

PJ'S - GRAHAMSTOWN 2-12 JULY 1998







Standard Bank National Arts Festival

#### **Dear Festinos**

Now in its 9th year, the Standard Bank Jazz Festival continues to grow and adapt, to keep pace with the tastes and requirements of loyal supporters and those of you who have more recently discovered the delicious pleasures of jazz. Jazz is many things but certainly it is an international conversation spoken by men, women and children from every corner of the world.

This year's programme aims to broaden the inclusivity of our festival and this manifests itself in many ways.

MANN... All time jazz legend Herbie Mann has collaborated with musicians from many parts of the world and is truly excited at the opportunity to include a big South African contingent in the bands hand picked for his first ever South African performances at the festival.

WOMEN... A run through the performance schedule reveals a bigger than-ever female participation - vocal and instrumental, South African, American. African American. Native American and Brazilian.

KIDS... The Standard Bank National Youth Jazz Festival (NYJF) runs concurrently with the Standard Bank Jazz Festival. and creates special opportunities for aspirant young musicians from all walks of life. Catch the creative overlaps when the Professors and the students perform up at PJ's.

**IAZZ FEST FORMAT... AND PRICE BUSTERS...** The new Jazz Fest format which applies on most days is:

- ▼ 17h00 Sundowner price buster
- ▼ 19h30 Concert 1
- ▼ 22h00 Concert 2
- ▼ 24h00 Midnite Special or Jam Session more price busters

Most shows are 70 minutes' duration, but look out for the 80 minute double-headers and the 2 hour-plus AII-Star jazz summit closer.

TOWNSHIP IN THE TOWNSHIP... The best way to hear Township is in the Township, if you get our meaning. Don't miss our "Get up and Dance" Township concert at Nombulelu, Sunday July 5, 14h00 (Map reference 02).

BE OUR GUEST... Daily at 13h00, Grahamstown's own swinging Township band, Sivile, will be performing free of charge at the Village Green.

CD'S... Get to the show early or linger after and browse through the "Best of the Standard Bank Jazz Festival" and other fine CD's. On festival opening night, Thur July 2 at 24h00, be our guest for a free CD party when you'll hear the discs through the PJ's live auditorium sound system.

STYLES... Established legends such as Herbie Mann and Count Basie Band vocalist Irene Reid... Hammond Organ blues-breaker Mike Carr... South African songstresses Dolly Rathebe, Sylvia Mdunyelwa. Tu Nokwe and Gloria Bosman... Mainstream/swing exponents Lithins-Fourie-Gontsana... Township teamsters The African Jazz Pioneers and the Elite Swingsters... Morris Goldberg leading OJOYO with two repertoires - Safrojazz and a Latin-American fiesta... The Karlheinz Miklin Trio introducing South Africans to the modern European styles... And, of course, the jam session favourites where any style we might not have covered is bound to get the treatment.

GET UP AND DANCE... You've danced in the aisles and we got the message ... There'll be dance floor space at all African Jazz Pioneers and Elite Swingsters shows, as well as the All-Star concert.

As always, a million thanks to the sponsors who make this unique South African plug-in to the world wide jazz festival circuit a reality.

See you there!

**Henry Shields** 

Standard Bank Jazz Festival Producer



#### 17h00: THE JAZZ PROFESSORS

Taking a break from their teaching duties at the Standard Bank National Youth Jazz Festival, the Professors from Austria and South Africa join forces and show us how it's done ONE SHOW ONLY - NO REPEATS (70 mins)

#### 19h30: THE AFRICAN JAZZ PIONEERS

Bra Ntemi Piliso's Sophiatown big sound is back! Sit. stand or dance - it's a free country (70 mins)

#### 22h00: TU NOKWE

Africa's hottest young songstress makes a triumphant return with her drivin' band and sweet voiced female vocal section, spanning a range of traditional songs from her Kwa Mashu home-town roots to her Manhattan, New York, energy SPECIAL PREVIEW PRICE BUSTER (70 mins)

#### 24h00: LION'S HEAD RECORDS CD PARTY

Midnight Special - join the party and enjoy the music from the '96 and '97 live at the Festival CD's played on the full PJ's sound system. Be Our Guest - No Charge (Till Late)



17h00: DOUBLE HEADER

IRENE REID & THE MIKE CARR TRIO

Mike Carr (hailed by Oscar Peterson as the world's leading Hammond organ exponent) teams up with fellow Londoner Jim Mullen (of Average White Band and Herbie Mann Band fame) on guitar, plus SA's hottest jazz and blues drummer, Lulu Gontsana. to launch their standard-setting Good Time & The Blues CD. Second half of the show sees the trio backing New-Yorker Irene Reid (Count Basie Big Band vocal star) (80 mins)

