man!/1>

Le Journal des pays d'en haut. 30/07/2014

“...Week-end jamaïcain les 23 et 24 août Cette édition vous réserve plusieurs nouveautés telles qu'une plage, un bar avec les spécialités de l'île, palmiers, exposants et palapas. Deux spectacles par soir permettront de voir des musiciens d'ici, soit Jah Lex et Jah Cutta et des artistes de la Jamaïque : Angele Smith et Hawkeye. « Ils ont tous le reggae dans le sang », confirmait Pierre Urquhart, président de la Chambre de commerce...”

- Guislain Héron, *le journal des pays d'en haut* (Jul 30, 2014)

<http://www.lejournaldespaysdenhautlavallee.ca/2014/07/30/quatre---evenements---hauts---en---couleurs>

Journal La Vallée, Août 2014

Rendez-vous en Jamaïque cette fin de semaine

En conférence de presse, Jah Lex, chanteur et collaborateur au Week-end Jamaïcain, a promis deux belles journées de festivités.

Plage de sables, bar avec spécialités de l'île, palmiers, exposants, palapas et bien sûr des musiciens aux rythmes sensuels vous attendent pour cette 2e édition du Week-end Jamaïcain. Deux spectacles par soir seront présentés. Le premier amènera sur la scène Jah Lex et Jah Cutta, musiciens de chez nous et le deuxième vous permettra de découvrir des artistes de la Jamaïque de passage à St Sauveur spécialement pour l'occasion: Angele Smith et Hawkeye...

Ghislaine Héron