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## **THE 222 ANNOUNCES 2022-2023 SEASON**

**Performing Arts and Cultural Event Venue  
Celebrates First Anniversary and First Season Program**



**(HEALDSBURG, CA - July 20, 2022) – As THE  
222 approaches its first anniversary in August, the new**

performing arts and cultural event space in Healdsburg, CA announces its 2022-2023 season which runs from August 2022 through May 2023. Forty events are scheduled, with more to be added throughout the year.

Building on the successes of its first year, **THE 222** will again deliver diverse offerings in jazz, classical and choral music as well as literary, film, and community-building events presented in the venue's intimate and unique gallery setting, including the Moss Sculpture Garden.

The season kicks off the weekend of August 20 and 21, with performances by Brazilian jazz guitarists Rumero Lubambo and Chico Pinheiro. **A special anniversary celebration** with champagne and hors d'oeuvres reception is planned for Sunday August 21, when both artists return for a second performance joined by Brazilian jazz vocalists Claudia Villela and Pamela Driggs. For the full season schedule, visit [www.THE222.org](http://www.THE222.org).

"We are excited to present our first full season of events," said Paul Mahder, Executive Director of THE 222. "Our six talented veteran programmers curated an array of experiences rich in diversity, deep with collaborations and high on the "wow" factor - designed to engage and inspire audiences from Healdsburg to Sonoma County, as well as visitors. There are interactive events, a showcase of remarkable talent across the musical spectrum from rising stars to multi-GRAMMY®-nominated veterans, inventive genre-mixing performances and world premieres, engaging literary events and thought-provoking films, plus free

community evenings of sharing sparked with poetry or spiritual reflection.”

**Some Season Highlights:**

- NEA Jazz Master Charles Lloyd with Gerald Clayton, in rare duo performance
  - Classical pianist Alexander Malofeev
  - Oakland Interfaith Gospel Choir
  - Django Festival Allstars
  - Viano String Quartet
  - Science fiction writer Kim Stanley Robinson
  - Poets Julia B. Levine and Nate Klug
  - Classic silent films with live performance of an original score
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- Free monthly community-building events

**Tickets for all events are available now online.** Members receive priority seating and flexible scheduling. For a full lineup and to become a member, visit [www.THE222.org](http://www.THE222.org).

**About THE 222**

THE 222 is a non-profit, member-supported venue, curating outstanding, engaging, and collaborative live performance and cultural events featuring jazz, classical and choral music plus film, literary and community-building events. Housed within the Paul Mahder Gallery and its stunning backdrop of changing fine art exhibitions, THE 222 is a unique, welcoming space with intimate club-like seating, and great acoustics and sightlines for all.

Believing art is vital and that shared cultural experiences connect and build community, THE 222's innovative and adventurous programming delivers events that inspire and create meaningful connection. For more information, visit [www.THE222.org](http://www.THE222.org).

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