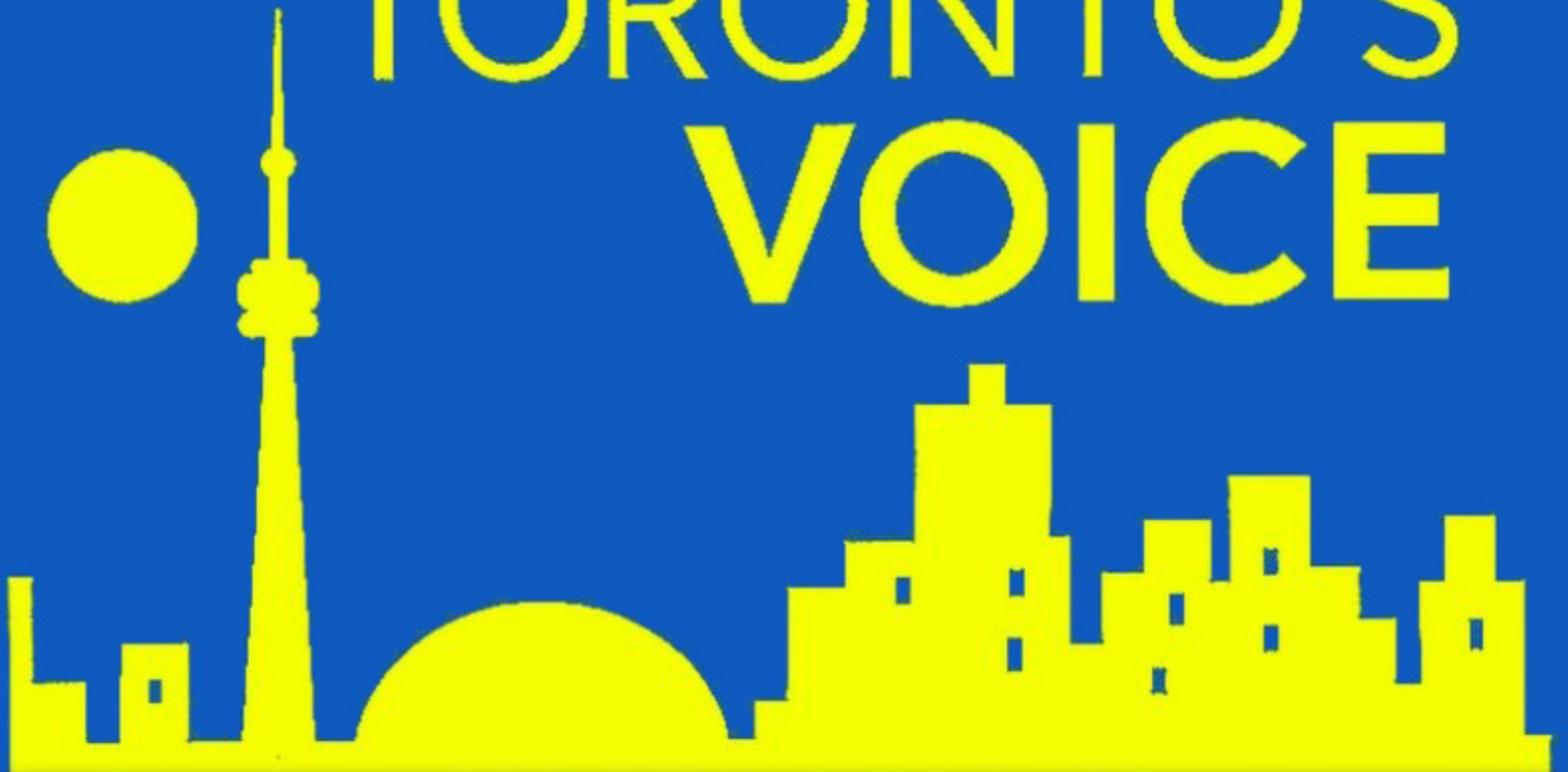
