

Farley's House of Pianos LLC

Stay Tuned Newsletter

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Guitar, Piano, & Jazz in February

Hear Emmy-Award-winning guitarist **Jaime Guiscafré** in a CD release concert on February 19 at 8:00 pm. Tickets are \$15, \$12 for students and seniors.

Pianist Tim Mueller will present a demonstration and workshop called "The Art of Practicing" on February 20 at 7:30 pm. Tim studied with renowned piano teacher and pedagogue Madeline Bruser, author of the book "The Art of Practicing." Tickets are \$20, \$15 for students, seniors, and MAPTA members.

The Eddie Piccard Jazz Quartet, with special guest Greg Abate, will perform a wide range of jazz pieces at Farley's House of Pianos on February 21 at 4 pm. Tickets are \$20, \$15 for FHP students. *Proceeds from this concert will be given to Haiti relief funds.*

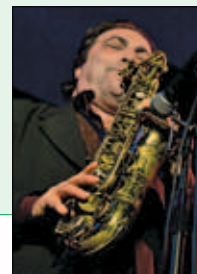
All are invited to an MSO concert preview featuring **Stephen Hough** on Thursday, February 25 at 9:30 am at Farley's. This event previews the Madison Symphony Orchestra's concert weekend of Feb. 26-27-28, when pianist Stephen Hough will play Tchaikovsky's *Piano Concerto No. 1 in B Flat minor*. There is no cost to attend this concert preview but an RSVP is requested. Call 271.2626 to attend. This event is sponsored by the Madison Symphony Orchestra League.



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The Eddie Piccard Jazz Quartet L to R: Jon Wilson (drums), Eddie Piccard (piano & vocals), Rich Martin (vibraphone) & Dave Green (bass) • EddiePiccard.com



GregAbate.com

More 2010 Concerts at Farley's

Saturday, May 1, 7 pm—Crystal Riese, soprano. Program titled: "Love Divine" The Different Faces of Love Portrayed Through Music. Hear selections by Cole Porter, Jules Massenet, Mark Adamo, Giacomo Puccini and more. Joined by accompanist Greg Punswick.

Sunday, May 2, 4 pm—Raffi Besalyan, piano. Hear this Armenian-born winner of the Artists International Competition perform at Farley's. His concert will include works by Gershwin and Rachmaninoff performed on a concert grand piano restored by Farley's. Visit his website at raffibesalyan.com. A reception will follow the program. This concert is a fund-raiser for the Madison Symphony Orchestra. Tickets are \$60 (\$30 tax deductible) available at Farley's or through the Madison Symphony Orchestra League c/o Evelyn Jennings, 7468 Old Sauk Road, Madison 53717.

Saturday, November 6, 2010—Daniel del Pino, piano. Del Pino will perform in a chamber recital featuring works by Chopin.

Adult Group Piano Lessons

A 6-week group piano series for adults starts the second week of April. Taught by Crystal Riese, these sessions are a fun way to learn about music and piano technique. Call 271.2626 to register. Space is limited.

Heard Around Town

On February 13, 2010, many of Farley's piano students took part in the "Key Up For Kids" Piano Play-a-thon held at Hilldale Shopping Center. The event was sponsored by the Madison Area Friends of Piano to benefit American Family Children's Hospital.



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Featured Teacher Jaime Guiscafré

Jaime Guiscafré is the newest addition to Farley's teaching staff. Guitarist and composer, Guiscafré is highly acclaimed for his talent in classical, Latin Jazz and world music. Jaime will be teaching classical guitar at Farley's and is able to teach in English and Spanish. In 1988, Guiscafré won an Emmy for his performance, composing, and direction in the soundtrack for the PBS documentary, "Hispanic Mosaic." He has performed as a soloist and with ensembles throughout North and South America, Spain and Italy. As a member of the celebrated Latin American group Sotavento, he made nine recordings on Redwood Records and Discos Pueblo. He released a

solo recording in 1999 entitled "Seven Latin American Composers."

In 2003 Jaime released his critically acclaimed CD "New Music for Guitar" featuring Roscoe Mitchell, a collection of Jaime Guiscafré's original guitar music, and music of other Latin composers.

Mr. Guiscafré is a member of the music faculty at Clarke College in Dubuque, Iowa, and currently resides in Madison, Wisconsin.

Meet Jaime at his CD release concert on February 19, at 7:30 pm. Call 271.2626 to register for lessons.

Of Note in the Workshop

Two newly restored pianos receive A+ ratings from Farley's!



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Steinway Model A from 1908 presents itself with "tulip style" legs complete with an ornate pedal lyre and the original carved music desk. The piano is dressed in a satin ebony finish with a double beaded case and nickel-plated hardware. This elegant piano rings with the distinctive "sparkling" tone of Steinway.

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