

Thursdays at Twilight

Pavilion of the Two Sisters • New Orleans Botanical Garden • City Park
Gates open at 5pm – Music begins at 6pm • Admission \$10

JAN 10 - BOBBY CURE AND THE POPPA STOPPAS: Join us for a rocking good evening as we travel back in time with Bobby Cure to the doo-wop days of the 1950s when the Moon was Blue, and the question of the day was, "Why Do Fools Fall in Love?"

JAN 17 - WANDA ROUZAN AND A TASTE OF NEW ORLEANS: Wanda is known as one of the Crescent City's premier musical ambassadors. Wanda and her band fuses Blues and Jazz, Gospel and Soul, into a 'jump on your feet and sing along' music revival. wandarouzan.com

JAN 24 - YVETTE LANDRY AND THE JUKES: Grammy nominated musician, author and educator, Yvette Landry grew up in Breaux Bridge. She has teamed up with Roddie Romero and his "Hub City Allstars" to create, "Yvette Landry and The Jukes". Their recently released CD, "Louisiana Lovin", is a collection of Swamp Pop tunes, blues and classic R&B. This will be their first time performing at our series and I guarantee it will be a great show. yvettelandry.com

JAN 31 - THE PFISTER SISTERS: Holley Bendtsen, Yvette Voelker, Karen Stoehr, and Amasa Miller comprise one of the few groups that represent the New Orleans swing era with their recreation of the Boswell Sisters arrangements and the only act featuring vocal jazz harmony. pfistersisters.com

FEB 7 - THE YAT PACK: "The Yat Pack" is a New Orleans based band modeled on the 60's Vegas Swing Era. They will perform classic big band numbers by Frank Sinatra, Louis Prima, Dean Martin, etc. They will also mix in good old New Orleans R&B. theyatpack.com

FEB 14 - JAMES RIVERS MOVEMENT: James Rivers is a New Orleans musical treasure. He plays a mixture of rock, progressive jazz, rhythm and blues, and gospel. James Rivers, one of only three jazz musicians ever known to play the bagpipes, calls himself a saxophonist, but his forte is an amazing musical dexterity that has helped him master a dozen other instruments.

FEB 21 - LADIES OF SOUL: You know Naydja CoJoe, Rechelle Cook, and Sharon Martin as "The Ladies of Soul", having performed at the Garden with "The Mystics". They will not only sing a bit of Motown, but also Jazz, R & B, and familiar New Orleans tunes.

FEB 28 - NO CONCERT TONIGHT. HAPPY MARDI GRAS!

MAR 7 - PAUL SANCHEZ: Paul Sanchez was named Songwriter of the Year in New Orleans at the Best of The Beat Awards in 2017, 2016, 2014 and 2009. Sanchez has written songs performed by John Boutté, Susan Cowsill, country artist Darius Rucker, Irma Thomas, and Tony Award winning actor Michael Cerveris.

MAR 14 - BOOGIEMEN SWING BAND: "The Boogiemens" will perform the music of Frank Sinatra, Michael Bubl , Harry Connick Jr. and more. Don't miss this special night of music!! boogiemens-nola.com

MAR 21 - RAPHAEL BAS AND HARMONOUCHE: A traditional gypsy jazz band combining world class musicianship and a good dose of humor to deliver a unique sound orchestrated with jazz guitar, harmonica, whistling, accordion, piano, clarinet and saxophone. raphaelbas.com

MAR 28 - HARVEY JESUS AND FIRE: "Harvey Jesus and Fire" is Louisiana's premiere dance band and has performed all over the Gulf South and Las Vegas. With the most extensive song list in their musical arsenal, it is sure to be a great evening of music. harveyjesus.com

APR 4 - NO CONCERT: ARTISTS IN THE PARK ART SHOW

APRIL 11 - ARMAND ST. MARTIN: The Los Angeles Times dubbed Armand St. Martin "non-stop entertainment". He follows in the footsteps of New Orleans piano legends Fats, Tuts, Toussaint, Archibald, Sykes, Booker, the Dr., and the Professor. His seasoned-pro all-stars join him in mixing jazzy standards with New Orleans classic R&B, and blending familiar classics with occasional originals to create his own sound.

APR 18 - PAUL SONIAT AND SPECIAL GUESTS: The Garden's own, singer/songwriter Paul Soniat will perform his original songs, which always entertain and engage the audience. He is sure to have some new songs, so grab your mint julep and get ready for an enjoyable evening. paulsoniat.com

APR 25 - SPECIAL OUTDOOR CONCERT - THREADHEAD THURSDAY

MAY 2 - PATRICE FISHER & ARPA WITH SPECIAL GUESTS FROM BRAZIL: Special guests from Brazil join harpist Patrice Fisher to perform a blending of music from Central, South and North America.

MAY 9 - JOHN BOUTT : Voted best male vocalist of the year at both the "Best of the Beat" and the "Big Easy Awards". His song "Trem " is the theme song of the popular HBO series. johnboutte.com

MAY 16 - CREOLE STRING BEANS: New Orleans party band with a repertoire that ranges far and wide from Fats Domino and Bobby Charles to Duke Ellington. creolestingbeans.com

MAY 23 - NEW ORLEANS MYSTICS: Songs from the Temptations, O'Jays, Marvin Gaye, and Otis Redding will all be part of this soulful tribute to some of the greatest music from the 1970s.

MAY 30 - BANU GIBSON: A superior and swinging jazz singer, Banu is one of the few vocalists of her generation to maintain loyalty to songs of the 1920s, 30s, and 40s. banugibson.com

Mint juleps, wine, beer, soft drinks and food available. No outside food or drink or pets allowed.

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