

IAJE To Convene In Toronto

The International Association for Jazz Education (IAJE) returns to Toronto for its 35th Annual Conference, Jan. 9-12, 2008. Upwards of 7,000 educators, musicians, record executives, exhibitors, media, students and enthusiasts are expected to attend. In 2009, Seattle is set to host IAJE for the first time; New York City is committed to host again in 2010. Then, IAJE heads down to the Big Easy in 2011, returning for a second time to New Orleans.

CJGV Gets Into The Groove

Corus Radio Winnipeg relaunched smooth jazz CJGV (Groove FM)/Winnipeg on the 99.1 frequency early Monday, Nov. 5. Corus recently purchased the station from CanWest Global, which used the CJZZ calls and "Cool FM" handle. "Months of research went into building 99.1 Groove FM, and we're confident that given the station's unique format, no matter how you are feeling, the station will help you find your groove," says Corus Radio Winnipeg GM **Garth Buchko**. "It's a feeling that you can enjoy anywhere. All you have to do is turn it on and turn it up. We are pleased to have 99.1 Groove FM join sister stations CJOB 68 and Power 97."

PD **Russ Tyson**, who segues from the same post under the station's previous owner and also holds down midday on-air duties, told **R&R** that aside from weekend syndicated programming, all content on Groove FM is locally originated. Mornings and afternoons are live; other dayparts are voicetracked. Isaac Hayes is the station's imaging voice. Broadcast Architecture's "Smooth Jazz Top 20 Countdown With Allen Kepler" will air on Saturday afternoons and "Legends of Jazz With Ramsey Lewis" on Sunday evenings.

Coming Up In R&R

The smooth jazz column in the current issue of **R&R**, dated Nov. 9, recaps part of the programming session at September's R&R Convention in Charlotte. It's a lively discussion between KTWV (the Wave)/Los Angeles VP of programming **Paul Goldstein**, Clear Channel Chicago regional VP of programming **Darren Davis**, KKSF/San Francisco PD **Ken Jones**, KJCD/Denver PD **Michael Fischer**, WNUA/Chicago GSM **Pat Kelley**, Broadcast Architecture VP of programming **Steve Wiersman** and moderator BA VP of affiliate relations **Chris Brodie**.

It's A Smooth World After All

Guitarist **Blake Aaron** and his wife, Sina, became parents of a baby girl on Nov. 5. Her name is **Sina Michelle**, and she weighed in at 6 lbs., 15 oz. and 19 1/2 inches long ... Cuban trumpet virtuoso **Arturo Sandoval** has been awarded a Latin Grammy in the category of Best Latin Jazz Album by the Latin Recording Academy for his Telarc International release "Rumba Palace." Winners were announced at the 8th Annual Latin Grammy Awards Ceremony on Thursday, Nov. 8, at the Mandalay Bay Events Center in Las Vegas. The ceremony was broadcast live on the Univision Network ... Check out the fantastic, highly imaginative clay-mation video for **Amp Fiddler's** "If I Don't" (feat. Corinne Bailey Rae) by visiting http://fontana.edgeboss.net/wmedia/fontana/ampfiddler/video/ifidont/300-ampfiddler_ifidont.vwx. And please check out Amp's MySpace page (www.myspace.com/ampfiddler); he is a well-established artist with great name recognition based on the people with whom he has toured (as a session musician) and collaborative projects on which he's worked.

