

SATURDAY JANUARY 28

**Seventh Avenue**

[ standards / vocal jazz / jazz pop ]

Open 6.30pm – 11pm

Band 7.30pm – 10pm

Members \$20 Non-members \$25.

Seventh Avenue invites you on a musical journey exploring the evolution of jazz and modern music. The velvety vocals of Nick Hollamby, 2 smooth-as-silk horns and a smoking hot rhythm section will transport you through the ages of Sinatra, Bennett and Fitzgerald continuing with modern day icons such as Harry Connick Jr, Michael Buble and even Katy Perry! Under the direction of saxophonist Ryan Livings, Seventh Avenue will surprise you with its edgy and swinging interpretations of unexpected modern hits, leaving you gasping for more. [www.sessionsmusic.com](http://www.sessionsmusic.com)



SUNDAY JANUARY 29 – BRUNCH

**The Andy Jenner Trio " Soul Repair "**

[ standards / originals / blues ]

Open 9.30am Band 9.45am – 12.30pm

Admission \$17 (does not include brunch)

Superb buffet brunch and coffee available

Andy Jenner is one of Australia's finest 'reed men'. He has shared the stage with Acker Bilk, Dis Dsley, Bob and Len Barnard, Graeme and Roger Bell, John Sangster, Eric Holroyd, Tom Baker, Jiri Kripac, John Gill, Hans Karssemeyer, Chris Taperell, Ian Date, George Washingmachine and has supported Stephane Grappelli, Kenny Ball and the Dutch College Swing Band. Andy will be performing with his son Rupert – guitar and Matt Eaves – double bass.

"In addition to his authoritative reed playing, Jenner's main contribution to Jazz in Brisbane lies in his having founded its two most important traditional – orientated groups – The Vintage Jazz and Blues Society and The Caxton Street Band." The Oxford Companion to Australian Jazz, 1986, Bruce Johnson.

Now this is the only way to bring on your Jazzy Sunday.....



JAZZ BRUNCH

SUNDAY JANUARY 29

**Miss Mandy Swings**

[ Big Band style standards / showtunes ]

Open 5.30pm Band 6pm – 9pm

Members \$20 Non-members \$25.

Bring your dancing shoes and get ready to take to the dance floor as Miss Mandy Swings and her hot 6-piece live band perform some of the world's most popular jazz and Big Band standards. Musical Director / saxophonist – Jon Woodend is one of Australia's most sort after arrangers and brings new life to these timeless tunes with his intricate and professional arrangements that will have the Brisbane Jazz Club singing and swinging.

[www.youtube.com/watch?v=eEttWImNZI](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eEttWImNZI)  
[www.missmandy swings.com](http://www.missmandy swings.com)



Swinging into... February at the **BJC**

Jazz Singers Jam Night  
Out of Abington and Paris Dreaming  
Dave Galea Band  
Swing Central Big Band  
Sam O'Brien Quartet  
Jim Kelly with Laura Nobel  
Brisbane Big Band

John Reeves Quintet  
Matt Baker  
Gerard Mapstone  
Caxton Street Jazz Band and  
Peter Walters Trio  
plus many more great Live Jazz acts at your home of LIVE JAZZ and good times, the Brisbane Jazz Club.

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**WIN Cool Prizes at the Brisbane Jazz Club during our Summer Promotion!**

Simply enter your name and email address on the box below, and bring it with you when you visit the BJC. Prizes drawn Sunday 4th March, 2012.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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Your email address will be added to our database to receive our weekly gig guide.

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January 2012 gig guide

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- :: Fully licensed bar
- :: Meals
- :: Fully air-conditioned
- :: Onsite car-parking
- :: Friendly atmosphere
- :: Bookings - online via our website



On the river at 1 Annie St Kangaroo Point (next to the Holman Street ferry)

Phone 07 3391 2006 :: Bookings [www.brisbanejazzclub.com.au](http://www.brisbanejazzclub.com.au)

## THURSDAY JANUARY 5

### Jazz Singers Jam Night [ vocal jazz ]

Open 6.30pm Music 7pm – 10pm

\$12 / \$10 BJC + J Q members

Join in the fun and spirit of our popular Jazz Singers Jam Night featuring **Rohan Somasakeran – piano, Phil Jack – double bass, and Rich Seymour – drums**, as they share the stage with **Lauren Istvanditij, Cathie Wilson, Natalie Rose, Sophie Catsoulis, Shoshanna Berry-Porter, Pamila Stevenson, Dana Musil, Jessica Spina, Lyn Briggs, Roslyn Wight, Jazz vocal group 'If'**, and many more wonderful jazz vocalists. This line-up is subject to change. **Stu Fisher** will MC the show. For more information regarding performing at the Jazz Singers Jam Nights please contact [ingridjames@optusnet.com.au](mailto:ingridjames@optusnet.com.au). This event is produced by Ingrid James and presented by the Brisbane Jazz Club and Jazz Queensland.



