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The Sunshine Jazz Organization was formed in the autumn of 1986 to help support America's indigenous music... JAZZ! Founded by Jazz Radio Icon China Valles, along with devoted Jazz enthusiasts, educators and musicians, SJO's mission is to foster and enhance interest in and appreciation of our beloved music. SJO strives to promote accessibility for all ages and to inspire and encourage the development of South Florida's wealth of Jazz talent.

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The Sunshine Jazz Organization Commemorates



FEBRUARY



MARCH



United Nations
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International Jazz Day



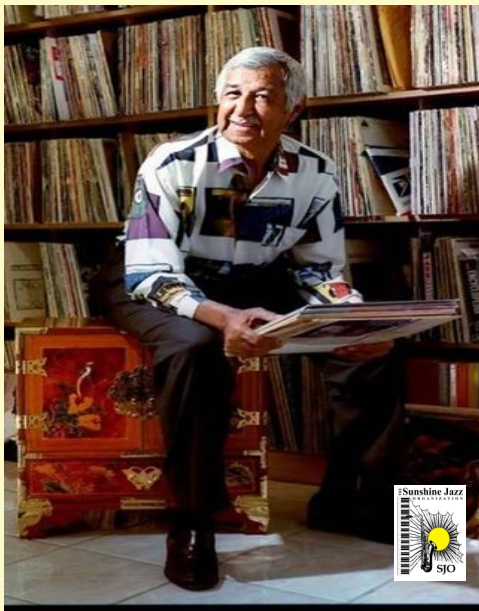
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APRIL

... And Celebrates The Spirit Of JAZZ

FEB~MAY IN SOUTH FLORIDA IS TEEMING
CONCERTS, TRIBUTES, FESTIVALS, WORKSHOPS & MORE!

“To China With Love”



WDNA's JAZZ ENCOUNTERS ~ Feb 12th
A Tribute to the great China Valles!
Hosted by Nicole Yarling

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=D4_k91xXmi4&list=TLGGwkXM9EXmr_cxOTAyMjAyMQ

The 24th Annual
Melton Mustafa Jazz Festival
February 26-28, 2021
<https://www.facebook.com/meltonmustafajazzfestival/>



BLACK ARCHIVES HISTORIC LYRIC THEATER
812 nw 2nd Ave, Miami, FL 33136

Temperature checks at the door, masks and social distancing required
For tickets and more info, visit: <https://mmjf24.eventbrite.com>
www.meltonmustafajazzfestival.com
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Excellent Jazz Events!*

THE JAZZ COMMUNITY'S
celebration of
BLACK HISTORY MONTH

Join us for a special presentation hosted by Brenda Alford

8PM • MONDAY, FEBRUARY 8

Watch at Miami Jazz Cooperative - Facebook or YouTube

Vocalist/educator Ms. Brenda Alford hosts this Live Stream celebration in honor of the history of African American music contributions, as well as highlighting homegrown Jazz legends. She will be performing live with her quartet including Allen C. Paul (piano), Jesse Jones, Jr. (sax), Kai Sanchez (bass), James Cotmon (drums) and special guest Joe Donato (sax).

PALM BEACH INTERNATIONAL JAZZ FESTIVAL ORGANIZATION, LLC PRESENTS

PALM BEACH INTERNATIONAL JAZZ FESTIVAL

A GRAND CELEBRATION OF THE GREAT AMERICAN MUSIC GENRE - JAZZ!

