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10 Best Shows of 2006

San Francisco Bay Times

MUSIC / NIGHTLIFE:

Saturday, Feb. 17, **Lua Hadar** with the Jason Martineau Jazz Trio, Anna's Jazz Island



SHORT VERSION:

Sexy Italian ballads, funk à la Français, and the Great American Songbook: Following her sold-out November success, vocalist Lua Hadar returns to deliver her unique “jazz without borders” sound, backed by Jason Martineau on piano, Eugene Warren on bass and Randy Odell on drums. **SF Bay Times** “10 Best Shows of 2006.” Saturday, Feb. 17, 3 sets beginning at 8 pm, Anna's Jazz Island, 2120 Allston Way, Berkeley. Cover: \$10 Reservations: (510) 841- JAZZ. www.annasjazzisland.com

PHOTO: 320 dpi by email or download from http://www.luahadar.com/POP4_calendar_photos.html

PHOTO CAPTION: Vocalist Lua Hadar brings her unique “jazz without borders” sound back to Anna's Jazz Island Feb. 17, with the Jason Martineau Trio.

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WHEN: Saturday, February 17th. 3 sets beginning at 8 pm

WHO: LUA HADAR with the JASON MARTINEAU JAZZ TRIO
Lua Hadar, vocals; Jason Martineau, piano; Eugene Warren, bass;
Randy Odell, drums

WHAT: Vocalist Lua Hadar and her unique “jazz without borders” sound: sexy Italian ballads, funk à la Français, and the Great American Songbook.

WHERE: Anna's Jazz Island, 2120 Allston Way, Berkeley CA

PUBLIC INFO: Cover: \$10 + 1-drink min.
Reservations: (510) 841-JAZZ. Directions, parking: www.annasjazzisland.com

MORE INFO: SF Bay Times “10 Best Shows of 2006.” Border-crossing vocalist Lua Hadar knows no boundaries: sexy Italian ballads, funk à la Français, and the Great American Songbook. Following her sold-out November success, vocalist Lua Hadar returns to Anna’s Jazz Island to deliver her unique “jazz without borders” sound, backed by Jason Martineau on piano, Eugene Warren on bass and Randy Odell on drums.

From the familiar to the exotic, Lua’s lush vocals have garnered the critics’ praise from Italy to New York to Los Angeles, and she “made the seats jump up and down” at San Francisco’s Empire Plush Room. Ever hear “Night & Day” in French with a funk beat? Lua speaks and sings in several languages; a versatile performer with class, humor, passion and power.

Music director Jason Martineau is an award-winning pianist, composer, arranger and instructor; a diversified performing artist with an elegant touch for jazz. The trio at Anna’s will be rounded out by bassist Eugene Warren and drummer Randy Odell.

“... rich voice ... luscious tone... emotional... elegant ... great rhythmic ideas...” - Rob Lester, **TalkinBroadway.com, New York.**

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“...a masterful performance...” - **Il Cittadino, Monza, Italy.**

“...able to make the familiar sound fresh...”
- reviewer **Les Traub, Hollywood.**

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