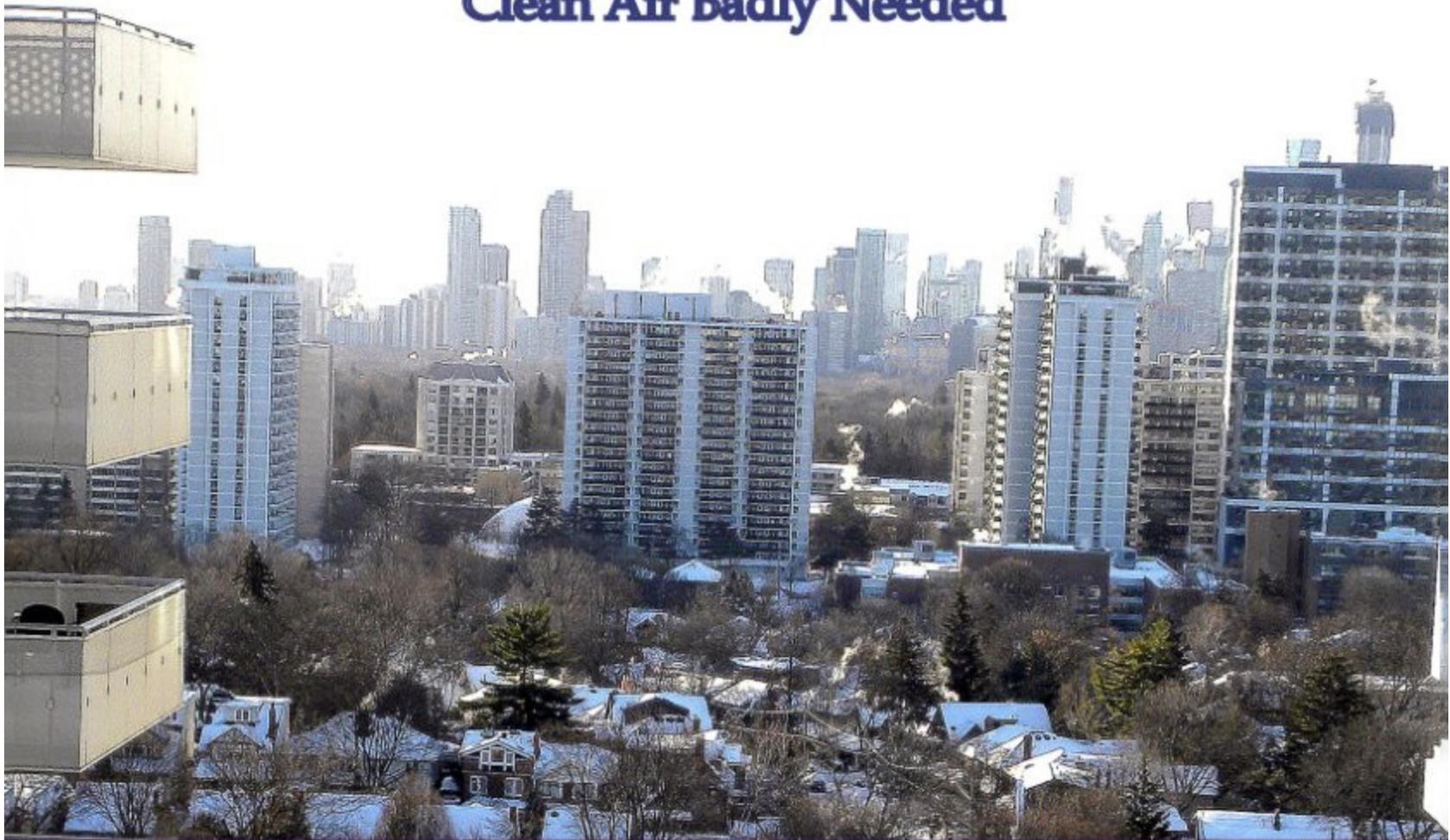


