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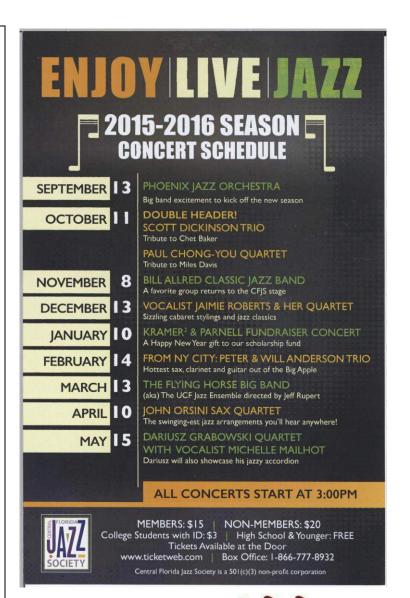
For auld lang syne, my dear For auld lang syne, We'll take a cup o' kindness yet For auld lang syne

At the stroke of midnight on December 31<sup>st</sup> this old Scottish song from the 1700's can be heard around the world as people reminisce about "times gone by" (auld lang syne) and friendships.

An old British custom was to open the door of the house at the last stroke of midnight on New Year's Eve to allow the old year out and the New Year in.

Another New Year custom from olden days was called "first footing," which was supposed to bring good luck to people for the coming year. As soon as midnight had passed and January 1st had started, people used to wait behind their doors for a dark-haired person to arrive. The visitor carried a piece of coal, some bread, some money, and some greenery. The coal, to make sure the house would always be warm; the bread, to make sure everyone in the house would have enough food to eat; money, well, that goes without saying; and greenery to make sure that they had a long life. The visitor would then take a pan of dust or ashes out of the house with him, thus signifying the departure of the old year.

If it is possible, as much as depends on you, may you live peaceably with all men in the coming year. – Pat Stucky





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# President's Improv

By Carla Page



As most of you know, we were to have presented Jaimie Roberts & Her Quartet at the December concert. However, Jaimie had a scheduling conflict. As a result, we were extremely fortunate and thrilled to be able to present Michael Andrew and his Combo. Michael did a tribute to Frank Sinatra for Frank's 100th birthday. Anybody who's ever seen Michael Andrew perform knows that the only person who does Frank Sinatra better than Michael is Frank himself. This concert was beyond sold out with standing room only! Our November concert with the Bill Allred Classic Jazz Band was terrific as always! That group features some of the best musicians in the world. They were fun and fabulous! Central Florida has really become a hotbed for jazz talent, and ain't it grand!

I'm delighted to report that we met the 2nd scholarship challenge offered by Mel and Ginger Robinson. That gives us another \$4,000.00 for scholarships for some wonderful and talented young jazz musicians. We had met their initial challenge at our fundraiser / kick-off party "All That Jazz" in August. Thank you to all of you generous people for making this happen and thanks especially to Mel and Ginger.

At our next concert on January 10, 2016, the fantastic Michael & Ben Kramer and Greg Parnell are performing. These wonderful guys are doing it as a fundraiser - a Happy New Year gift to our scholarship fund. They have so much fun and so much talent, it's exciting to watch and listen! Our February concert will feature the Peter & Will Anderson trio from New York City. They are the hottest sax, clarinet and guitar trio to come out of the Big Apple. We look forward to seeing you all at both concerts.

From me and all of the board -- many, many thanks for your support and patronage. Wishing you all a very happy, healthy and prosperous New Year!

As usual, if you would like more info, or if you have questions or suggestions, please don't hesitate to contact me. We're all in this together – and isn't it fun!

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|                | PAUL ANKA Thursday, January 14, 2016 Walt Disney Theater  |
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|                | THE WORLD FAMOUS GLENN MILLER ORCHESTRA  Monday, January 18, 2016 at 7:00 p.m.  Lake Mary High School <a href="http://glennmillerorchestra.com/big-band-store/#!/Lake-Mary-Tickets/c/3541051/offset=0&amp;sort=normal">http://glennmillerorchestra.com/big-band-store/#!/Lake-Mary-Tickets/c/3541051/offset=0&amp;sort=normal</a> |
|                | MICHAEL FEINSTEIN: A Sinatra Centennial Friday, January 29, 2016 Walt Disney Theater  |
|                | JOHNNY MATHIS Sunday, January 31, 2016 Florida Theatre, Jacksonville  |
|                | PATTI LA BELLE<br>Saturday, February 20, 2016<br>Walt Disney Theater  |
|                | HERB ALPERT Friday, March 4, 2016 Florida Theatre, Jacksonville   |
| Phulle lander  | THE GARLAND MAGIC Vocalist Karen Mason in a tribute to Judy Garland Saturday, March 5, 2016 Bob Carr Theater  |
|                | TONY BENNETT Wednesday, March 9, 2016 Walt Disney Theater   |
|                | FRANK SINATRA, JR. Wednesday, March 9, 2016 Florida Theatre, Jacksonville Wednesday, March 16, 2016 Peabody Auditorium, Daytona Beach   |
|                | NATALIE COLE Thursday, April 7, 2016 Sunrise Theatre, Ft. Pierce  |
| shilisi andarc | LET'S FALL IN LOVE Ann Hampton Callaway & Davis Gaines Saturday, April 16, 2016 Bob Carr Theater  |
|                | HERBIE HANCOCK & WAYNE SHORTER Wednesday, April 20, 2016 Walt Disney Theater  |







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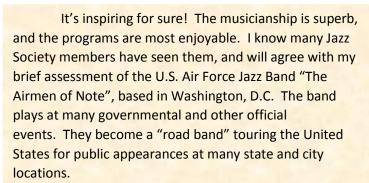




Jack Simpson

### **JAZZ** ON THE BEACH

*JOTB* archived programs are broadcast on WUCF-FM Orlando (89.9) on Saturdays from 12-3pm.



