



100 Years of Chicago Cabaret

Chicago has a unique place in the history of cabaret, being the first American city to nurture hundreds of clubs with the intimate and often improvised entertainment first found in Paris in the 1880s.

Never before has there been a collection of Chicago's African American singers, Parisian Cabaret, LGBTQIA artists, and the classic American standards all coming together to celebrate 100 Years of Chicago Cabaret!

Part 2

Black Voices in Cabaret & The French Connection

Where it all began . . . in Paris and Chicago. Spotlighting the exchange of cultures from Montmartre to State Street and the extraordinary contribution of African-American music and musicians to the evolution of Chicago-style Cabaret.

Music Direction by Elizabeth Doyle, piano

Jim Cox, bass

Direction by Daniel Johnson and David Stephens

Sound & Light Technician Drew Cohen

Volunteers Robert Bailey, Anne Burnell, Dave DeGooyer, Kyle Hustedt, Cappy Kidd, Howard Pfeifer, David Reithoffer, Véronique Sigre, Barb Smith, Christine Steyer, Lydia Stux for graphics.

The "French Connection" and Working In Concert's Chicago Paris Cabaret Connexion are endorsed by the Paris Committee of Chicago Sister Cities International.



Meet the Cast



Cynthia Clarey



Evelyn Danner



Patrick Davis



Elizabeth Doyle



Sean Harris



Claudia Hommel



Daniel Johnson



Lynne Jordan



Ava Logan



Tammy McCann



LaShera Moore



David Stephens

Stay tuned for ...

December 9, 2021 — Chicago Cabaret Professionals' Holiday Gala at 8:00pm.

April 4-8, 2022 — Chicago Paris Cabaret Connexion's international singers exchange during Chicago Cabaret Week.



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