

SEVENTH ANNUAL REDWOOD COAST

WHALE & JAZZ

FESTIVAL • APRIL 2009

POETRY and JAZZ



JAPANESE POETRY, THEATER AND MUSIC

Poetry & Jazz presents a selection of Japan's many poetry forms. Dressed in kimono, Mariko Kitakubo of Tokyo will perform her own tanka, and Linda Galloway will recite Amelia Fielden's translations. Blake More will recite a poem written in Japan.

These poets will be accompanied on the koto (harp) by Shirley Muramoto and Karl Young on the shakuhachi (bamboo flute). Though both musicians are classically trained, they have a spirited interest in jazz that will be revealed in their instrumental duet composed by Karl. Renee Owen will read her haibun and be accompanied by her husband, Brian Foster, on the shakuhachi.

The feature of the evening will be a butoh theater piece composed and danced by Don McLeod, master of a school for butoh training in Los Angeles, using the haiku of Basho as translated by Jane Reichhold.

SATURDAY APRIL 11 7:30 PM

GUALALA ARTS CENTER

In coordination with the Poetry & Jazz event, there will be an exhibit of works combining Japanese poetry and art from April 1st through April 29, in celebration of April as National Poetry Month.

Tickets \$20 advance, and, \$5 more day of performance – if available. Buy tickets at BROWNPAPERTICKETS.COM or 1-800-838-3006 which include sushi and plum wine, sake or tea for a completely Asian experience.



Three Weekends – Something for Everyone

WHALE LECTURE
Thursday, April 2
Gualala Arts Center

WINE & JAZZ
Saturday, April 4
Annapolis Winery

BRUNCH & JAZZ
Sunday, April 5
Redwood Grill

SUNSET & JAZZ
Friday, April 10
The Sea Ranch Lodge

ROMANCE & JAZZ
Saturday, April 11
Whale Watch Inn

**ARENA THEATER
EVENT**
Saturday, April 18
Arena Theater

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ALL EVENTS
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DINNER & JAZZ
Friday, April 3
St. Orres Dining Room

**WHALE & JAZZ
MAIN EVENT**
Saturday, April 4
Gualala Arts Center

JAZZ FILM
Monday, April 6
Arena Theater

CHOWDER & JAZZ
Saturday, April 11
Gualala Arts Center

JAVA & JAZZ
Sunday, April 12
Blue Canoe

JAZZ FILM
Monday, April 20
Arena Theater

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