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## Brazilian Strings Trio plays hot, sweet jazz in Manzanita

All-ages show takes place April 25

MANZANITA — The Brazilian Strings Trio — a band that plays hot, sweet jazz with soulful South American flair — returns to Hoffman Center for the Arts at 7 p.m. Thursday, April 25, as part of their West Coast Tour.

Admission for this all-ages show is \$20 (cash only).

The Brazilian Strings Trio is composed of three innovative instrumentalists.

Ted Falcon and Andrew Finn Magill are both multi-genre American violinists who, after years of living in Brazil, have become ambassadors of the growing Brazilian violin movement. Rounding out the trio is Brazilian guitarist Nando Duarte, a giant of the contemporary Brazilian music scene and an award-winning composer and arranger.

The venue is at 594 Laneda Ave.



Gary Seelig

Brazilian Strings Trio

## The Skamokawa Swamp Opera in concert

Festivities held April 20 after 'Farms & Flowers' opening reception

SKAMOKAWA, Wash. — Friends of Skamokawa presents Skamokawa Swamp Opera in concert 7 p.m. Saturday, April 20, at the River Life Interpretive Center/Central School/Redmen Hall, 1394 Washington State Route 4.

Skamokawa Swamp Opera is Andrew Emlen, Kyleen Austin, Erik Friend and Jilian Raye. From hip-hop, to opera, to folk to pop, these four talented musicians bring something for all musical tastes. Enjoy a fun, lively evening of musical excellence, laughter and a celebration of Skamokawa. This is a fundraiser for the Friends of Skamokawa Foundation.



Submitted photo

The Skamokawa Swamp Opera.

Tickets are one for \$15, two for \$25, and are available in Cathlamet at Bank of the Pacific and Daisy Chain Floral, and in Skamokawa at the River Life Interpretive Center and the Skamokawa General Store.

Tickets are also available at

friendsofskamokawa.org.

Festivities start with the Farm & Flowers photography exhibit opening reception from 3 to 5 p.m. (see related story), then a brief interlude with dinner options available by request, followed by the concert.

### Thursday, April 18

**Thursday Night Jazz With Basin St. Nw**  
6 p.m., Bridgewater Bistro, 20 Basin St., 503-325-6777. Thursday night jazz with Basin Street NW duo.

### Friday, April 19

#### Garibaldi Jam

6 p.m., Garibaldi Community Hall, Sixth Street and Acacia Ave., Garibaldi, 503-322-3327. The Jam plays mostly old-time favorites and country-western standards using their sound system, while the audience cuts a rug on the dance floor.

#### Buzz Rogowski

6 p.m., Bridgewater Bistro, 20 Basin St., Astoria, 503-325-6777. Rogowski loves the great contemporary pop music icons such as Elton John, The Beatles and Neil Young.

#### Wes Wahrmond

6:30 p.m., The Bistro, 263 N. Hemlock, Cannon Beach, 503-436-2661. Wahrmond plays his instrumental guitar in the dining room.

#### Maggie & the Katz

6:30 p.m., Sweet Basil's Cafe, 271 N. Hemlock St., Cannon Beach, 503-436-1539, no cover. Maggie & the Katz play blues, soul and rhythm-n-blues.

#### Music at McMenamins

7 p.m., McMenamins Gearhart Hotel, 1157 N. Marion Ave., Gearhart, 503-717-8159, free. Live music at McMenamins Gearhart Hotel/Sand Trap downstairs in the Livingstone's Room. Food and drink available for purchase.

### Saturday, April 20

#### David Drury on Guitar

6 p.m., Bridgewater Bistro, 20 Basin St., Astoria, 503-325-6777. Enjoy complimentary live music at the Bridgewater Bistro while you dine or sip a drink at the bar.

#### Wes Wahrmond

6:30 p.m., The Bistro, 263 N. Hemlock, Cannon Beach, 503-436-2661. Wahrmond plays his instrumental guitar in the dining room.

#### Toasted

7 p.m. North Beach Tavern, 102 Pioneer Road E, Long Beach, Wash. 360-642-2302. Led by Bryan Foster and Fred Carter, they play the music we all grew up with and still enjoy. No cover.

#### Eric John Kaiser

7 p.m. Public Coast Brewing Co., 264 E. Third St., Cannon Beach. 503-436-0285. No cover.

#### Niall Carroll

7 p.m. WineKraft Wine Bar, 80 10th St., Astoria. 503-468-0206. Guitar, vocals and harmonica, pop, ballads and light rock.

### An Evening of Blues

7 p.m. River City Playhouse, 127 Lake St., Ilwaco, Wash. 360-244-5244. \$10 at the door, advance tickets available at clint-carterblues@yahoo.com. A fundraiser for the Peninsula R&B Festival. Beer and wine available, nacho bar, silent auction items, and music by North Coast Blues with special guests Robin Gibson, Pat Lines and Jim Rafferty.

#### Mark Dove

7:30 p.m., Seaside American Legion, 315 Broadway, Seaside. 503-738-5111. Texas roadhouse act to please the honest country honky-tonk fans.

#### The Saxophones Plus Lynette

8 p.m. Sou'Wester Lodge, 728 J Place, Seaview, Wash. 360-642-2542. Free. Alexi Erenkov and his wife, Alison Alderice combine as The Saxophones and will be joined by Lynette, an electronic music artist based in Portland.

### Sunday, April 21

#### Jennifer Goodenberger on Piano

11:30 a.m. Bridgewater Bistro, 20 Basin St., Astoria. 503-325-6777. Goodenberger, loves the music of Broadway, American songbook, film scores, popular standards and Celtic Airs.

#### Dan Sternadel on Piano

6 p.m. Bridgewater Bistro, 20 Basin St., Astoria. 503-325-6777. Hard rock, classic blues, Celtic/old time venues.

### Monday, April 22

#### Dan Sternadel on Piano

6 p.m. Bridgewater Bistro, 20 Basin St., Astoria. 503-325-6777. Hard rock, classic blues, Celtic/old time venues.

#### Q Choir rehearsals

7 p.m., Liberty Theatre, 1203 Commercial St., Astoria. Studio A. All are welcome and encouraged to join.

### Wednesday, April 24

#### Buzz Rogowski

6 p.m. Bridgewater Bistro, 20 Basin St., Astoria. 503-325-6777. Great contemporary pop music.

### Thursday, April 25

#### Equinox

6 p.m. Bridgewater Bistro, 20 Basin St., Astoria. 503-325-6777. A blend of jazz traditions from originals to modern jazz.

#### Brazilian Strings Trio

7 p.m. Hoffman Center for the Arts, 594 Laneda Ave., Manzanita. 503-368-3846. \$20, cash only please. Rounding out the trio is Brazilian guitarist Nando Duarte.