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JANICE FRIEDMAN MEZZROW / MARCH 29

On her five albums as a leader, Janice Friedman has demonstrated her range and flexibility with a mix of ballads, boogie, Brazilian, bop and swing, plus appealing originals. Known as Janice the Pianist, this keyboard veteran cut her teeth—almost literally—listening to the likes of Errol Garner, Oscar Peterson, Ahmad Jamal, Bill Evans and Marian McPartland. Janice's played with Marian, Billy Higgins and other greats, developing a distinctive style and a seemingly bottomless repertoire, from Waller to Ellington to Lennon & McCartney. Listeners can also look forward to hearing Janice lift her voice on a tune or two. Bassist Marco Panascia joins her at Mezzrow; the two also appear in a trio setting with drummer Joe Strasser at Jazz at Kitano on March 3. **EK**



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Jazz vocalist and composer Janice Friedman will perform a solo concert of original jazz from her compositions titled "Soft Suite," with influences from pop culture to jazz, on Sunday at 2:30 p.m. at the Montauk Library. Admission is free. For more information, call 631-668-3377 or visit montauklibrary.org.

WED. MARCH 4
EHUD ASHERIE TRIO
EHUD ASHERIE, DAVID WONG, AARON KIMMEL
\$15 COVER + \$20 MINIMUM

THURS. MARCH 5
AYAKO SHIRASAKI TRIO
WITH SPECIAL GUEST LEWIS NASH
AYAKO SHIRASAKI, NORIKO UEDA, LEWIS NASH
\$15 COVER + \$20 MINIMUM

FRI. MARCH 6
SVETLANA SHMULYIAN & THE DELANCEY FIVE
WITH SPECIAL GUEST WYCLIFFE GORDON
SVETLANA SHMULYIAN, ADRIAN CUNNINGHAM
CHARLIE CARANICAS, BEN PATTERSON
GEORGE DELANCEY, ROB GARCIA
\$30 COVER + \$20 MINIMUM

SAT. MARCH 7
INVENTIONS TRIO
FEATURING BILL MAYS,
MARVIN STAMM & ALISA HORN
\$30 COVER + \$20 MINIMUM

WED. MARCH 11
**SARAH SILVERMAN/
BRUCE BARTH DUO**
\$15 COVER + \$20 MINIMUM

THURS. MARCH 12
ANKE HELFRICH QUARTET
ANKE HELFRICH, TIM HAGAN'S
MARTIN WIND, JONAS BURGINKEL
\$15 COVER + \$20 MINIMUM

FRI. MARCH 13
TINA FABRIQUE QUARTET
"TRIBUTE TO ELLA FITZGERALD"
TINA FABRIQUE, LAFAYETTE HARRIS
ERIC WHEELER, DWAYNE "COOK" BROADNAX
\$30 COVER + \$20 MINIMUM

SAT. MARCH 14
GARY BARTZ QUARTET
GARY BARTZ, PAUL BOLLENBACK
JAMES KING, GREG BANDY
\$30 COVER + \$20 MINIMUM

\$15 COV. WED./THUR. + \$20 MIN./SET
\$30 COV. FRI./SAT. + \$20 MIN./SET
2 SETS - 8:00 PM & 10:00 PM

WED. MARCH 18
JANICE FRIEDMAN TRIO
CD RELEASE EVENT "LIVE AT KITANO"
JANICE FRIEDMAN, ED HOWARD, MARK MCLEAN
\$15 COVER + \$20 MINIMUM

THURS. MARCH 19
JOHN DOKES QUINTET
JOHN DOKES, STEVE FINERSON
DAVID GIBSON, ALEX CLAFFY, JAY SAWYER
\$15 COVER + \$20 MINIMUM

FRI. MARCH 20
VALERIE CAPERS TRIO
VALERIE CAPERS, JOHN ROBINSON
DOUG RICHARDSON
\$30 COVER + \$20 MINIMUM

SAT. MARCH 21
ANDY SUVALSKY QUARTET
ANDY SUVALSKY, ASEN GOYKIN
TRIFON DMITROV, YUTAKA UCHIDA
\$30 COVER + \$20 MINIMUM

WED. MARCH 25
LARRY FULLER TRIO
LARRY FULLER, KATIE THIRROUX, MATT WITEX
\$15 COVER + \$20 MINIMUM

THURS. MARCH 26
CARL BARTLETT JR. QUARTET
CARL BARTLETT JR., YOICHI UZEKI
ERIC LEMON, SYLVIA CUENCA
\$15 COVER + \$20 MINIMUM

FRI. MARCH 27
DAVID KIKOSKI TRIO
DAVID KIKOSKI, ED HOWARD, ADAM CRUZ
\$30 COVER + \$20 MINIMUM

SAT. MARCH 28
**CELEBRATING THE RELEASE OF
THE WOLFF & CLARK
EXPEDITION 2**
RANDOM ACT RECORDS CD RELEASE EVENT
MIKE CLARK, JALEEL SHAW
ONAJE ALLAN GUMBS, GERALD CANNON
\$30 COVER + \$20 MINIMUM

Performances are Wednesday through Saturday. For ages from 8:00 PM, until 9:15 PM on Thursday, 10:00 PM, until 11:15 PM. Full-length sessions featuring American music with a Play Party welcome. Early doors (7:00 PM) are optional, preferred seating.

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The Janice Friedman Duo...
by Patria Baradl Patis
...at the Montauk Library

When a musician is as good and as entertaining as vocalist, pianist and composer Janice Friedman, you can be sure that she will be asked for a return engagement. My husband and I have seen her yearly jazz concerts at the library with different group ensembles and are never disappointed. As soon as Ms. Friedman gets up on stage she puts the attendees at ease with her radiant, dollar smile and her down-to-earth, charismatic personality.

On July 26, Ms. Friedman performed a duet with bassist Marco Panascia at the full Montauk Beach Convention Room. Together, beautiful jazz music composed by Ms. Friedman herself was played. Each took turns doing their own thing with tunes such as "Deep Sleep", "Till", "The State of the Union", "Finger Paintings", "Get Set" and "Little Bird" (particularly enjoyed one of the audience's request Steely Dan's "Joni" and her own jazz rendition of "Lucy in the Sky with Diamonds" by the Beatles. When she sang "Sun-

shine" it reminded me how fortunate we are to live in Montauk.

At the end of the concert, Ms. Friedman acknowledged her loving husband Ed and her musician parents Mel and Elaine who live in Montauk for always being there for her. For more info please check website www.janicefriedman.com. For future library events check www.montauklibrary.org or call 631-668-3377.

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