## FRIDAY JANUARY 6

### Transit Jazz [ Sydney / Melbourne ]

[ Contemporary jazz arrangements of Church music ]

Open 6.30pm – 11pm Band 7.30pm – 10pm

Members \$20 Non-members \$25

Don't miss the premiere performance of an exciting collaboration of Sydney and Melbourne's jazz musicians as they take you on a spiritual journey that reflects on the past and anticipates the future. Witness outstanding front liners sensitively supported by a wonderfully cohesive rhythm section with the talents of **John Morrison – drums, Con Campbell – tenor sax, Peter Kohlhoff – bass, Michael Kenny – trumpet, and Andy Vance – piano**. Funk, bop, ballads and all other jazz colours are painted in this powerful show. Book early for this one! [www.transitjazz.com](http://www.transitjazz.com)



## SATURDAY JANUARY 7

### Step it Up [ funk / acid jazz ]

Open 6.30pm – 11pm Band 7.30pm – 10pm

Members \$20 Non-members \$25

*Step it Up* has been one of Australia's premier funk/acid jazz bands since the 1990's. From airplay on JJJ, ABC and UK Jazz FM, these guys perform a danceable and up tempo show based on a jazz tradition. Led by the groovy **Des Reid – bass / guitarist** and featuring **Rohan Somasekaran – keys, Neil Wickham – saxes, Roger Gonzalez – percussion, and John McDermott – drums**. Hot to trot from a support tour for **D I G – Directions in Groove**, the funk will be fresh and tasty..... [www.stepitup.com](http://www.stepitup.com)



## SUNDAY JANUARY 8

### The Brisbane Big Band

– 'love the sound'

[ Big Band jazz / Latin / swing ]

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

Wind up your weekend in style with **Brad Esbensen** and the ever-singing **Alan Western** as they present the ever-swinging BBB in some of the best in big band sounds around. Sing along, swing along, dine, dance or just relax to the powerhouse sounds of our very own **Brisbane Big Band**. Book your spot and we'll make it hot.....



## FRIDAY JANUARY 13

### The Mute Canary Project

plays the music of John Coltrane

[ cool jazz / hard Bop / classic jazz ]

Open 6.30pm – 11pm Band 7.30pm –

10pm Members \$20 Non-members \$25.

Please book early and witness one of Australia's finest Jazz ensembles as it pays homage to the great saxophonist John Coltrane in a very special and intimate show. Featuring **Elliott Dalgleish – tenor sax, Chris Vale – drums, Damian Sim – piano, and a mystery double bass player**.

"My goal is to live the truly religious life and express it in my music. If you live it, when you play there's no problem because music is part of the whole thing. To be a musician is really something. It goes very deep. My music is the spiritual expression of what I am, my faith, my knowledge, my being..." **John Coltrane**.



## SATURDAY JANUARY 14

### The Con Klezmer Orchestra

[ Eastern European folk tunes / Originals / re-worked Ethnic melodies ]

Open 6.30pm – 11pm Band 7.30– 10pm

Members \$20 Non-members \$25.

Back by popular demand, the **Con Klezmer Orchestra** will inspire you with its special improvisational re-working of traditional folk songs from Eastern Europe plus a select number of **Yitzhak Yedid's** own compositions. **Yitzhak** is the leader/pianist/ arranger for Con Klezmer Orchestra and brings his world wide respected talents to the Brisbane Jazz Club for another intoxicatingly enjoyable show. Sharing the stage with Yitzhak for this high energy and innovative Klezmer performance are the masterful **John Stefulj – soprano sax, Luke Cuerel – alto sax, Mia Forrest – flute, Tabitha Wells – tenor sax, Myf Turpin – accordion, Jack Walton – double bass, and Dan Hirsch – drums**. From acclaimed performances at the Judith Wright Centre, Woodford Folk Festival and the Brisbane Jewish Synagogue, don't miss the Con Klezma Orchestra in full flight at the Brisbane Jazz Club.