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LW	TW	ARTIST Title Label(s)	Total Plays	+ / - Plays	Tot. Aud. (00)	Wks on Cht	Sta On/ Adds TW
1	1	RICK BRAUN & RICHARD ELLIOT R n R (ARTizen)	555	-22	63930	21	30/0
2	2	JEFF GOLUB FEAT. RICHARD ELLIOT Ain't No Woman... (Narada Jazz/BLG)	545	+2	58518	16	27/0
4	3	FOUR80EAST Noodle Soup (Native Language)	427	+3	56356	30	26/2
7	4	JAY SOTO Slammin (NuGroove)	418	+47	32966	26	24/1
10	5	CANDY DULFER L.A. City Lights (Heads Up)	401	+57	57305	10	27/4
5	6	KEIKO MATSUI Black River (Shout! Factory)	399	-15	37150	30	27/0
12	7	BONEY JAMES Let It Go (Concord)	392	+84	47045	10	26/1
3	8	PAUL TAYLOR Ladies' Choice (Peak/Concord)	384	-64	49661	26	29/0
8	9	QUEEN LATIFAH Poetry Man (Flavor Unit/Verve)	374	+10	39778	6	28/2
6	10	EUGE GROOVE Born 2 Groove (Narada Jazz/BLG)	368	-15	41531	29	30/0
11	11	KENNY "BABYFACE" EDMONDS Fire And Rain (Mercury/IDJMG)	337	+3	36679	13	27/0
9	12	U-NAM Street Life (Trippin 'N' Rhythm)	322	-26	33663	25	27/0
13	13	CHRIS BOTTI Venice (Columbia)	298	+29	38926	7	21/1
15	14	ERIC MARIENTHAL Blue Water (Peak/Concord)	270	+5	33835	8	23/1
16	15	MARION MEADOWS Remember Me (Heads Up)	261	+2	19623	20	20/0
14	16	DOWN TO THE BONE Parkside Shuffle (Narada Jazz/BLG)	240	-26	17491	20	20/0
17	17	BRIAN SIMPSON What Cha Gonna Do? (Rendezvous)	197	-11	24386	13	18/2
19	18	NAJEE Come What May (Heads Up)	189	+8	22265	11	17/0
Debut	19	PAUL HARDCASTLE Lucky Star (Trippin 'N' Rhythm)	182	+117	24921	1	14/5
25	20	ALICIA KEYS No One (MBK/J/RMG)	173	+67	25690	3	12/4
18	21	CHAKA KHAN FEAT. MICHAEL MCDONALD You Belong To Me (Burgundy/Columbia)	160	-36	15359	8	12/0
20	22	JIMMY SOMMERS Happy Hour (Gemini)	136	-8	12189	10	11/0
21	23	KIRK WHALUM The Wave (2007) (Rendezvous)	117	-13	21841	13	9/0
24	24	MARC ANTOINE Hi-Lo Split (Peak/Concord)	109	-2	17435	12	8/0
23	25	PUSSYCAT DOLLS Feelin' Good (A&M/Interscope)	108	-5	19032	6	10/0
22	26	MICHAEL MANSON Coming Right At Ya (NuGroove)	105	-13	12213	4	8/1
27	27	EVERETTE HARP Old School (Shanachie)	95	+15	11955	2	8/2
30	28	NYEE MOSES Between Us (Nyee Moses)	94	+20	14687	2	8/0
26	29	WAYMAN TISDALE Let's Do It Again (Rendezvous)	84	-1	19956	2	7/0
28	30	RYAN SHAW We Got Love (One Haven/Razor & Tie/RED)	81	+1	6798	17	10/0

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NEW & ACTIVE**WALTER BEASLEY** Why Not You (*Heads Up*)

Total Plays: 78, Total Stations: 8, Adds: 2

CHIELI MINUCCI & SPECIAL EFX Sweet Surrender (*Shanachie*)

Total Plays: 70, Total Stations: 7, Adds: 0

JOAN OSBORNE I've Got To Use My Imagination (*Time Life*)

Total Plays: 65, Total Stations: 4, Adds: 1

MINDI ABAIR Do You Miss Me? (*GRP/Verve*)

Total Plays: 64, Total Stations: 7, Adds: 0

JOHN LEGEND Each Day Gets Better (*G.O.O.D./Columbia*)

Total Plays: 51, Total Stations: 5, Adds: 0

JONATHAN BUTLER Sarah Sarah (Instrumental 07) (*Rendezvous*)

