

Brian Harris Group

“An Evening of Jazz”

Anderson Arts Center Twilight Jazz Series

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Brian Harris Group is the eponymously-named group led by pianist and vocalist Brian Harris. The group is a versatile vehicle that allows Brian and other talented, experienced musicians to engage in a broad range of musical projects. “An Evening of Jazz” is one such project/show developed by the group, performing piano-centric jazz music of many jazz legends along with original music as well. “The Power of 3” is a high-energy rock & roll show in homage of the music of Elton John, Billy Joel and Ray Charles.

Brian Harris Group is thrilled to bring “An Evening of Jazz” to the 2010 Twilight Jazz Series in Kenosha, Wisconsin. On July 20, 2010, the group will perform a unique mix of jazz, including music by Michele Camilo, Dave Brubeck, Dr. John, Nat King Cole, Chick Corea (and more!) along with original music by the group as well. It will be an exciting evening full of great jazz, pianistic fireworks and much more.

Performing alongside Brian on July 20 for “An Evening of Jazz” are:

Michael Gudbaur – Mike is a long-time partner and friend of Brian. He is well known throughout the area as a brilliant and versatile bassist. Mike is a trained musician and performs with symphonies, but is one of the area’s top jazz bassists as well. Along with laying down a great groove, he has a gifted lyrical touch for soloing as well.

Paul Griffin – Paul and Brian met playing Broadway shows, and cemented their musical friendship when brought together for jazz performances by Mike Gudbaur (a common acquaintance for both). Paul has an exquisite touch on the drums and brings a solid foundation to “An Evening of Jazz”. Paul also teaches drums, sharing his knowledge and love for percussion with young people in the area.

You can find out more about the group by visiting <http://www.BrianHarrisMusic.net>. There you’ll find links to listen to the Brian and the band’s music, see videos, purchase CDs and more. We hope to see you on July 20!