## SUNDAY JANUARY 15

### Craig Martin

[ Vocal jazz / Big Band style / Swinging crooners ]

Open 5.30pm Band 6pm – 9pm

Members \$20 Non-members \$25

Join British contemporary swing star **Craig Martin** for an evening jam packed with Big Band classics and all-time swing favourites. Featuring an 8 piece backing band of Brisbane's finest musicians, Craig will croon and swoon you with his cool and swinging style of performance. [www.craigmartinmusic.com](http://www.craigmartinmusic.com)



## THURSDAY JANUARY 19

### The Curlew Republic featuring Chris Finnen [ Adelaide ]

[ blues / World jazz ]

Open 6.30pm – 11pm Band 7.30pm – 10pm

Members \$20 Non-Members \$25.



Acclaimed worldwide for his uniquely Australasian music, **Colin Offord's** latest project brings together a group of brilliant musicians featuring Blues and Roots singer /songwriter / guitarist **Chris Finnen**, **Jamie Pattugalan – drums /percussion, Yilan – moonbells, and Colin** on mouthbows/flutes and vocals. This act must be seen and heard to be believed. "Magical and extraordinary. A musician and artist of genius. A real national musical treasure." Bruce Elder. Sydney Morning Herald. [www.colinofford.com](http://www.colinofford.com) <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fJnJxmm9SGI> <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=b-qlZmfWJIY&feature=related>



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Bring it with you when you visit the BJC to go into the draw!

COOL prizes drawn Sunday 4th March, 2012.

## FRIDAY JANUARY 20

### Youri Blow [ France ]

[ Psyche blues / Delta blues ]

Open 6.30pm – 11pm Band 7.30 – 10pm

Members \$20 Non – members \$25

**Youri Blow** is a performer like no other with his amazing fusion of traditional blues with songs and traditional music from Japan, Mongolia, Turkey and Peru. Youri tries to bring out in his music the union between heaven and earth, dream and reality. He has travelled extensively throughout the world enchanting audiences with his mind blowing dobro, guitar and vocal stylings. We welcome Youri to the Brisbane Jazz Club for his exclusive Queensland concert as part of his world tour. [www.myspace.com/youriblow](http://www.myspace.com/youriblow)



## SATURDAY JANUARY 21

### The Quadratic Contingency

[ contemporary / improvising jazz ]

Open 6.30pm – 11pm Band 7.30 -10pm

Members \$20 Non-members \$25.

*The Quadratic Contingency* is a contemporary improvisational ensemble which explores the grey area that otherwise defines typical genres such as 3rd stream, Minimalism, organic improvisational and 21st Century Arts Music. T Q C will be launching its debut EP for this incredible Brisbane Jazz Club performance after finishing a two-month residency at the Gallery of Modern Art., writing and performing music for silent Alfred Hitchcock films. Whilst also performing compositions from the new EP, T Q C will perform debut material that explores improvisation and minimalism within the flavor of melancholic and suspenseful cinematic scoring. Featuring **Paul Young – drums / composer, James Ball – piano, Sam Vincent – double bass, and Toby Gifford – clarinet**.



## SUNDAY JANUARY 22

### Jump Jive and Wail

[ jump swing / standards / early rock n' Roll / blues ]

Open 5.30pm Band 6 – 9pm

Members \$20 Non-members \$25

*Jump Jive and Wail* is a 7-piece live show band which is well known for its pure energy, choreographed moves and great musicianship. This ensemble's commitment to early Rock 'n Roll and Rockabilly is nothing short of entertaining. Playing hits by **Brian Setzer, Big Bad Voodoo Daddy, Cherryn Poppin Daddys, Royal Crowne Revue, Bill Hailey, Chicago, Louis Jordan, Michael Buble and Cab Calloway**. Please join us for an evening of fun and good times as they Jump Jive and Wail the night away.



## FRIDAY JANUARY 27

### Emma Hamilton

[ Jazz pop standards / French Gypsy standards / originals ]

Open 6.30pm – 11pm

Band 7.30pm – 10pm

Members \$20 Non-members \$25.

After a sell-out performance at River Fire 2011 at the Brisbane Jazz Club, **Emma Hamilton – vocals / accordion, her brother Tom – drums / piano, and local lad Pat Marchisella – double bass** will be sure to set the BJC stage on fire for another amazing show. Emma is the support act for the international jazz vocalist – **Natalie Cole**, and will once again deliver her music with joy, passion, warmth and sweet Parisian style she is becoming famous for. Book early for another Brisbane Jazz Club exclusive show!