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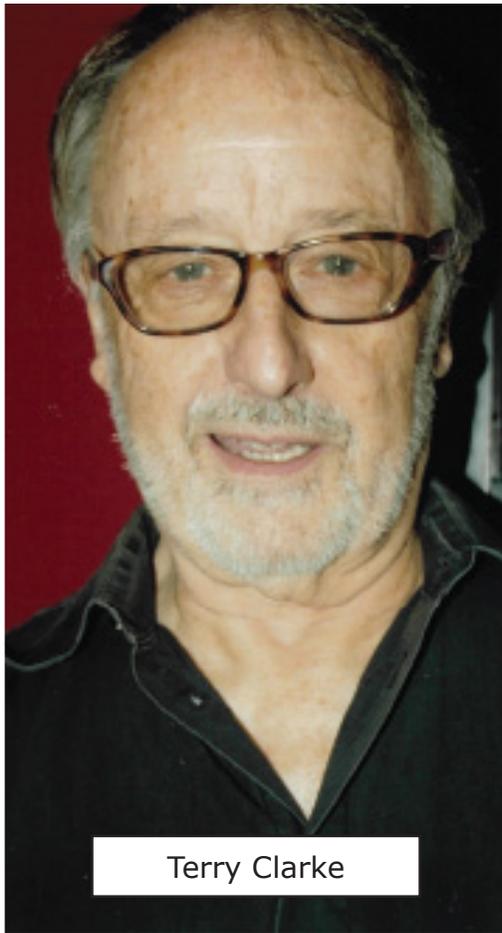