SATURDAY, APRIL 24 | 2PM-10PM
<https://palmbeachinternationaljazzfestival.org/>

APRIL 30 MAY 1, 2021

BAYFRONT Jazz Festival

APRIL 30
ROY AYERS
CHUCHO VALDES

MAY 1
DEE DEE BRIDGEWATER
GONZALO RUBALCABA
AYMEE NUVIOLA
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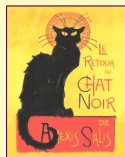
MIAMI BAYFRONT PARK
TICKETS ON WWW.BAYFRONTJAZZ.COM

2021 NEA Jazz Masters Tribute Concert to Take Place Virtually April 22, 2021



International Jazz Day, April 30

Live Shows, Live Streaming @
<https://www.facebook.com/LE-CHAT-NOIR-180848375438592/>



THE SANDRELL RIVERS THEATER



April 24th at 8pm

www.sandrellriverstheater.com/calendar

AFRICAN HERITAGE CULTURAL ARTS CENTER

SANKOFA Jazz Fest

Saturday, April 3, 2021
 5:30 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.
 6161 NW 22nd Ave
 Miami, FL 33142

Hosted by Rodney Baltimore

HISTORIC HAMPTON HOUSE CULTURAL CENTER



WDNA PRESENTS
JAZZ ENCOUNTERS
 ONLINE

Hosted by Nicole Yarling

34 Seasons of SJO Jazz Services 1986 Inaugural SJO Event, "Round Midnight" Premier. 2nd SJO Anniversary features Diane Schuur; Coconut Grove Festival – SJO provided 75 volunteers; IAJE Conference – SJO provided 115 volunteers; AFJS Convention features Jazz Freddy Cole; Jazz Cruises in support of Hurricane Andrew victims; Co-sponsor Living Legends of Jazz with BCC College; Co-sponsor Hialeah Race Track Jazz Series; Jazz on Wheels Summer Series – Miami-Dade Parks; Students' Library Jazz Series & Jazz Workshops; "Jazz at the Ponce" Series, Coral Gables Park. Membership promotion events: Hollywood Jazz Festival; Riverwalk Blues Festival; A Taste of Jazz Miami Springs; Cornucopia at Vizcaya; Jazz Daze on Las Olas, Ft Lauderdale; A-Train to New Orleans via Amtrak; SJO 5th Anniversary; SJO Monthly Jazz Jams, Miami-Dade & Broward Counties Co-sponsor Jazz at Coral Gables Congregational Church Fundraisers for Musicians in Crisis – Steve Bagby; Mike Gerber; Pete Minger. SJO's 10th Anniversary w/ Special guests Stanley Turrentine and Arturo Sandoval; Jazz Jams for Youth Series, Miami Dade Public Schools; Jazz summer Workshop Series, Caleb Auditorium; SJO elected by Dept of Cultural Affairs Council as Service Organization for all Jazz Artists; Co-Sponsor Museum of Contemporary Art Jazz Concerts. Co-Sponsor Black Music Month & National Jazz Month Events with DAC & Miami-Dade Parks; Magic City Monday Jazz Workshops for Kids at Caleb Center; Real Men Cook – Caleb Center & Florida Memorial College; Juneteenth Celebration, Overtown, Visiting Artists Reception Hosts - Ruby Dee & Ossie Davis, Carmen Lundy, Houston Person, Melba Moore, Dr. Bobby Jones. Dade County Park Celebration at Metro Zoo | Jazz at Shores Performing Arts Theater Series; National Jazz Month w/ Melton Mustafa & Marcus Belgrave; SJO's 15th Season w/ Houston Person. Jazz Sundown Bank of America Lobby Lounge; Summer Jazz in the Park Series – Miami-Dade Summer Arts Showcase Caleb Center; Children's Jazz Fest | Jazz Jams for Young Performers; SJO's 20th Season; Jazz Diva Night w/ FIU School of Music Big Band; Magic City Jazz Series, Caleb Lobby Lounge; Full Moon Jazz SJO Allstars - Hollywood Beach; Jazz Nite Out, Van Dyke Café, Miami Beach; Co-Sponsor So. Fla Jazz Hall of Fame 2009-17; SJO 25th Season" Melton Mustafa Orchestra, Allan Harris, Alice Day, Brenda Alford, Yvonne Brown; Music in the Park w/ Miami-Dade County Commissioner Barbara J. Jordan; SJO Jazz Showcase @ Miami-Dade County Fair co-sponsor Diaspora Arts Coalition; Jazz co-sponsor Art Deco Weekend Miami Beach 2015-18; SJO 27th Season: Sandy Patton & Billy Marcus Trio, SJO 28th Season w Melton Mustafa & Jesse Jones, Jr. Honoring Nat & Cannonball Adderley; SJO 29th Season: Dr. Lonnie Smith w/ John Hart & John Yarling; SJO 30th Season: Lou Donaldson & Dr. Lonnie Smith w/ John Hart, Ignacio Berroa, SJO 31st Season: Richie Cole & Alto Madness! 9th Annual South Fla Jazz Hall of Fame; SJO 32nd Season: Mustafa Family Band.; SJO 33rd Season Leesa Richards & LeNard Rutledge w/ Jesse Jones Jr. Ens.; 10h Annual S. Fla. Jazz Hall of Fame w/ Lou Donaldson, Bob Perry. 11th SFJHOF Inducts Tracy Fields.



