



CHANGO MONKS

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"We started as a psychedelic rock band, but then we don't know what the **** happened. High energy, heavy breakdowns, dreamy leads, good ol' guitar solos, and a very present frontman. We're based in Gland, and come from Canada, Sweden and Geneva."

Two Peverils from Canada, two Kjellqvists from Sweden, and Clément from Geneva. Most of us had known each other for the best part of ten years before the band happened in 2018. Classic rock, heavy metal and psychedelic funk, depending on the song and sometimes inside the same song.

We write and record at the Chango Temple, our studio in Gland, and we put the records out ourselves. Four so far. We take the fun seriously and not much else.

Live: five of us, our own painted backdrop, and a set that goes from heavy riffs to long psychedelic jams and back again. We can do a tight festival slot or a whole evening.

THE FACTS

ACTIVE SINCE	2017
BASED	Gland, Vaud, Switzerland
LINE-UP	5: voice, two guitars, bass, drums
GENRE	Classic rock · heavy metal · psychedelic funk
LABEL	Chango Temple (self-run)
LATEST	Hang On, album, 16 June 2025
SET LENGTH	45-minute slot up to a full evening
BOOKING	changomonksband@gmail.com
MANAGEMENT	Gavin Lancaster

WHERE WE'VE PLAYED

- Fête de la Musique, Lausanne and Yverdon-les-Bains · 2025
- Montreux Trail Festival, Clarens, main stage · 2023
- Zelig, UNIL Lausanne · 2023 · Grand Vennes, Lausanne · 2023
- Structure, Vernier · Riders Lounge, Yverdon · Swiss Parkour Finals, Payerne
- Lovatens open air · 2020, 2021 (recorded as Live in Lovatens)
- La Bille, La Sarraz · Esprit Frappeur, Lutry



THE FIVE OF US · PRESS PHOTO



BARBEROUSSE, LAUSANNE
2025



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LISTEN AND WATCH

Site changomonks.com

Spotify

open.spotify.com/artist/4rD51gmnR5Ac5NRI94sf8H

YouTube youtube.com/@changomonks8794

Instagram [@changomonks](https://instagram.com/changomonks)

Live at Zelig (full set) youtu.be/m95G0ALqKPk

Cement Brain (video) youtu.be/x1UXHprPnBA

RECORDS · ALL ON CHANGO TEMPLE

Hang On (2025)

Album · 9 tracks · 32 min

Rise of the Temple (2023)

EP · 4 tracks

Live in Lovatens (2021)

Live album · 14 tracks · 2 h 22

Tribal Ruins (2020)

Album · 6 tracks · 33 min

Influences, in no particular order: Psychedelic Porn Crumpets, Turnstile, AC/DC, Dire Straits, Led Zeppelin, Kasabian, Pink Floyd, Chase & Status. Yes, really.

STAGE PLAN AND BACKLINE

We travel with our own backline. The venue provides PA, desk and cabling. Full stage plan PDF on request.

WHAT THE BAND BRINGS

GUITARS	Laboga Beast 30 combo · U66 head · Marshall 2061X head · Marshall 4×12 and 2×12 cabs, both need miking
BASS	EBS TD6 head with DI out · EBS 4×10 cab (no mic needed)
DRUMS	Full kit: snare, three toms, kick, hi-hat, crash, ride, stack. Mics on everything, kick, snare and overheads at minimum.
VOCALS	We bring our own vocal mic
MONITORING	Mix out for 2× in-ear · 3× wedges

WHAT THE VENUE PROVIDES

- PA system
- Mixing desk
- Mic cabling
- Mics for the guitar cabinets

Channel list: bass DI · kick (Beta 52A) · snare and hi-hat (SM57) · toms and overheads · SM57 + E906 on each guitar cab.



CLÉMENT BARRAL · GUITAR



DANIEL PEVERIL · DRUMS



DENNIS KJELLQVIST · GUITAR



JESSE PEVERIL · VOICE



MATS KJELLQVIST · BASS

NEED THE FILES?

Press shots at full resolution, the logo on a transparent background, all four sleeves at 3000px, the stage plan and the bio in English and French. Email and we'll send the lot.

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Booking and press