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The Coastal Jazz Association

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Jazz: Live It - Learn It - Love It

The Coastal Jazz Association of Savannah Presents Jazz-Just Across The River

**BOB MASTELLER PERFORMS IN A SPECIAL
TRIBUTE TO LOUIS ARMSTRONG**

Sunday, November 21st @ 5:00 p.m.

Westin Savannah Harbor – Free For CJA Members

Bob Masteller has been a major force on the musical scene of the Low Country since 1973. In the period between '73 and '80, while a Senior Vice President of The Sea Pines Company, Bob played in a group called Jazz Reborn, which included early Hilton Head Islanders Mark Stuppy and Garry Moore, the legendary entertainer. During this period Bob became well known in Savannah as the trombonist with The River Street Ramblers, which included Savannah musical legends Sam Gill and Ken Palmer.

In the 1980's, Bob headed up various groups with different styles, including New Orleans, straight-ahead jazz, and mood music. He has appeared at virtually every mainstream location for swing and jazz in the Low Country, including all major hotels, Hannah's East, The Golden Rose, Self Family Arts Center, USC Performing Arts Center and the Original Old Post Office on Pope Avenue.

Included in the highlights of Bob's career, he has performed for Presidents Clinton, Ford and Bush and Senator Bobby Kennedy. Also in his background was a 26-week stint at Sweet Georgia Brown in Savannah during the key moments that went into the makeup of "The Garden of Good and Evil".



In the past ten years Masteller has concentrated on his lifelong dream, The Jazz Corner. The club was commissioned in 1999 with the legendary George Shearing Quintet, and is now an island institution. "The Jazz Corner has allowed me to pursue, with equal intensity, business and artistic goals at the same time, and I feel good about both pursuits", says Bob. Masteller has conducted a Live TV series at the Jazz Corner called "The Man Who Lived Jazz" on the senior channel and also conducts seminars on The History of Jazz in various venues throughout the country.

Bob Masteller performs "A TRIBUTE TO LOUIS ARMSTRONG" at the Westin Resort on Sunday, November 21st @ 5pm. Free for Coastal Jazz

Association members and \$10 for non-members. Attendees who join CJA while at the concert will also be admitted for free.

For more info call: 912.920.1317 or go to www.coastal-jazz.org

Christmass Concert -Just Across the River-

A Thirty-five Year Old Savannah Jazz Tradition !



Jazz Yule Love

The 35th Annual Holiday Jazz Concert
~Christmas Evening~ Westin Savannah Harbor

It might happen on Christmas night, but the jazz will be served up straight-ahead and beautiful. So Jazz-up your spirit this holiday season in Savannah by attending *The 35th Annual CJA Holiday Concert and Jam Session*. Mark your calendar for Saturday, December 25 at 5:00 p.m. and head down to *Westin Savannah Harbor on Hutchinson Island – Just Across the River – for some great jazz.*

Trombonist, Teddy Adams will host a who's who of regional jazz *All-Stars*. "Yule" hear some of the best musicians in the Coastal Empire. This is the annual CJA fundraiser and will benefit the student scholarship education fund. Tickets Cost \$15 in advance and \$20 at the door.

Because of the intimate setting only a limited number of tickets will be sold !!!

Friday Jazz At Blowin Smoke

Every Friday @ 6:30 to 9:30, Blowin' Smoke features the jazz trio "Interplay." Interplay features:

Eric Jones -piano
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Sean Bolden-drums.

Enjoy jazz and BBQ every Friday !

Reserve your tickets by calling 912.920.1317 or at Portman's Music Superstore, Rody's Music, the Westin Savannah Resort or any CJA Board Member.

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Jazz Yule Love The 35th Annual CJA
Holiday Concert and
Jam Session**

**When: Saturday,
December 25 @ 5:00 P.M.
Where: Westin -
Savannah Harbor
Resort on Hutchinson
Island**



Cost: \$15 in advance. \$20 at the door.

For tickets, call: 912.920.1317

Sites and Sounds of Savannah Jazz

Friday, November 19th

Dr. Julius "Boo" Hornstein, local jazz historian and author of the classic *Sites and Sounds of Savannah Jazz* will present a slide lecture titled, "The King in Exile" that discusses the last and tragic days in Savannah of the great cornetist and mentor to Louis Armstrong, Joe "King" Oliver, at *The Book Lady Bookstore*, 6 East Liberty Street. The presentation will take place: Friday, November 19th at 7:00 p.m. Rare photos about the music scene on old West Broad Street will be presented. For further information call (912) 233-3628 or email books@thebookladybookstore.com

13th Annual Musical Salute To MLK

Featuring

**The Savannah Jazz Orchestra &
Savannah Arts Academy Skyelite Band**

Tuesday, January 11th @ the Jewish Educational Alliance

Open to the Public Admission is Free

The Jewish Educational Alliance will be host to the Thirteenth Annual, "A Musical Salute to Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr." on Tuesday, January 11th at 7:00 P.M. at the Jewish Educational Alliance (5111 Abercorn St).

This year's event is being co-presented by the



Jewish Educational Alliance, the Savannah Jewish Federation Community Relations Council, the

Martin Luther King, Jr. Observance Day Association, the Coastal Jazz Association, through a grant from the City of Savannah's Department of Cultural Affairs. Portman's Music Superstore, Hands On Savannah and MStar Arts are the event's sponsors.