JAZZ RESOURCES

South Florida Jazz Events www.Southfloridajazzlist.com

Jazz Blues Florida www.facebook.com/JazzBluesFla/

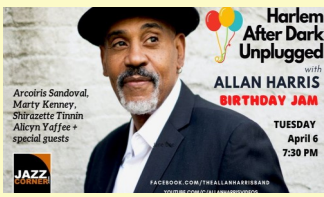
All About Jazz www.jazznearyou.com

JAZZIZ Magazine www.jazziz.com

SOUTH FLORIDA'S JAZZ RADIO

WLRN 91.3FM Evenin' Jazz w/ Tracy Fields Mon-Fri 9:30pm-1am; Sat: Jazz Works 8pm-12am; Sun. Night Train w/ Ted Grossman 8pm-12am.

www.WLRN.org WDNA 88.9FM Jazz 24/7 www.WDNA.org COOL JAZZ FLA w/ Host Stu Grant 24/7 www.cooljazzflorida.com



www.allanharris.com/home

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Nancy Wilson Birthdays w/ China Carmen McCreia

Feb 20

Alice Day, Mar 9

April 8



Ira Sullivan, May 1



SOUTH FLORIDA JAZZ SPOTS

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY *please contact the venue prior
 Jazz at Pinecrest Gardens www.pinecrestgardens.org
 Jazz Roots @ Adrienne Arsht PAC, Arshtcenter.org
 Le Chat Noir, 2 So. Miami Ave., Lechatnoirdesalis.com
 WDNA Jazz Encounters & Jazz Gallery, WDNA.org
 Olympia Theater Lobby Jazz Miamijazzsociety.com
 South Miami-Dade CAC www.smdcac.com
 The Fish House South Miami. www.Thefishhouse.com
 Lagniappe House 3425 NE 2nd Ave., Miami 33137.
 4th Fridays JAZZ at MOCA 8pm. Mocanomi.org

BROWARD COUNTY

Blue Jean Blues 3320 NE 33 St, Ft. L. www.bjblive.com
 Council Oak Seminole Hard Rock 1 Seminole Way, Hwd.
 All That Jazz 3491 N. Hiatus Rd., Sunrise, FL 33351
 Tavolinos 10181 Sample Rd. Tavolinorestaurant.com

PALM BEACH COUNTY

Arts Garage Delray Beach www.artsgarage.org
 Heidi's Jazz Club Cocoa Beach www.Heidisjazzclub.com
 Jupiter Jazz Jam Sundays 4-8pm Double Roads Tavern

JAZZ ORGANIZATIONS

South Florida Jazz Hall of Fame
<http://southfloridajazzhalloffame.blogspot.com/>
 Melton Mustafa Foundation www.meltonmustafa.com
 Miami Jazz Coop www.miamijazz.org/
 Fort Pierce Jazz & Blues www.jazzsociety.org
 Miami Jazz & Film Society Miamijazzsociety.com
 Women In Jazz South Florida www.wijsf.com
SwingandJazzPreservationSociety.org

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<https://www.aldowningjazz.com/>

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