JAZZ JAMBALAYA | CALENDAR

4th Monday
6:30pm

19 March
Della Reese Tribute

ADMISSION
$10 Members
$15 Guests
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Stevie Wonder
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The Cedric Brooks Project

Cedric Brook | Keyboards . Nyabinghi Djehutti | Guitar
Chris Snowden | Bass
Carlos Vizoso | Alto . Roland Cobb | Tenor
Jackson Willis | Trombone . Mark Craig | Drums
Keisha McAlpine & Shelley Brown | Wonderous

Monday . 22 January 2018
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Stevland Hardaway
(nee Judkins) Morris
May 13, 1950
Saginaw, Michigan

We all have ability. The difference is how we use it.

~Stevie Wonder

This pop icon is also a gifted jazz musician. His debut album was called The Jazz Soul of Little Stevie, and as a child star he released an instrumental album of harmonica solos under the anagrammatic pseudonym Eivets Rednow. Dozens of his songs have become jazz standards, covered by the likes of Freddie Hubbard, Ella Fitzgerald, Ahmad Jamal and Sonny Rollins, while numerous other jazz greats – Dizzy Gillespie Tony Bennett, Quincy Jones and George Benson – have guested with him.

"His jazz chops have been pretty damn good ever since I first saw him play and they seem to get better. He could comfortably sit in with any number of jazz outfits."

~Chick Corea

"He's one pop star that pretty much every jazz musician has to take seriously. Both as an intelligent songwriter, but also as a gifted soloist, on piano and harmonica. Having jammed with him many times, I know he has the most incredible set of ears of any musician I've ever worked with. He listens to what you play and he responds with amazing agility."

~Herbie Hancock

"He has always been a jazz obsessive. At the same time that he was doing his apprenticeship at Motown, aged 14, 15, he was also playing along to albums by John Coltrane and Bill Evans, copying their solos, working on his jazz chops."

~Bobbi Humphrey

"His songs have the kind of interesting chord changes that jazz musicians can sink their teeth into. Throughout albums like Innervisions or Songs in the Key of Life you'll find plenty of what you might call 'jazz chords' – flattened 9ths and secondary dominants and extended blues progressions and all that business. Even songs such as 'You Are the Sunshine of My Life' or 'Isn't She Lovely' have certain hallmarks that you associate with jazz standards."

~Vijay Iyer

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JANUARY 2018 BIRTHDAYS

Joe Camp
David Carroll
Theresa Davidson
Dana Fleming

Denise Hines
Kevin Lee
Cyndy Lewis

David Oliver
Joe Plastaras
Susan Sass
E. J. Wright

Monday, 2.5.18, 6:30pm Jazz Pensacola Jazz Jam
Horizen Restaurant, 3103 E. Strong St., Pensacola, FL
$10 members/guests | $12 non-members | $5 students w/ID | performing musicians, free

Sunday, 2.11.18, 12pm Jazz Brunch Jimmy Roebuck & Friends
Corpus Christi, 6300 McKenna Dr., Mobile, AL
$4.25-$10.25

Friday, 2.23.18, 7-10pm 3rd Annual Dinner/Dance Mobile Big Band Society Band
Battleship Memorial Park Aircraft Pavilion, Hwy. 98 Causeway, Mobile, AL
$50 Reservations required

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