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City-Wide festival Chicago Cabaret Week runs May 12 - 21
Get Carried Away By Chicago Cabaret!

Chicago Cabaret Week returns for its 2nd year! Unique in the US, the 10-day festival features a variety of blues, jazz, American songbook, world music, pop, and Broadway by some of Chicago's finest artists at Chicago's intimate venues. Chicago Cabaret Week's 13 featured performances encourage locals and visitors to sample Chicago's revitalized cabaret scene, exploring places where performers and audiences come face-to-face.

Acts of Kindness Cabaret, Chicago Cabaret Professionals, Working In Concert, along with 13 cultural arts venues, restaurants, and theaters across our city to present more than 2 dozen performers from May 12 to 21, 2023.

Find a Chicago Cabaret Week performance near you - [Buy tickets](#), [See the Lineup](#) & Plan Your Immersion in a Diverse Music Scene. Let this become your favorite musical event of the year.



Anne and Mark Burnell, Lexa Maxa, Carla Gordon, The Feathered Beaus, Beckie Menzie & Tom Michael
Dee Alexander, SamaSama Project, Kevin Wood, Ava Logan, Hilary Feldman

The showstopper **opening night** of Chicago Cabaret Week 2023 features a dynamic trio of coordinating organizations, each bringing a distinct flavor to the stage and delivering an unforgettable night of music, talent, and sheer entertainment.

Act 1 – **Acts Of Kindness Cabaret's** Hilary Ann Feldman, Cindy Firing, and Marianne Murphy Orland bring you highlights of AOKC's longest-running show, exploring friendship in all its forms.

Act 2 – Working In Concert, led by the award-winning powerhouse team from **Black Voices in Cabaret**, showcases performers who are taking the world (starting with Paris) by storm in late summer... so expect songs with a French theme to abound.

Act 3 – And if that wasn't enough to get your heart racing, the legendary **Anne & Mark Burnell** take the stage with electrifying jazz stylings and stunning original arrangements.

Space is limited, so don't wait to reserve your spot! The Sanctuary at Epiphany Center for the Arts is the place to be on Friday, May 12 at 8 pm.



CHICAGO CABARET WEEK 2023 VENUES all around town

Black Ensemble Theater (Uptown)
Borelli's (Lincoln Square)
The Cliff Dwellers Club (Loop)
Congregation Bene Shalom (Skokie)
Davenport's Cabaret (Wicker Park)
Drew's on Halsted (Northalsted)
Epiphany Center for the Arts (West Loop)
Fulton Street Collective (West Loop)
Hey Nonny (Arlington Heights)
Le Piano (Rogers Park)
The Promontory (Hyde Park)
The Quarry (South Shore)
Vincent (Andersonville)

CHICAGO CABARET WEEK 2023 ARTISTS

Mark and Anne Burnell, Claudia Hommel, Hilary Feldman, Lynne Jordan, Arlene Armstrong, Ava Logan, Dee Alexander, Lou Ella Rose, Carla Gordon, David Meulemans, Madeline Morgan, Kevin Wood, Evelyn M. Danner, T. Patrick Davis, LaShera Moore Ellis, Madeline Morgan, Greta Pope, David Stephens, Joyce Denise Thomas, Gabriel Valentino, The Feathered Beaus, David Edelfelt, Elizabeth Doyle, Lexa Maxa, Emily Cox, Carolyn Broquet, Tirzah Joy, Barbara Smith, Beckie Menzie,

Tom Michaels, Sam Fazio, and more.

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#ChicagoCabaret #CabaretWeek2023 #CabaretEveryDay

Cabaret has been the heartbeat of Chicago's nightclub scene for more than a century. Many of the venues host additional cabaret acts throughout the week as they do year-round. Your source for **cabaret every day** is the calendar at Chicagocabaret.org.

A collaboration of cabaret organizations

ACTS OF KINDNESS CABARET

Acts Of Kindness Cabaret's mission is to help other Chicago-area non-profits raise funds and cultivate donors by providing professional, entertaining cabaret events largely free of charge while, at the same time, increasing the audience for the art of modern American cabaret. Art that raises money. AOKCabaret.org

CHICAGO CABARET PROFESSIONALS

Founded in 1998, Chicago Cabaret Professionals promotes the Art of Cabaret by educating performers, presenters, the media, and the public at large; by encouraging the development of venues and new audiences; and by encouraging the establishment of professional standards for performance conditions.

Chicagocabaret.org

WORKING IN CONCERT

A nonprofit alliance of collaborative projects for intimate vocal performances. In addition to Chicago Cabaret Week, its initiatives include Black Voices in Cabaret, Chicago Paris Cabaret Connexion, SongShop Live (song interpretation workshops and concerts), new works from Bellissima Opera, Opera in the Classroom, and Cabaret in the Classroom. Workinginconcert.org

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