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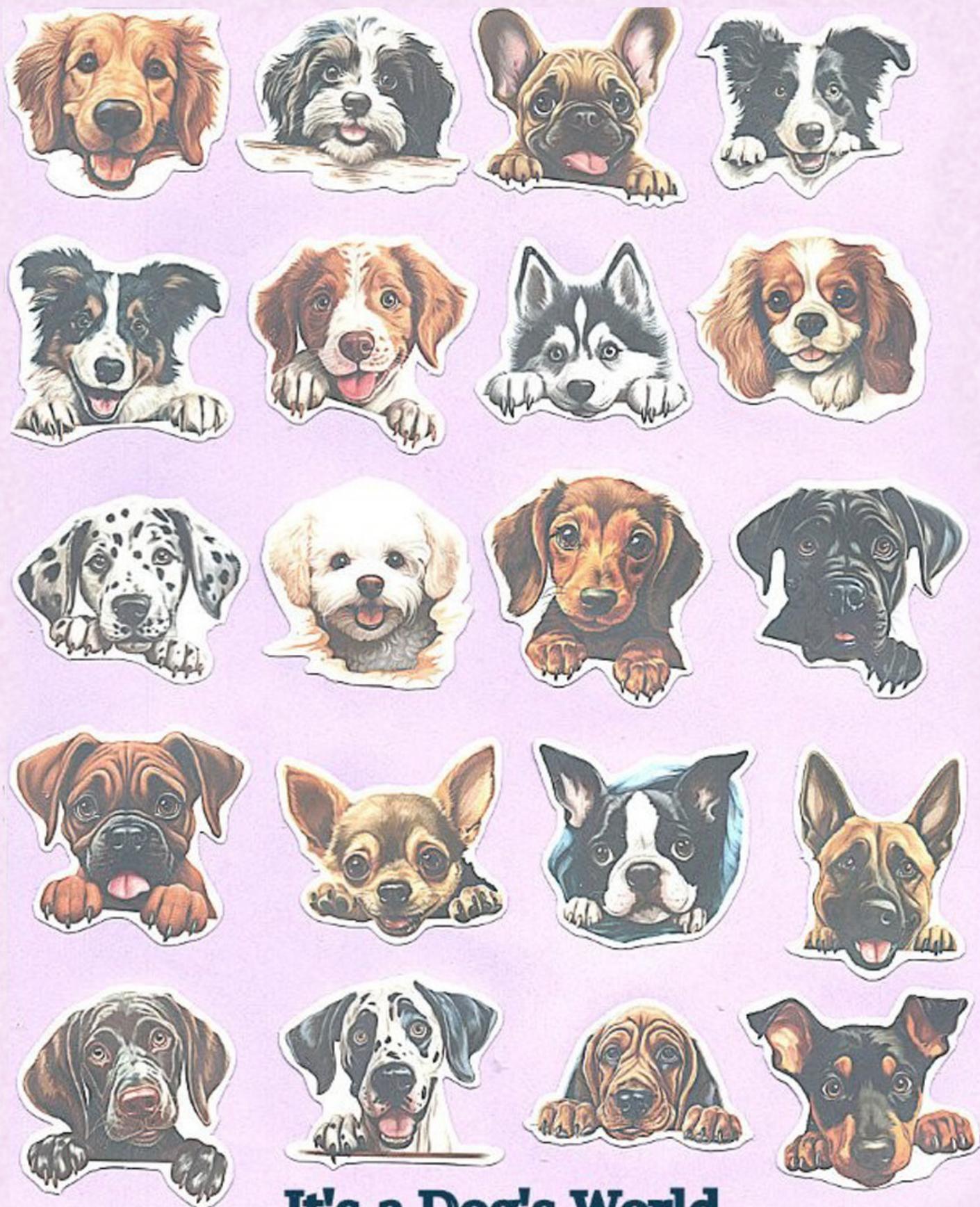
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It's a Dog's World

