



Barbara Martin Winter Newsletter

I was pleased and proud to be a finalist in the Smithsonian/BMI/SAW Songwriter's Showcase competition with two songs: Blue Storm and Kaleidoscope, a co-write with Greg Traftidlo. Three of my co-writes with Joel Evans appear on his latest CD, Just What the Doctor Ordered. I spent two weeks in California attending the Billboard Film and TV Conference and the TAXI Road Rally. What a blast! I met new friends and reconnected with old ones. In between conferences I hiked in Yosemite and Sequoia National Parks. Stunning! I'm now on Facebook, where you'll find photos of my latest performances and other news:

<http://www.facebook.com/pages/Barbara-Martin-Music/148505047941?ref=ts>

Get some stress reduction during the holidays with a Tis the Season CD. Acoustic guitar and vocal winter solstice songs with guitarist Mac Walter. Order more than two CDs and pay only \$10 per CD. Send me an email or the CDs are available at Sacred Circle in Staunton, VA and at CD Baby.com <http://www.cdbaby.com/cd/barbaram5>

Sunday, December 6, 10:30 am, Barbara solo, Tis the Season, Winter Solstice Program, Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of the Rappahannock, 366 James Wharf Rd., White Stone, VA 22578 (804) 435-7577

Tuesday, January 12, 12-1 pm, Barbara solo, Waynesboro Library, 600 S. Wayne Avenue. Waynesboro, VA 22980 (540) 942-6746 www.waynesboro.va.us/library Free

Sunday, January 17, 1-3 pm, Barbara solo, Taubman Museum of Art, 110 Salem Ave. SE, Roanoke, VA 24011 (540) 342-5760 www.taubmanmuseum.org Free with admission to museum

Monday, January 18, 12:30-1:30 pm, Women in Blues and Jazz, Co-Art Gallery, 22 W. Beverley St., Staunton, VA 540-886-0737 www.coartgallery.com Free

Tuesday, January 19, 7-9 pm, doors open at 6:30 pm, Barbara Martin Trio, Hod O'Brien-piano, Bob Bowen-bass, Charlottesville Jazz Society, Bel Rio Restaurant, 407 Monticello Rd., Charlottesville, VA 22902 (434) 979-5299 \$5 cover supports the Jazz Society
<http://cvillejazz.org> www.belriocharlottesville.com

February 14, 3pm, Barbara Martin and Mac Walter, "The Story of Love" Valentine's Concert, Ballroom at the Martha Washington Inn, 150 W. Main St., Abingdon, VA \$10 for adults, \$5 for students Contact Ben Jennings at 276-739-2447 or email bjennings@vhcc.edu for more information

Saturday, March 13, 7 pm, Second Saturdays at Seven Concert Series, Barbara Martin & Mac Walter, Tabb Library, 100 Long Green Blvd., (Intersection of Hampton Highway (VA Rt. 134) and Long Green Boulevard, across from the Victory YMCA) Yorktown, VA 23693 Free (757)890-5120 www.yorkcounty.gov/library/library_programs/saturdaysatseven.htm

Wednesday, March 24, 7:30-8:30 pm, Barbara Martin & Mac Walter, Women in Blues and Jazz, Friendship Heights Community Center, 4433 S. Park Ave., Chevy Chase, MD 301-656-2797 www.friendshipheightsmd.gov Free