

Brisbane Jazz Club

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March Program
2010

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TUESDAY 2 MARCH

Jazz Singers Jam Night – [Vocal Jazz]

Open 6.30pm Music 7pm – 10pm \$10/ \$8 BJC + JQ Members. Gourmet Pizza available to order.

Join in the fun and jazz spirit of our popular **Jazz Singers Jam Night**. Come and hear great singers from around town and beyond tell their stories. For enquiries about the event or to book a place at future Jam nights please email event organizer Ingrid James at ingridjames@optusnet.com.au

FRIDAY 5 MARCH

Gemma Farrell Quintet [Instrumental Standards / Latin / Swing]

Open 6.30pm – 11pm Band 7.30pm – 10pm Members \$15 Non – Members \$20

Originally from Perth, Saxophonist **Gemma Farrell** came to Brisbane in 2008 to complete her advanced studies in Jazz Saxophone at The Brisbane Conservatorium. Tonight Gemma leads a line up of Brisbane's finest in her debut gig as a leader since her graduation including **Greg Carger – Trumpet**, **Joe O'Connor – Piano**, **Jeremy O'Connor – Double Bass** and **Lyle Denman – Drums**. She will perform compositions by Wayne Shorter, Thelonious Monk, Charlie Hunter, Sam Jones and Gerry Mulligan. Come and share Gemma's passionate sounds before she heads to Europe to complete her Masters in Music.

SATURDAY 6 MARCH

Sarah Collyer Quintet [Vocal Jazz / Standards / Originals]

Open 6.30pm – 11pm Band 7.30pm – 10pm Members \$15 Non – Members \$20

Join us here for another sensational performance by one of Brisbane's hottest young talents, **Sarah Collyer** and her band as she mesmerizes you with her sweet sounds, wonderful stories and a night you will be talking about for months to come. Book early to secure your table for this one.

SUNDAY 7 MARCH

'Conversations' – Volume One – CD Launch [Vocal Jazz]

Members \$20 Non – Members \$25 including a free CD with every ticket. Open 5.30pm Band 6pm – 9pm

Featuring 10 of the finest voices Brisbane has to offer, 'Conversations' is the concept of piano and voice weaving the threads of two stories to become one in an honest and open performance. Sharing the stage for this Brisbane Jazz Club exclusive are: **Raphael Lindquist**, **Elly Hoyt**, **Amy Michaels**, **Bec Laughton**, **Jacob Ballard**, **Alvina Salemanesa**, **Danielle Manche**, **Zac Bradford**, **Lara Boyle** and **Jim Grey**.
www.conversationscd.com www.myspace.com/conversationscd

FRIDAY 12 MARCH

The Marialy Pacheco Trio [Cuban Jazz / Latin Jazz]

Open 6.30pm – 11pm Band 7.30pm – 10pm Members \$15 Non – Members \$20

Marialy grew up in a musical family in Havana, Cuba. She studied and excelled in classical piano from the age of 7. It was not until the age of 20 that she experimented with jazz for the first time entering and winning first prize in the 2000 Jo Jazz competition which was presided over by the AfroCuban / Latin musical genius, Chucho Valdes. This was the genesis of what would become her trademark style: blending AfroCuban music with Jazz.

Marialy has performed to sell out crowds all over the world and we are lucky to share in her talents here at the Brisbane Jazz Club. Taking to the stage with Marialy are the **Marchisella Brothers – Joe – Drums** and **Pat – Double Bass**, who have both recently returned from tours of Europe.

SATURDAY 13 MARCH

The David Bentley Quartet – [New Orleans Groove / Vocal Jazz / Blues / Standards]

Open 6.30pm – 11pm Band 7.30pm – 10pm Members \$15 Non – Members \$20

Local New Orleans Jazz and Blues man – **David Bentley** will have the BJC swinging to his solid grooves and soulful voice. David will take you on a journey 'down south' to where Jazz and Blues were born. David will share the stage with some of Brisbane's hippest musicians for another special gig right here at your home of Jazz, The Brisbane Jazz Club.

SUNDAY 14 MARCH

The Brisbane Big Band – Love the Sound! [Big Band for Dancing]

Open 5.30pm Band 6pm – 9pm Members \$15 Non – Members \$20.

This month **Brad Esbensen** will lead the band in playing all that swinging music that keeps the dance floor well polished and provide the backing for not one, but two special guests. We welcome a return visit from personality anchor man **Stuart Fisher**, who will share the stage and the songs with our very own diva **Melissa Western**. Diners and dancers should not miss these two great artistes, two voices and one great show.



TUESDAY 16 MARCH

Jazz Singers Jam Night – [Vocal jazz]

Open 6.30pm Music 7pm – 10pm \$10/ \$8 BJC + JQ Members. Gourmet Pizza available to order.