Some Fine Female Artists

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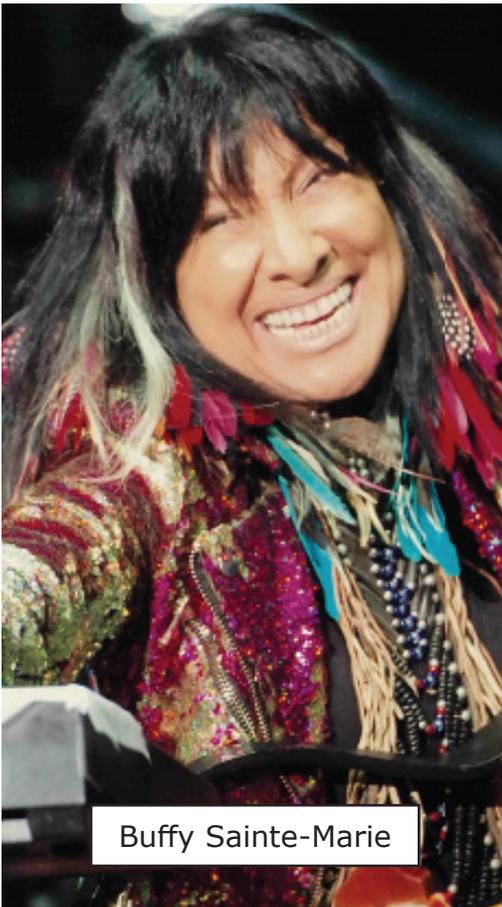
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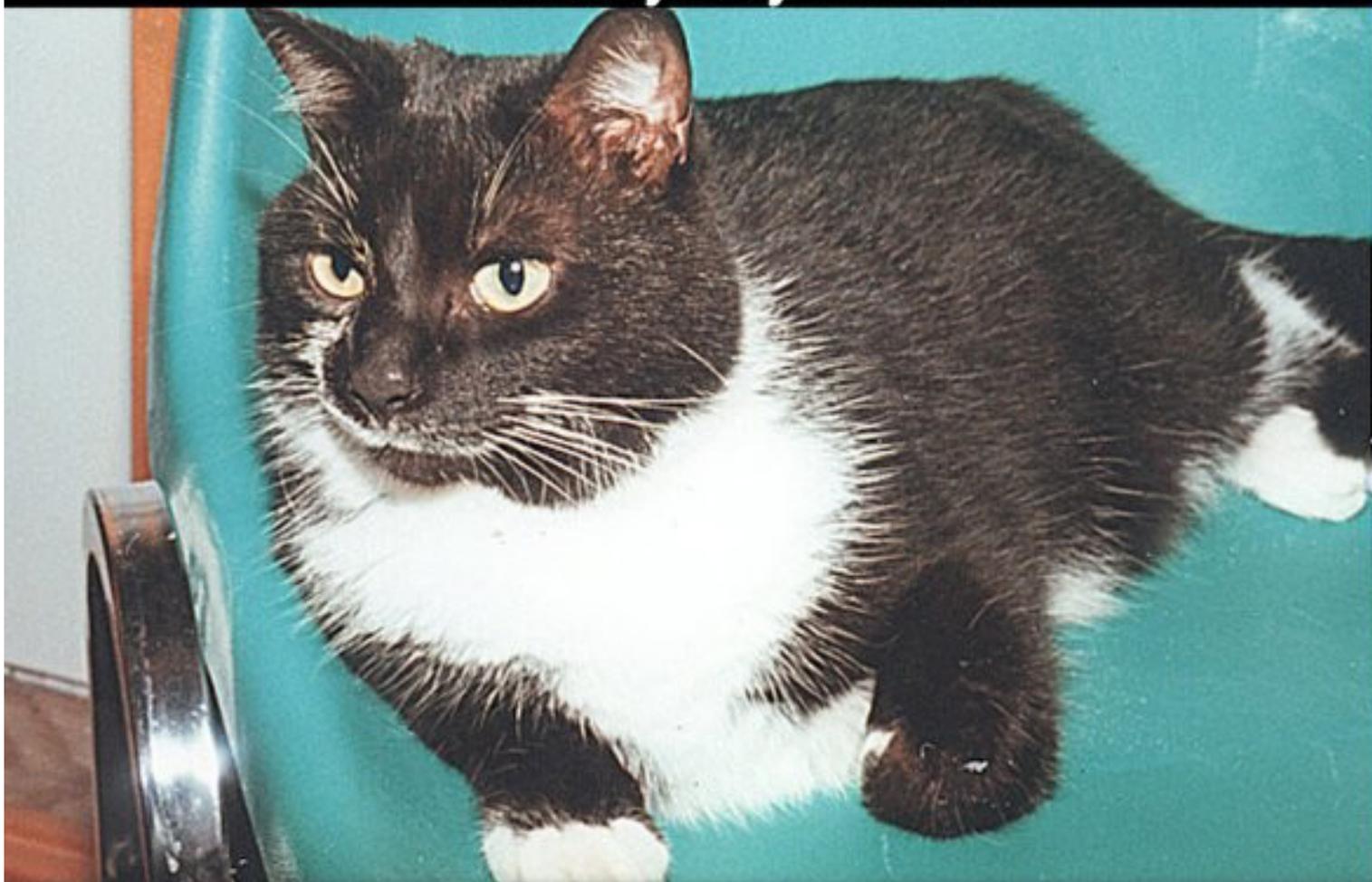
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Ali The Cat - Don't Mess With Me!

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*Over 25
Years on
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Jazz Scene*

*The
Steve Koven
Trio*

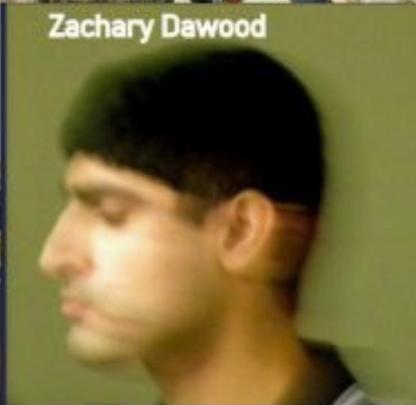


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Full praise to the nurses & staff at the clinic below.

