

WELCOME

Thanks for visiting ExodusToJazz.com. The third year of the Exodus To Jazz series began with two memorable September shows - Sept. 5th with Paradigm Shift (with Wycliffe Gordan, Marcus Printup and Gray Mayfield) and Sept. 12th with the rematch between Mulgrew Miller and Johnny O'Neal.

Energized by the September shows, I am excited about the four groups being featured in October and November. Each combo – three led by drummers Ulysses Owens, Sylvia Cuenca and Jeff “Tain” Watts, the fourth led by saxophonist Seamus Blake – represents an impressive array of talent that promises great entertainment as they extend the bebop continuum.

I hope you are excited by the line-up of artists in each group. Led by Rochester’s native son Joe Locke and Jeff “Tain” Watts, several are well established among the most acclaimed musicians on the jazz scene today. Whether a bright spot on the jazz radar screen or rapidly emerging “below the radar”, the talented artists listed promise terrific month of jazz.

<u>Instrument</u>	<u>Oct. 3</u>	<u>Oct. 17</u>	<u>Oct. 31</u>	<u>Nov. 1</u>
Drums	<i>Ulysses Owens</i>	Jordan Perlson	<i>Sylvia Cuenca</i>	<i>Jeff “Tain” Watts</i>
Saxophone	Tim Green	<i>Seamus Blake</i>	-	Marcus Strickland
Piano	Sullivan Fortner	David Kikoski	-	David Budway
Vibes	-	-	Joe Locke	-
Guitar	-	-	David Gilmore	-
Bass	Ben Williams	Orlando Le Fleming	Essiet O. Essiet	Christopher Smith
Vocals	Alicia Olatuja	-	-	-

The back-to-back shows featuring groups led by Sylvia Cuenca and Jeff “Tain” Watts comprise the Exodus Weekend during which we will celebrate the third anniversary of the series.

Special discount packages are available for the four October and November shows. You can order a discount package by sending an email to ExodusToJazz@aol.com. Discounts off of the general admission (\$20) and reserved (\$ 25) ticket prices based on the number of shows pre-purchased are summarized as follows:

<u>Pre-Purchase Level</u>	<u>Discount</u>	<u>Per Ticket Savings</u>		<u>Package Price/ Disc.Ticket</u>	
		<u>Gen. Adm.</u>	<u>Reservd.</u>	<u>Gen. Adm.</u>	<u>Reservd.</u>
Two shows	15 %	\$ 3.00	\$ 3.75	\$ 34.00	\$ 42.50
Three shows	20 %	\$ 4.00	\$ 5.00	\$ 48.00	\$ 60.00
Four shows	25 %	\$ 5.00	\$ 6.25	\$ 60.00	\$ 75.00

In the email order, indicate the following:

- 1) Show dates: Oct. 3, Oct. 17, Oct. 31, Nov. 1
- 2) Show times for each show date: 8:00 PM or 10:00 PM
- 3) Number of tickets: General Admission or Reserved.

A return email will confirm your order which is payable by cash or check at the Will Call/Ticket desk the first show of discount-package. Please call (585) 733-7685 if you have any questions.

Join the Exodus to great music this month! I look forward to welcoming you to the shows.

Jose S. DaCosta