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FRIDAY 19 MARCH

The Mark Ginsburg Quartet (Sydney) – The Generations Project Tour [Improvised Jazz / New Jazz / Ancient Modes and Modern Themes] Open 6.30pm – 11pm Band 7.30pm – 10pm Members \$15 Non – Members \$20

Following the critically acclaimed release of his evocative 'Generations' album, **Mark Ginsburg** takes his highly talented band on the road for a unique musical experience. At times haunting, yet melodic and beautiful, the group strikes a skilful balance of moments of intensity and tranquillity. 'Generations' explores Mark's musical roots and heritage, combining ancient modes and modern themes. Mark's research work, as part of a Masters of Music degree at the Sydney Conservatorium, examines the linkage between Jewish Cantorial singing and improvisation. **Mark Ginsburg – Saxes, Greg Coffin – Piano, Karl Duncliff – Bass and Tim Firth – Drums.**

SATURDAY 20 MARCH

Stuart Fisher and Nick Hollamby sing the Hits you love to hear.... [Vocal Jazz / Standards]

Open 6.30pm – 11pm Band 7.30pm – 10pm Members \$15 Non – Members \$20

Two of the finest and swinging gentleman this town has produced – **Stuart Fisher and Nick Hollamby**, will pack out The Brisbane Jazz Club with their two man 'Tribute to Frank and Beyond Show'. Featuring **Rich Seymour – Drums, Andrew Shaw – Double Bass, and John Reeves – Piano** this will be one swinging night of all your popular swing tunes and a few surprises.

SUNDAY 21 MARCH

The Calibre Cats [Neo – Swing, Big Band for Dancing]

Open 5.30pm Band 6pm – 9pm Members \$15 Non – Members \$20

Back by popular demand, **Bridget Burnell** and the **Calibre Cats** are ready once again to swing your socks off with another cool show this Sunday night at the Brisbane Jazz Club.



TUESDAY MARCH 23 ** BOOK NOW! **

Lulo Reinhardt and Band [Gypsy Jazz / Manouche / Latin]

Open 6.30pm – 10pm Band 7.30pm – 10pm All tickets \$42.00

The Legend of Gypsy Jazz – **Lulo Reinhardt** returns to the Brisbane Jazz Club for another amazing performance with his band of world class musicians. Last time Lulo enchanted us with his musical fantasies and exciting stage show - he sold out in a matter of hours.

BOOK EARLY to secure your seat as this is Lulo's only Brisbane Show.



FRIDAY 26 MARCH

The Lauren Lucille Quartet [Vocal Jazz / Standards]

Open 6.30pm – 11pm Band 7.30pm – 10pm Members \$15 Non – Members \$20

Local singing sensation, **Lauren Lucille** and her fabulous band will bring a fresh and vibrant show to the Brisbane Jazz club this Friday. Lauren has been performing all over the country and is keen to get back to the Brisbane Jazz Club to tell her musical stories about her adventures and misadventures. Don't miss this one! www.laurenlucille.com

SATURDAY 27 MARCH

Henry Manetta and the Trip (Melbourne) [Vocal Jazz / Night Club Jazz / Swinging Jazz]

Open 6.30pm – 11pm Band 7.30pm – 10pm Members \$15 Non – Members \$20

Henry Manetta and the Trip bring the soul jazz funk continuum to the luscious ambience of the Brisbane Jazz Club. Featuring original songs from their latest album 'Sexjazz' and some beautiful re workings of unexpected classics, plus new tunes from the Manetta/ Rudegear compositional groove jungle. **Henry Manetta – Vocals, Adam Rudegear – Piano, Adam Spiegl – Bass and Sam Hall – Drums.**

"Highly innovative, even confronting... captivating listening, this is worth checking out over and over..." *Leon Gettler, The Green Guide.*

"Supercool, overtly clever and executed with considerable panache.. Manetta is carving out his own niches with the help of song writing partner Adam Rudegear [Piano], by throwing R@B sassiness in amid the slippery grooves and harmonies. Bass and drums flesh out the songs, which keep Manetta's crooning, swooping, growling, scattin and generally zany voice and lyrics centre stage" *John Shand – Sydney Morning Herald.*

SUNDAY 28 MARCH

Jazz Breakfast with The View from Madeleine's Couch [Latin / Standards / World Grooves]

Open 8.15am Band 8.45am – 11.30am Members \$12 Non – Members \$15 – Show only

Great breakfast available with our wonderful new caterers. There are many lovely things to do on a Sunday morning and one of them is breakfast at the Brisbane Jazz Club whilst listening to the aurally delicious sounds of bossa nova, samba and Brazilian inspired originals from Madeleine's Couch. **Anje, Kym and OJ** in an intimate trio mode. They will ease you into Sunday with their beautiful music and stories from Brazil.

SUNDAY 28 MARCH

Tina Harrod and Band 'Underneath your Spell Tour' (Sydney) [Vocal Jazz / Standards / Originals]

Open 5.30pm Band 6pm – 9pm Members \$20 Non – Members \$25

Tina Harrod, like many great artists, continues to push musical boundaries and blaze a path of her own. Tina sings about love, loss and pain like no other. Songs from her two best selling albums 'Worksongs' and 'Temporary People' will be featured in a concert like no other you have seen and felt before, as Tina explores life's vicissitudes, delights and fulfilments through her incredible strength and vulnerability. **Hamish Stuart – Drums, Jonothan Zwartz – Bass and Matt McMahon** complete this amazing act. www.myspace.com/tinaharrod www.youtube.com/watch?v=jeKx7x10Krw

"Not even Billie Holiday can cast a shadow here" *Michael Dwyer – The Age.*

"Harrods voice is an instrument in its own right" *Noel Mengel The Courier Mail.*

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