All right, why am I talking about the "Airmen"? Here's the story; in the late 1970's my "Jazz on the Beach" radio show was being aired on WRMF/WAMT in Titusville on Saturday nights. One day I got a call from a student musician with the Astronaut High School Band. He told me that he would be producing a jazz concert at the school in the near future, and would I kindly emcee the occasion. I agreed. The evening was a success musically and otherwise. My trombone playing student friend was happy, but I never saw him again. I assumed that he had graduated and moved on with his life, perhaps elsewhere. His name was Dudley Hinote (great name for a brass man).

Okay, are you ready for the punch line? Here it is. I recently received a promotional copy of the 60th anniversary CD celebrating The Airmen of Note. It was historical and musical, including recordings from the past, and the names of the leaders and musicians who performed as "Airmen of Note" during those years, up to the present. Oh yes, who was listed as the manager of the band? Why, it's Chief Master Sergeant Dudley Hinote (of Titusville)!

We have been blessed during those years when several "Airmen of Note" retired in our area contributing their talents to the local jazz scene.



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"Calling Frank Vignola a

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#### Upcoming U.S. stamp for 2016 revealed

Jazz and pop singer Sarah Vaughan (1924-90) will be commemorated on a forever stamp in the Music Icons series, with 16 stamps in the full pane -- to be issued March 29, 2016.

Born March 27, 1924, Sarah Vaughan was one of America's greatest singers, successful in both jazz and pop, with a talent for improvisation and skillful phrasing and a voice that ranged over several octaves.

The stamp art is an oil painting of Vaughan in performance based on a 1955 photograph by Hugh Bell. The cover side of the pane features a larger version of the stamp art and a list of some of the popular songs by the *Divine One*.







#### **CLARK TERRY**

12/14/1920 - 2/21/2015

Legendary jazz trumpeter Clark Terry, who mentored Miles Davis and Quincy Jones and played in the orchestras of both Count Basie and Duke Ellington and on "The Tonight Show," has died. He was 94. During a career spanning more than seven decades, Terry was a mentor to generations of jazz musicians, starting with Miles Davis, who first met Terry as a teenager growing up in East St. Louis, Illinois, across the river from Terry's hometown.



#### **BRUCE LUNDVALL**

9/13/1935 - 5/19/2015

Record executive Bruce Lundvall, who revived the iconic Blue Note Records label in the mid-1980s and turned it into a major influence on the contemporary jazz scene during his 25 years as president, has died at age 79. After taking over as president in 1985, he brought back some of the label's earlier stars like Freddie Hubbard and McCoy Tyner, while also signing new artists including singers Dianne Reeves and Cassandra Wilson, and saxophonist Joe Lovano.



#### **BOB BELDEN**

10/31/1956 - 5/20/2015

Bob Belden, a Grammy-winning jazz musician, composer, arranger and producer died at the age of 58. Considered one of the leading experts on Davis, Belden won three Grammys (Best Historical Album, Best Album Notes) for his work in the 1990s on boxed sets of the trumpeter's work for SONY/Columbia.



#### **MARCUS BELGRAVE**

6/12/1936 - 5/24/2015

Marcus Belgrave, a jazz trumpeter who graced stages and studios with Ray Charles, Aretha Franklin, Dizzy Gillespie, Joe Cocker and Motown artists galore, died Sunday. He was 78. He started playing professionally at 12 and joined The Ray Charles Band in the late 1950s — what he once described as "the beginning of my musical life." He came to Detroit in 1962 and became a studio musician for Motown Records. After Motown decamped to California in the early '70s, Belgrave stayed in Detroit and co-founded Tribe Records and recorded with a collective of jazz artists. He became an original member of Lincoln Center Jazz Orchestra in 1988 at the request of Wynton Marsalis, and in 2006 was featured at Jazz at Lincoln Center's presentation, "Detroit: Motor City Jazz."



#### **ORNETTE COLEMAN**

3/9/1930 – 6/11/2015

Jazz legend Ornette Coleman, the visionary saxophonist who pioneered "free jazz" has died at the age of 85. The Texas-born Coleman was only the second jazz artist to win the Pulitzer Prize in music when he was honored for his 2006 album *Sound Grammar*. His quartet shook up the jazz establishment when it burst on the scene in 1959 with the album "The Shape of Jazz to Come," which liberated musicians to freely improvise off the melody. Coleman is regarded as one of the greatest innovators in jazz history along with Louis Armstrong and Charlie Parker.



#### **ALLEN TOUSSAINT**

1/14/1938 - 11/10/2015

Allen Toussaint, New Orleans R&B mainstay, dies at 77. "In the pantheon of New Orleans music people, from Jelly Roll Morton to Mahalia Jackson to Fats – that's the place where Allen Toussaint is in," said Quint Davis, the longtime producer of the New Orleans Jazz and Heritage Festival. Mr. Toussaint's career began when he was a teenager in the '50s and his jaunty piano playing caught the ear of Dave Bartholomew, Fats Domino's producer.



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#### **MESSAGE FROM THE MEMBERSHIP TABLE**

Have you lost your membership card? Is something misspelled or incorrect? Are you not receiving your bimonthly Blue Notes newsletter or monthly phone message from Carla Page? (Carla sends a message at least once a month before each concert.)

Contact Mary Uithoven at 407-699-1871 and we will get it corrected.

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**Special Guests** 

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