

Kid Jensen Back on Air at Brooklands Radio!

Tune in to Brooklands Radio for an amazing six show series of Cool Connections -- starring the inimitable radio presenter David 'Kid' Jensen, as he chats and shares music with the show's regular presenter Roger McCormick. It's something you won't want to miss – a double bill from two DJs that lived through and now bring you the best music ever produced!

Starting Sunday Sept. 24 at 1 pm, and following on for the next five Sundays at the same time, this Cool Connections series features stories from Jensen's life and times in radio, with accompanying music from almost every genre -- rock, jazz, pop, soul, blues and much else – from the 1960s to the present day.

Jensen and McCormick, who have been neighbours for years and both live locally in Esher, reveal that the series for Brooklands Radio, 'the Sound of Surrey', was suggested by mutual friends.

"I interview David, very informal," said McCormick about the format. "We both talk about the music. Most of it his choice, but we like the same things anyway!"

One of the biggest presenters for the last 50 years, Jensen started in the world of music at such a young age (18 years) that he quickly got the name 'Kid'. The name stuck and was widely used by 1969, and by the 1970s he was a huge name in radio and television, thanks to prime slots at Radio Luxembourg, then Radio 1 and finally, presenting Top of the Pops.

Jensen's longest stint on radio was at Capital FM in the 1980s, when he officially dropped the moniker 'Kid', though it continued in use informally to this day. During his career Jensen met and/or interviewed many great stars, including the Beatles, the Rolling Stones, Van Morrison, Neil Young, Duran Duran, Amy Winehouse, Jimmy Page and Graham Nash. Jensen also championed unknown acts that went on to big success such as The Police and Frankie Goes to Hollywood. He also struck up a famous partnership with John Peel and wrote a pop column for the Daily Mirror.

Besides Cool Connections, McCormick presents The Blues Hour on Brooklands Radio on Fridays at 11. Past broadcasts of Cool Connections and The Blues Hour can be found on the Mixcloud website.

A former City lawyer and visiting professor at the London School of Economics, the ever-busy McCormick now also runs the CCP Research Foundation, an organisation that supports independent and evidence-based research in the areas of culture, conduct and people, tackling key issues such as ethics-led governance and public trust in the way organisations are run.

For more information on Cool Connections and all the great broadcasts on Brooklands Radio, go to www.brooklandsradio.co.uk, or download the free app on iPhone or Android and have a listen!