Total Plays: 40, Total Stations: 2, Adds: 0

*Songs ranked by total plays***MOST ADDED**

ARTIST Title Label(s)	Adds
PAUL HARDCASTLE Lucky Star (<i>Trippin 'N' Rhythm</i>)	5
CANDY DULFER L.A. City Lights (<i>Heads Up</i>)	4
ALICIA KEYS No One (<i>MBK/J/RMG</i>)	4
QUEEN LATIFAH Poetry Man Flavor (<i>Unit/Verve</i>)	2
FOUR80EAST Noodle Soup (<i>Native Language</i>)	2
BRIAN SIMPSON What Cha Gonna Do? (<i>Rendezvous</i>)	2
EVERETTE HARP Old School (<i>Shanachie</i>)	2
WALTER BEASLEY Why Not You (<i>Heads Up</i>)	2
CHUCK LOEB Window Of The Soul (<i>Heads Up</i>)	2
PAUL BROWN Ol' Skoolin' (<i>Peak/Concord</i>)	2
KELLY SWEET Dream On (<i>Razor & Tie</i>)	2

The Smooth Jazz add threshold is applied to monitored stations not allowed to report adds per their company policy: Songs that reach five plays per week in two consecutive airplay weeks. An airplay week is defined as Monday through Sunday. Adds from all other programmers are still accepted at any play level.

MOST INCREASED PLAYS

ARTIST Title Label(s)	Total Play Increase
PAUL HARDCASTLE Lucky Star (<i>Trippin 'N' Rhythm</i>)	+117
BONEY JAMES Let It Go (<i>Concord</i>)	+84
ALICIA KEYS No One (<i>MBK/J/RMG</i>)	+67
CANDY DULFER L.A. City Lights (<i>Heads Up</i>)	+57
JAY SOTO Slammin' (<i>NuGroove</i>)	+47
CHRIS BOTTI Venice (<i>Columbia</i>)	+29
DIANA KRALL How Deep Is The Ocean (How High Is The Sky) (<i>Verve</i>)	+24
BRUCE HORNSBY, CHRISTIAN MCBRIDE... Camp Meeting (<i>Legacy/Sony BMG</i>)	+22
NYEE MOSES Between Us (<i>Nyee Moses</i>)	+20

MOST PLAYED RECURRENTS

ARTIST Title Label(s)	Total Plays
NILS Catnap (<i>Baja/TSR</i>)	252
CORINNE BAILEY RAE Trouble Sleeping (<i>Capitol</i>)	242
BRIAN BROMBERG Cantaloupe Island (<i>Artistry</i>)	217
NORMAN BROWN Let's Take A Ride (<i>Peak/Concord</i>)	182
PAUL BROWN Rhythm Method (<i>Peak/Concord</i>)	157
KIM WATERS Got To Give It Up (<i>Shanachie</i>)	157
BONEY JAMES Hypnotic (<i>Concord</i>)	153
MICHAEL BUBLE Everything (<i>143/Reprise</i>)	138
MARION MEADOWS Dressed To Chill (<i>Heads Up</i>)	125
PETER WHITE Mister Magic (<i>Columbia/Legacy</i>)	123
ROBIN THICKE Lost Without U (<i>StarTrak/Interscope</i>)	120
JOHN LEGEND Save Room (<i>G.O.O.D./Columbia</i>)	118
KELLY SWEET Raincoat (<i>Razor & Tie</i>)	113
CHUCK LOEB Good To Go (<i>Heads Up</i>)	110
JEFF LORBER Anthem For A New America (<i>Blue Note/BLG</i>)	107

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ANTHONY HAMILTON Do You Feel Me (*Def Jam/IDJMG*)**JAARED** Your Smile (*Trippin 'N' Rhythm*)**SMOOTH JAZZ FORMAT NOTES****November 16, 2007****46 Total Reporters****30 Total Monitored****16 Total Indicator**

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30 Smooth Jazz reporters. Songs ranked by total plays for the airplay week of 11/5-11/11. Bullets appear on songs gaining plays or remaining flat from previous week. A song will also receive a bullet if its percentage loss in plays does not exceed the percentage of monitored station downtime for the format. If two songs are tied in total plays, the song with the larger increase in plays is placed first. Songs below No. 15 are moved to recurrent after 20 weeks on the chart. Most Added is the total number of new adds officially reported to R&R by each reporting station or by automatic add thresholds for stations not allowed to report adds. Songs unreported as adds do not count toward overall total stations playing a song. Most Increased Plays lists the songs with the greatest week-to-week increases in total plays. Audience totals on the chart are derived, in part, using certain Arbitron Inc. copyrighted Persons 12+ audience estimates, under license (© 2007, Arbitron Inc.) © 2007 Radio & Records.

