

SONYA JASON'S "GROOVE"

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"A terrific combination of contemporary, funk and latin, Sonya's music soars."

-- West Side Jazz Notes, Columbus OH

From pop instrumentals to contemporary jazz to standards from the American songbook, this tasty and versatile group is sure to please. Small enough to keep it cool, but lively enough to be festive, listeners will hum along or tap their toes as their favorite melodies float over seductive rhythms.



Rob Rhodes

Sonya Jason

Nate Ginsberg



Born in Oakland CA, Rob Rhodes has been in demand as a drummer in the San Francisco Bay Area for over 20 years. He's capable of grooving in almost any style - Rock, Jazz, Funk, Latin, Blues and more -- and this versatility has enabled him to work with a variety of artists such as Ledisi, Mary Wilson, Fred Ross, Alphabet Soup, Regina Carter, Cara Cook, and Reuben Wilson to name a few. Rob also stays busy performing with top Bay Area corporate bands like Busta-Groove, Night Fever, Cool Jerks, Pamela Rose, The R&B All-Stars, and The Starlight Orchestra.



Yamaha Artist, saxophonist Sonya Jason, is best known for her all original Warner Music Discovery release, "Tigress." Her accessible, passionate style of contemporary jazz has made a huge splash on radio stations worldwide and garnered rave reviews from the media. More than two dozen music recordings have featured her saxophone work, including three releases as solo artist. A *summa cum laude* graduate of the distinguished Berklee College of Music in Boston, Sonya has led her own bands in thousands of live performances worldwide. She has appeared at more than 50 music festivals including the Golden Jubilee International Jazz Festival in Bangkok where she played for the King of Thailand.



Keyboardist Nate Ginsberg has been performing since 1974 with such name acts as Steve Miller, Todd Rundgren, Paul Williams, Freddie Fender, Norton Buffalo, Del Shannon, Mary Wells, and with the Herbie Hancock Monster Band. His discography includes recordings with Larry Graham and Graham Central Station, Todd Rundgren, Pee Wee Ellis, Glenn Walters, Pamela Rose, his own Nate Ginsberg Trio and others. Along with performing in the local Bay Area music scene, he is passionate about teaching young children to play piano, and he strives to give his students a special enthusiasm for music.