

New Orleans Spice®

Jazz Band

Direct from New Orleans:

One of New Orleans' finest, the New Orleans Spice®, offers the ultimate in performing and parading New Orleans jazz. The band is upbeat and entertaining with the most excellent, talented musicians who perform this style of jazz. In keeping with the essence of New Orleans, there is an incredible repertoire of classic songs. A few include: When the Saints Go Marching In, Bourbon Street Parade, Muskrat Ramble, St. James Infirmary and more. The New Orleans Spice can be seen performing nightly on the New Orleans Paddlewheels *Dinner Jazz Cruise* and for concerts, festivals, conventions, corporate events, parades, themed celebration parties and clinic/lectures.

“The music they produce is New Orleans style.”
Art C. Stone - *The American Rag*, July 2002

“All of the participants are at the top of their games in this one.”
Tom Jacobsen - *Mississippi Rag*, January 2002

The New Orleans Spice is a group that has been together since 1994. The band performs internationally and has performed for hundreds of conventions, private functions and many club dates in New Orleans. Members of the band include a few who are descendants of the early jazz pioneers, a former ten year member of the Olympia Brass Band and in general the best first-call musicians in New Orleans.

The New Orleans Spice provides a specific style of music, New Orleans Jazz, but is diverse and flexible with the ability to parade, perform in a club or on a concert stage. Parades have included grand entrances for conventions, moving large groups of people through the streets of New Orleans with police escorts, combining the parade with a concert stage performance and virtually any combination imaginable. This group is flexible and really entertains.

The music on the New Orleans Spice CD entitled “Parade of Classics” is fun, exciting, musical and captivating. It is classic New Orleans traditional jazz at its best. This is “feel-good” music in its finest form. The CD has 16 selections of recognized songs performed by a few of the best musicians in New Orleans today. The music and the package are first class.

Regarding the nightly performance, New Orleans Paddlewheels, Inc. operates New Orleans' most luxurious excursion vessels on the Mississippi River – the 1,000-passenger Paddlewheeler Creole Queen and the 600-passenger Riverboat Cajun Queen. New Orleans Paddlewheels offers daily and nightly cruises, as well as Holiday Cruises, Private Charters, Group Tours and Special Event Cruises. All cruises depart from the Riverwalk/Canal Street dock. Contact us for additional information.

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