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LW	TW	ARTIST Title Label(s)	Total Plays	+ / - Plays	Tot. Aud. (00)	Wks on Cht	Total Sta/Add
2	1	JEFF GOLUB FEAT. RICHARD ELLIOT Ain't No Woman... <i>(Narada Jazz/BLG)</i>	178	+11	968	15	13/0
1	2	CANDY DULFER L.A. City Lights <i>(Heads Up)</i>	174	-2	1026	8	11/0
4	3	ERIC MARIENTHAL Blue Water <i>(Peak/Concord)</i>	156	+11	700	11	13/0
3	4	NAJEE Come What May <i>(Heads Up)</i>	151	-8	776	14	14/0
8	5	BONEY JAMES Let It Go <i>(Concord)</i>	146	+15	938	11	11/0
6	6	RICK BRAUN & RICHARD ELLIOT R n R <i>(ARTizen)</i>	132	-7	922	20	10/0
10	7	BRIAN SIMPSON What Cha Gonna Do? <i>(Rendezvous)</i>	128	+4	452	15	11/1
12	8	MARION MEADOWS Remember Me <i>(Heads Up)</i>	127	+5	545	22	11/0
9	9	MICHAEL MANSON Coming Right At Ya <i>(NuGroove)</i>	127	-1	308	15	13/0
14	10	JIMMY SOMMERS Happy Hour <i>(Gemini)</i>	119	+2	311	7	11/0
13	11	CHRIS BOTTI Venice <i>(Columbia)</i>	119	-2	484	8	10/0
15	12	CHAKA KHAN FEAT. M. MCDONALD You Belong To Me <i>(Burgundy/Columbia)</i>	113	-3	646	6	8/0
16	13	BLAKE AARON Bumpin' On The Wes Side <i>(Innervision)</i>	113	-3	273	14	8/0
11	14	JAY SOTO Slammin <i>(NuGroove)</i>	113	-10	744	26	10/0
5	15	NILS Catnap <i>(Baja/TSR)</i>	112	-28	483	24	11/0
19	16	EVERETTE HARP Old School <i>(Shanachie)</i>	102	+7	243	3	10/1
18	17	DAVE SERENY Give It To Me Baby <i>(NuGroove)</i>	95	-2	156	6	9/0
20	18	QUEEN LATIFAH Poetry Man <i>(Flavor Unit/Verve)</i>	92	-1	772	4	9/0
17	19	MIKE CATALANO Smooth As Silk <i>(Catman)</i>	92	-10	220	15	7/0
24	20	HIROSHIMA Red Beans And Rice <i>(Heads Up)</i>	87	+5	283	3	9/0
21	21	SOUL BALLET SmoothVegas <i>(ARTizen)</i>	87	-4	264	15	7/0
26	22	RONNY SMITH Bossa Awhile <i>(K&A)</i>	83	+4	257	6	7/0
23	23	DOWN TO THE BONE Parkside Shuffle <i>(Narada Jazz/BLG)</i>	83	-1	502	20	10/0
25	24	NICK COLIONNE Keepin' It Cool <i>(Narada Jazz/BLG)</i>	78	-2	358	2	7/0
22	25	KENNY "BABYFACE" EDMONDS Fire And Rain <i>(Mercury/IDJMG)</i>	78	-9	576	10	7/0
Debut	26	LAKE EFFECT Bucktown <i>(NuGroove)</i>	75	+3	160	1	6/0
29	27	DWAYNE KERR FEAT. ERYKAH BADU Ain't No Sunshine <i>(DManns)</i>	75	0	192	3	5/0
Debut	28	PAUL HARDCASTLE Lucky Star <i>(Trippin 'N' Rhythm)</i>	74	+32	386	1	9/2
Debut	29	WILL DONATO Tropica <i>(Innervision)</i>	73	0	168	1	5/0
27	30	RANDY SCOTT FEAT. TIM BOWMAN Bliss <i>(Megawave)</i>	73	-5	218	9	7/0