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TRIPTYKON and ONE TAIL ONE HEAD at the INFERNO FESTIVAL 2012!

From Celtic Frost ashes, **TRIPTYKON** and **ONE TAIL ONE HEAD (OTOH)** of the new Norwegian black metal scene will play this year's black Easter celebration! They join the **INFERNO 2012** line up with **BORKANAGAR, ARCTURUS, TSJUDER, AGALLOCH, ANAAL NATHRAKH, SOLSTAFIR, ABSU, WITCHERY, CHURCH OF MISERY, EINHERJER** and **VESEN**.

THE INFERNO METAL FESTIVAL has become a true black Easter tradition for metal fans, bands and music industry from all over the world with nearly 50 concerts every year since the start back in 2001. The festival offers exclusive concerts in unique surroundings with some of the best extreme metal bands and experimental artists in the world, from the new and underground to the legendary giants. At **INFERNO** you meet up with fellow metalheads for four days of head banging, party, black-metal sightseeing and expos, horror films, art exhibitions and all the unholy treats your dark heart desires.

THE INFERNO METAL FESTIVAL invites you all to the annual black Easter gathering of metal, gore and extreme in Oslo, Norway from April 4. -7.april 2012. - Four days and a hell of a lot of bands!

TRIPTYKON:

As Celtic Frost had once arisen from Hellhammer's ashes, so arises Triptykon from Celtic Frost's ashes. Created to further evolve the darkness invoked by its immediate precursors, seminal black/-extreme metal pioneers Hellhammer and Celtic Frost, Triptykon evolved from a Celtic Frost side project initiated by Tom Gabriel Fischer (a.k.a. Tom Gabriel Warrior), the group's singer, guitarist, and main songwriter. Fischer commented: "Triptykon will sound as close to Celtic Frost as is humanly possible.

The band released its debut album *Eparistera Daimones* in spring 2010. Both music and lyrics so far disclosed by Triptykon reveal a group immersed in themes such as history, occultism, human disintegration, religious fanaticism and nihilism. Extensive touring followed, and the bands live repertoire is evenly divided between Triptykon's own music and classic Celtic Frost material. We can't wait! <http://triptykon.net/>

ONE TAIL ONE HEAD (OTOH)

The most fertile breeding ground for Norwegian Black Metal has for some time now been situated in Nidaros, and One Tail, One Head is probably the most promising act out of this scene. Consisting of members from highly respected bands like Mare and Celestial Bloodshed One Tail, One Head have two acclaimed demos to their name, and have recently released two EPs on norwegian cult label Terratur Possessions.

One Tail, One Head treads it's own path, though carrying the torch of esoteric tradition detecting elements from many different sources of sound, despite the simplicity of the music, believing in the power to create and manifest visions by their own premises. All in the name of death itself and the journey towards the endless light. One Tail, One Head has been spreading it's violence and intensity across Europe and have gained notoriety through their intense live rituals combining atmosphere, pure energy and aggression. The future of norwegian black metal? No, this is the end. Tornekrans og svovel! <http://onetailonehead.wordpress.com/>

INFERNO METAL FESTIVAL 2011

Inferno is an international extreme metal festival which is arranged during the Easter, 4.-7.April in Oslo, Norway. 45 concerts are being held at the venues Rockefeller og John Dee with club concerts in the following venues Blå, Rock In, Unholy, Victoria and Revolver.

TICKETS:

Tickets are sold at Billettservice/www.billettservice.no Phone: + 47 815 33 133

Club night 35€, Day pass 70€, Festival pass 180€

www.infernofestival.net / www.facebook.com/InfernoMetalFestival

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Press /Photo/Logos/ Web-banners: <http://www.infernofestival.net/festival/press.aspx>



Quick Facts - Inferno Metal Festival

Norways largest Metal festival ; Held every year during Easter

4 days – 50 bands

Two main stages: Rockefeller and John Dee

Clubs: Rock In, Unholy, Blå, Victoria and Revolver

1500 tickets sold every day.

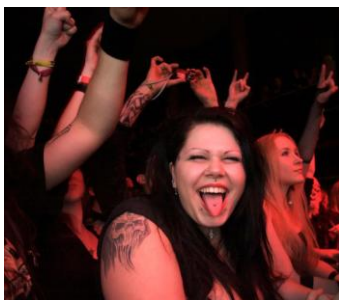
Previous headliners

Emperor, Dimmu Borgir, Mayhem, Immortal, Gorgoroth, Satyricon, Destruction, Morbid Angel, Dissection, Candemass, Opeth, Cathedral, Paradise Lost, Bolt Thrower, Sodom, Enslaved, Paradise Lost, Suffocation, and Children of Bodom.



Strong international appeal

In 2010 over 30 % of our audience came from abroad. In addition to metal fans from all over Europe, and from more distant countries as the US, Argentina, Japan, India and Australia use their Easter holiday to visit Inferno.



Strong international media coverage

Usually around 150 accredited media from all over the world; Metal Hammer (Germany, Spain & UK), Terrorizer, Rock Hard and Sweden Rock.

Strong international music business attendance

In the daytime we have the Inferno Music Conference with; panels, keynote speakers, speed meeting sessions etc.



Activities during Inferno

- Own festival hotel- exclusively for Inferno, filled with activities for both audience and media.
- Black Metal Bus Sightseeings.
- Stands, INFERNO film, art exhibition, tattoo etc.

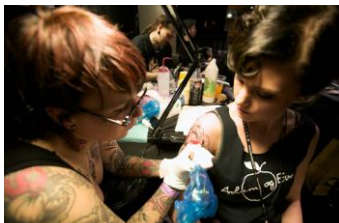


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