There will be a dessert reception at intermission.

This very powerful event, which will feature the Savannah Jazz Orchestra, co-led by Teddy Adams and Randall Reese, & The Savannah Arts Academy Skyelite Jazz Band, under the baton of Terry Staten, is part of the official

Martin Luther King, Jr. Observance Celebration which pays tribute to the birth and life of one of America's great men of freedom, justice and equality. The Savannah Jazz Orchestra is comprised of the areas best musicians and has backed some of the biggest names in jazz, including: Benny Golson, Jimmy Heath, Diane Schuur, Clark Terry and Bobby Watson. They have performed at most of the Savannah Jazz Festivals and their annual Tribute to the Duke Ellington Concert is a favorite among local jazz fans. The Skyelite Jazz Band has traveled the globe representing Savannah and has won many awards and accolades.

The concert is free and open to the community thanks to the support of the Savannah Jewish Federation and a generous grant from the City of Savannah.

So come hear some wonderful music as the JEA plays host to a concert honoring one of the great men of the twentieth century.

This will be an event for the whole community to share. More info at www.coastal-jazz.org.

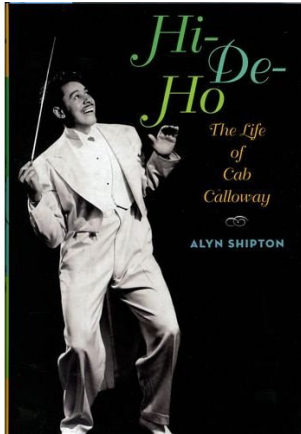


The Word on Jazz . . .

Hi-de-ho

The Life of Cab Calloway

By Alyn Shipton



Clad in white tie and tails, dancing and scatting his way through the "Hi-de-ho" chorus of "Minnie the Moocher," Cab Calloway exuded a sly charm and sophistication that endeared him to legions of fans. In *Hi-de-ho*, author Alyn Shipton offers the first full-length

biography of Cab Calloway, whose vocal theatrics and flamboyant stage presence made him one of the highest-earning African American bandleaders.

Shipton sheds new light on Calloway's life and career, explaining how he traversed racial and social boundaries to become one of the country's most beloved entertainers. Drawing on first-hand accounts from Calloway's family, friends, and fellow musicians, the book traces the roots of this music icon, from his childhood in Rochester, New York, to his life of hustling on the streets of Baltimore. Shipton highlights how Calloway's desire to earn money to support his infant daughter prompted his first break into show business, when he joined his sister Blanche in a traveling revue. Beginning in obscure Baltimore nightclubs and culminating in his replacement of Duke Ellington at New York's famed Cotton Club, Calloway honed his gifts of scat singing and call-and-response routines. His career as a bandleader was matched by his genius as a talent-spotter, evidenced by his hiring of such

jazz luminaries as Ben Webster, Dizzy Gillespie, and Jonah Jones.

As the swing era waned, Calloway reinvented himself as a musical theatre star, appearing as Sportin' Life in "Porgy and Bess" in the early 1950s; in later years, Calloway cemented his status as a living legend through cameos on "Sesame Street" and his show-stopping appearance in the wildly popular "The Blues Brothers" movie, bringing his trademark "hi-de-ho" refrain to a new generation of audiences.

More than any other source, *Hi-de-ho* stands as an entertaining, not-to-be-missed portrait of Cab Calloway--one that expertly frames his enduring significance as a pioneering artist and entertainer.

Alyn Shipman explains his long time interest in Mr. Calloway: "I discovered the real riches of Cab Calloway's music in the 1980s when I was working in New Orleans on Danny Barker's memoirs (A Life in Jazz, Oxford 1986). From this first hand introduction by Cab's long-term guitarist, I went on to listen to more and more of Cab's records.

When I wanted to know more about the man himself, I realized there was no full biography. So I started work on one. It's taken almost 25 years since those first conversations with Danny and his fellow sidemen, Doc Cheatham, Jonah Jones and Milt Hinton, but the voyage has been full of fascinating discoveries, and I hope to share these with my readers."

Hardcover: 304 pages; Oxford University Press

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JOIN NOW! JOIN NOW!

As a member of CJA-S, you will receive the *Noteworthy* newsletter, which is mailed 12 times a year, free admission into our monthly concert series, email reminders of upcoming events. You will also be supporting the week-long Savannah Jazz Festival which is offered every September free of charge.

CJA also administers the Jazz Scholarship Fund which awards tuition assistance to college students for their continued education in jazz studies.

In addition to all the many benefits that a Coastal Jazz Association of Savannah membership provides, you will know that you are contributing to the support of jazz in your community. AND IT MAKES A GREAT HOLIDAY GIFT !!!

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The Savannah Winds presents "A Savannah Symphony"

Tuesday, November 30 at 7:30 PM

This is a very special concert that is part of the 75th anniversary celebration of the founding of Armstrong College, the predecessor of AASU. It features the world premiere of "A Savannah Symphony", commissioned by the Savannah Winds. It will be conducted by its composer, Philip Sparke, who is coming from England for the event.

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