19h30: THE AFRICAN JAZZ PIONEERS

FINAL Repeat of Thur July 2 19h30 show (70 mins)

#### 22h00: HERBIE MANN

Jazz flute luminary, world music pioneer, 14-time Downbeat poll winner, gold record recipient... these are some of the accolades heaped on the legendary jazz man who took the flute from "miscellaneous instrument" category to world wide recognition. Herbie Mann fulfils a lifelong ambition in performing for the first time on South African soil with a South African-Mozambican rhythm section plus special quest Jim Mullen from London reuniting with Mr Mann. Herbie will perform a "then and now" repertoire of jazz, blues, Latin and South African tunes reflecting his celebrated career in music and new inspirations. Herbie Mann's Friday & Saturday shows will feature the same quintet and similar repertoire.

The Sunday night All-Star Jazz Summit will feature a bigger band format and a different repertoire (80 mins)

#### 24h00: TU NOKWE

Repeat of Thur July 2 22h00 show (70 mins)



#### 17h00: DOUBLE-HEADER

MIKE CARR TRIO featuring IRENE REID Repeat of Fri July 3 17h00 show - some repertoire changes (80 mins)

#### 19h30: HERBIE MANN

Repeat of Fri July 3 22h00 show, with some repertoire changes (80 mins)

22h00: TU NOKWE

FINAL Repeat of Thur July 2 22h00 show (70 mins)

#### 24h00. ALL STAR JAZZ & BLUES JAM

With the hottest musicians in town from Austria, America, England, Mozambique, Brazil and South Africa, anything can happen.

MIDNITE SPECIAL PRICE BUSTER (70 mins and more)

# SUNDAY JULY 5

#### 14h30: JAZZ AT NOMBULELO

Standard Bank Jazz takes a trip from our PJ's perch on the hill out to Nombulelo Hall where Morris Goldberg and OJOYO. Irene Reid, Tu Nokwe, Lulu Gontsana, Mike Carr and Jim Mullen join forces for a township jazz bash.

NO REPEATS - dancing/standing only (90 mins)

#### 17h00: STANDARD BANK NATIONAL YOUTH JAZZ FESTIVAL BANDS

Hear next year's stars after 4 days of intense jazz tuition - in concert!

ONE SHOW ONLY (70 mins)

### 19h30: THE KARLHEINZ MIKLIN TRIO

Austria's leading jazz exponents take time out from the summer iazz circuit in Europe for their first ever SA appearance COURTESY OF THE AUSTRIAN AMBASSADOR IN PRETORIA. The trio performs in the new European cutting-edge style. (70 mins)

#### 22h00: ALL-STAR JAZZ SUMMIT

A 2-hour tri-continental cross cultural collaboration featuring Herbie Mann, Morris Goldberg, Jim Mullen, Bheki Khoza and more. This 10 piece top international festival commissioned band will be recording live on stage an exciting amalgam of Mann, Motown, Reggae and Township rhythms and tunes. ONE SHOW ONLY - YOU CAN GET UP & DANCE (2 hours)



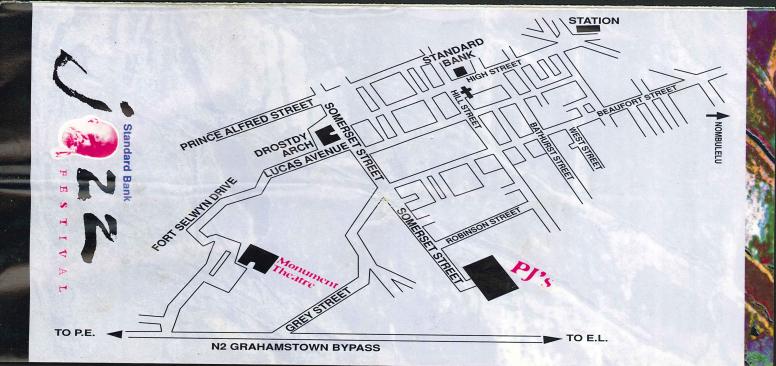
## 17h00: THE KARLHEINZ MIKLIN TRIO

Repeat of Sun July 5 19h30 show (70 mins)

#### 19h30: GLORIA BOSMAN QUINTET

Jo'burg's new and hot vocal sensation, Gloria Bosman, fronts a quintet with Arthur Tshabalala, Mbongiseni Mazibuko, Mandla Zikalala and Jethro Shasha

(70 mins)





22h00: DOUBLE-HEADER - MIKE CARR TRIO and IRENE REID
Repeat of Fri July 3 17h00 show

- some repertoire changes (80 mins)

#### 24h00: MORRIS GOLDBERG & OJOYO

Morris returns home from New York with his Manhattan based cosmopolitan Ojoyo line up including South Africans Bheki Khoza (guitar), Tony Cedras (piano, keyboards & accordion) and Anton Fig (drums); native American percussion star Valerie Naranjo, Brazilian Cecilia Tenconi (tenor sax), African American Chulo Gatewood (electric bass) and special guest trumpet player Omar Kabir.

