

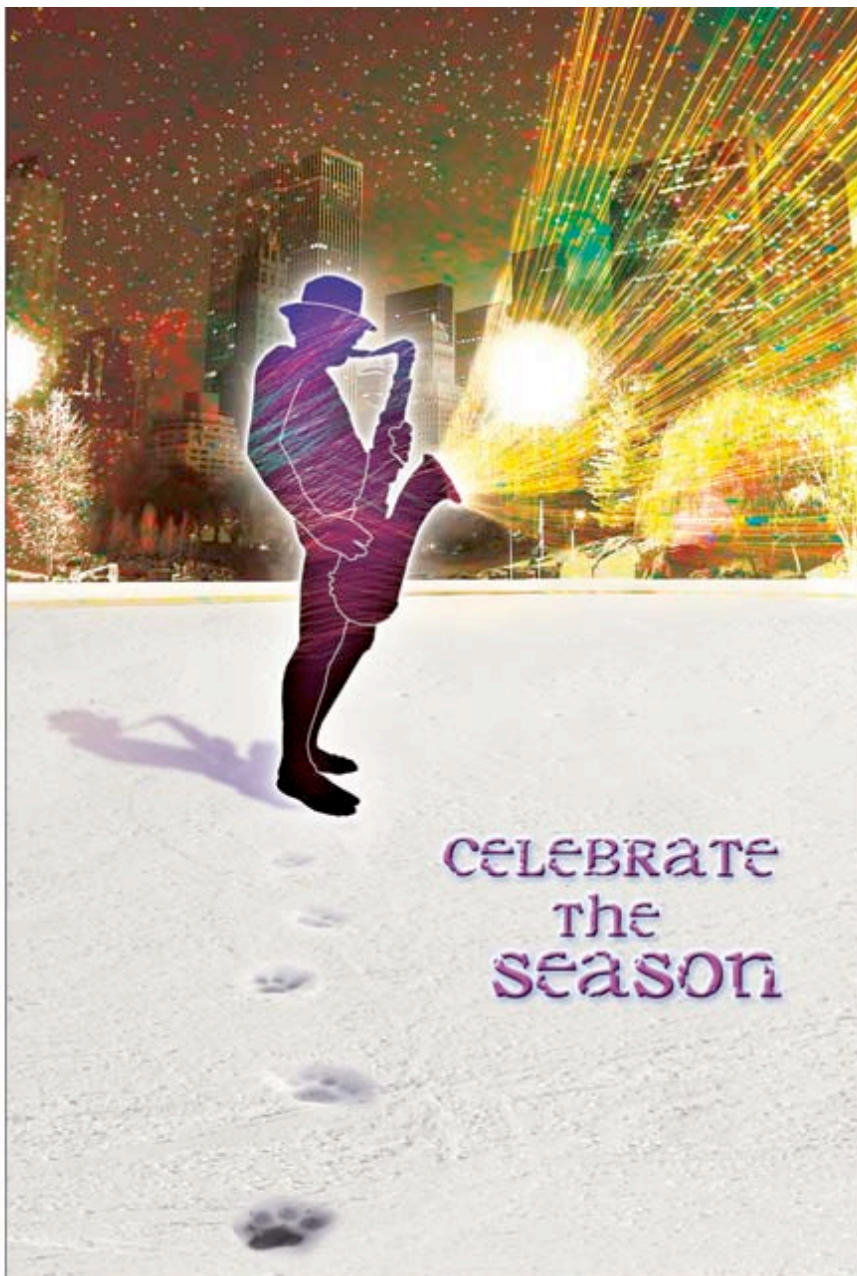


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The Official Gato Barbieri Newsletter

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A Holiday Message from the Barbieris

During these fiercely troubled times in which we are saturated with discouraging global media coverage (including natural disasters – but not excluding those which might have been avoided) it is most important to cherish those most beloved to you and embrace those less fortunate in your communities by lending your help. There are no words we can say to the community of fans who have uniquely inspired Gato and supported his music for over half a century. May you experience personal joy and peace throughout the New Year!

Stay tuned to El Pampero for Gato's schedule. I look forward to performing close to where you live. My music is as important to me today as the first concert I played.

**HAPPY HOLIDAYS,
GATO BARBIERI AND FAMILY**



El Pampero online: www.gatobarbierinewsletter.com

Say goodbye to '05
and ring in the New Year with style!
Join Gato Barbieri at The Iridium
1650 Broadway (corner of 51st)

(See below for Special Offer)

Celebrating over 50 years in music...
González Reeds salutes

Gato Barbieri

Appearing live at
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in New York City


Dec. 29th, 2005 - Jan. 1, 2006
Thursday, Friday & Sunday at 8 & 10 pm
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YOU ARE INVITED TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE FOLLOWING SPECIAL OFFER:





Gato Barbieri Mailing List Offer

25% off ticket prices for Gato's Iridium shows,
when purchased at the door.

Valid December 29-30, 2005 & January 1, 2006
(Not applicable December 31, 2005)

Please clip this coupon and present at the
Iridium Box Office to receive your discount.

We recommend calling ahead for reservations.



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Website News: NY Post Article Online

The last (August 2005) issue of *El Pampero* brought you news of a feature length article on Gato that was scheduled to run in the New York Post. The article was run in the September 11th issue of the New York Post and is now on the newsletter website at: www.gatobarbierinewsletter.com/newsupdates.htm
Stay tuned to the website for more updates in the near future!

Members Corner

A special congratulations to Sergio Herrera of Guatemala on the arrival of his first son, Leandro Jose Herrera, and to Angel and Veronica Ortiz of California on the arrival of their second son, Esteban Gabriel. No doubt the holidays will be all the more special with the addition of these little voices.

Gato's Concert Calendar (as of 12/15/05)

Date/Time	Venue/Location	Tickets/Information
Dec. 29, 2005- Jan. 1, 2006 (Thursday-Sunday) Th, F, Su: 8:00 & 10:00 pm Sat: 8:00 and 11:00 pm	Iridium Jazz Club 1650 Broadway @ 51 st Street New York, NY	http://www.iridiumjazzclub.com (212) 582-2121
January 28, 2005 (Saturday) 8:00 pm	Centro de Bellas Artes San Juan, Puerto Rico	http://www.cba.gobierno.pr or (787) 620-4444
March 10-11, 2005 (Friday-Saturday) 8:00 & 10:30 pm	Zanzibar Blue 200 South Broad Street Philadelphia, PA 19102	http://www.zanzibarblue.com (215) 732-4500
March 30-April 2, 2005 (Thursday-Sunday) 8:00 and 10:00 pm	Blues Alley 1073 Wisconsin Avenue (rear) Washington, DC 20007	http://www.bluesalley.com (202) 337-4148

Concerts are subject to change. For the most complete up-to-date schedule, visit:
<http://www.centralentertainment.com/gato/itinerary.html>

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