

## JAZZ JAMBALAYA | CALENDAR

4th Monday  
6:30pm



19 March  
*Della Reese Tribute*



Karmilla Ali  
Gulf City Lodge

ADMISSION  
\$10 Members  
\$15 Guests  
\$12 Students/ Military  
w/ID  
\$1 Door Prize Tickets

19 February  
"Jazz Legacies"  
**Mobile Public Library**  
Bernheim Hall

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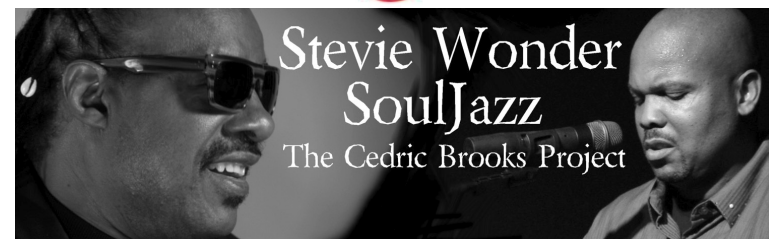
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## THANKS

*The Drowsy Poet | Joe Occhipinti | Gulf City Lodge | Mobile Public Library*

# JAZZ JAMBALAYA



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  
Bernheim Hall . Ben May Main  
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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

## JANUARY 2018 BIRTHDAYS

Joe Camp  
David Carroll  
Theresa Davidson  
Dana Fleming

Denise Hines  
Kevin Lee  
Cyndy Lewis

David Oliver  
Joe Plataras  
Susan Sass  
E. J. Wright



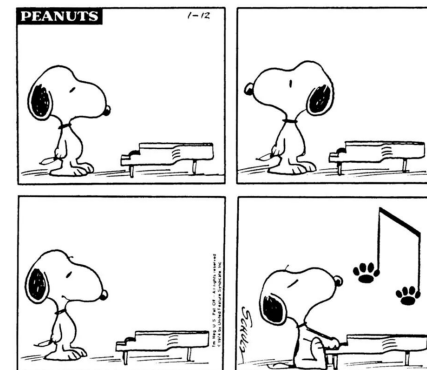
Monday, 2.5.18, 6:30pm *Jazz Pensacola Jazz Jam*  
Horizen Restaurant, 3103 E. Strong St., Pensacola, FL  
\$10 members/guests | \$12 non-members | \$5 students  
w/ID | performing musicians, free

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

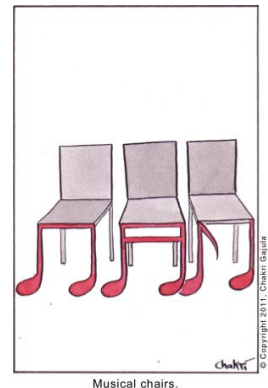
Friday, 2.23.18, 7-10pm *3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Dinner/Dance* **Mobile Big Band Society Band**  
Battleship Memorial Park Aircraft Pavilion, Hwy. 98 Causeway, Mobile, AL  
\$50 Reservations required

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The piano is celebrating its 316th anniversary. It's also the anniversary of the phrase "But I don't want to practice!"



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