 Note different repertoires – this show features Goldberg's SAFROJAZZ (South African Jazz) repertoire (70 mins)



#### 17h00: GLORIA BOSMAN QUINTET

FINAL Repeat of Mon July 6 19h30 show (70 mins)

19h30: THE KARLHEINZ MIKLIN TRIO FINAL Repeat of Sun July 5 19h30 show

22h00: DOUBLE-HEADER

MIKE CARR TRIO and IRENE REID Repeat of Fri July 3 17h00 show - some repertoire changes

(80 mins)

(80 mins)

(70 mins)

24h00: MORRIS GOLDBERG & OJOYO

Latin American Fiesta

OJOYO plays North and South American jazz featuring the Brazilian and New York members of this Manhattan-based all star line-up (70 mins)



#### 17h00: SYLVIA MDUNYELWA QUINTET

Following her Grahamstown guest-spot hit with BoereQanga, Mama Africa returns to Grahamstown with her own band and repertoire to give her unique treatment to African and American jazz favourites. Be there for this Lion's Head Records live recording. (70 mins)

19h30: DOUBLE-HEADER
MIKE CARR TRIO and IRENE REID
FINAL Repeat of Fri July 3 17h00 show

22h00: MORRIS GOLDBERG & OJOYO

Safrojazz repertoire - Repeat of Mon July 6 24h00 show

#### 24h00: INTERNATIONAL GUITAR SUMMIT

A unique festival opportunity to present three international guitar legends – Britain's Jim Mullen and South Africa's Johnny Fourie and Bheki Khoza plus rhythm section ONE SHOW ONLY (70 mins)



#### 17h00: SYLVIA MDUNYELWA QUINTET

FINAL Repeat of Wed July 8 17h00 show. Be there for this Lion's Head Records live recording (70 mins)

#### 19h30: THE LITHINS-FOURIE BAND

Co-leaders Dave Lithins (piano) and Johnny Fourie (guitar) satisfy mainstream and swing tastes with tributes to the legendary trios of Nat King Cole and Oscar Peterson. Featuring Lulu Gontsana on drums – Watch "Cue" for double base guest feature details (80 mins)

#### 22h00: MORRIS GOLDBERG & OJOYO

Safrojazz repertoire - Repeat of Mon July 6 24h00 show (70 mins)

#### 24h00: THE SKIN SESSION

Featuring the top drum and percussion exponents on the festival blending their native American, South American, African and jazz rhythms. Featured guests include Anton Fig, Lulu Gontsana and Valerie Naranjo ONE SHOW ONLY (70 mins)



#### 17h00: THE LITHINS-FOURIE BAND ON BROADWAY

Piano and guitar virtuosos, Dave Lithins and Johnny Fourie, colead a quartet through the music of the top Broadway shows. This repertoire performed once only (70 mins)

#### 19h30: THE ELITE SWINGSTERS featuring DOLLY RATHEBE

The Sophiatown veterans return from the international arena to perform their exciting Township jive 'n jazz. Dancing allowed!!! (70 mins)

#### 22h00: MORRIS GOLDBERG & OJOYO

Latin American Fiesta FINAL Repeat of Tues July 7 24h00 show (70 mins)

#### 24h00: JAZZ JAM

The Who's Who of jazz is in town, so come and see what cooks

on this Midnite Special Price Breaker (70 mins and more)

# SATURDAY JULY 11

#### 17h00: THE LITHINS-FOURIE BAND

FINAL repeat of Thur July 9 19h30 show their tributes to the legendary Nat King Cole and Oscar Peterson Trios Live Recording - Some different repertoire (70 mins)

### 19h30: THE ELITE SWINGSTERS featuring DOLLY RATHEBE

FINAL Repeat of Fri July 10 19h30 show

- Bring your dancin' shoes (70 mins)

#### 22h00: ALL-STAR CLOSER

Cedras, Fig, Fourie, Gatewood, Goldberg, Gontsana, Kabir, Khoza, Lithins, Naranjo, some Swingsters and Tenconi combine every which way on the Standard Bank Jazz Festival's traditional CLOSER

- till late



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