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**Mark Camilleri
Conductor**



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Publisher's Comment

We have published Toronto Jazz for 30 years, which has now been replaced by Toronto's Voice. Although website will continue. Toronto's Voice will be both hard copy and website. This will also give photographer, Barry Thomson a broader field to cover. However, he will continue in the entertainment vein. Barry is a veteran freelance photographer with over 45 years of experience. I came to Canada from England in 1964 where I covered the London jazz scene. Now am a VERY PROUD CANADIAN. So it makes my blood boil when I hear those who want to break our great country up. What's even more concerning, is that we have, Donald Trump sympathizers living amongst us. To them I would say LEAVE NOW I head south, and join your cult leader, Donald Trump. We do not want potential FIFTH COLUMNISTS living in our country. Maybe one day these Trump supporters will come out of the trance they are in. Sooner the better.



Photos by Barry Thomson

Well it would be nice to see more police presence on our streets. Like most major cities of the world, there are always police to be seen. The only ones we see are looking at workmen digging holes. Not walking the beat, which is always a deterrent to would be criminals. Recently, Mayor Olivia Chow said "yea, yea, yea we have the lowest crime rates in 50 years". I'm not sure what planet she is on, or who gave her these slanted, feel good statistics. I have been here for over 50 years, and we now have the worst crime I can remember. Barely a day goes by when someone isn't shot, stabbed or mugged. Not to mention hit and run drivers, home invasions and car-jackings. Plus the fact that organized crime seems to be flourishing. I really wish they would get their facts straight. As the old saying goes "you can fool some of the people some of the time, but you can't fool all of the people, all of the time." Next they will be telling us there are plenty of family doctors available, and plenty of hospital beds. For sure our health care system is also the worst in 50 years.

Dave Milbourne - Publisher



The Adonis Rose and New Orleans Jazz Orchestra

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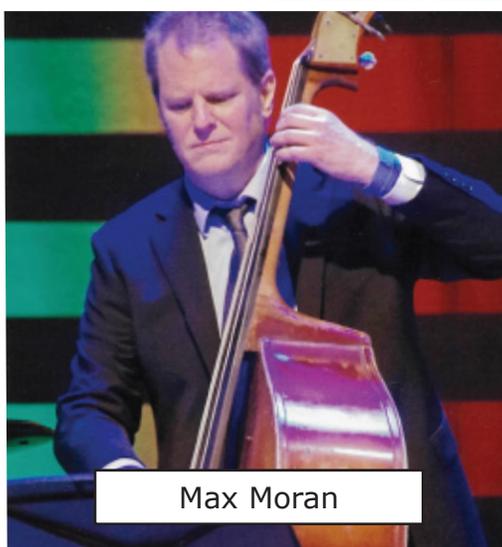
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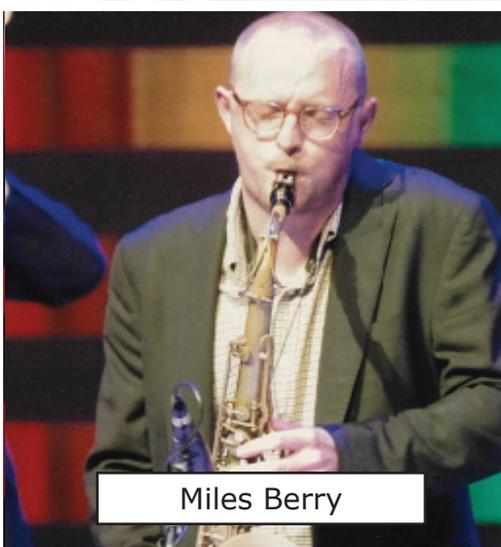
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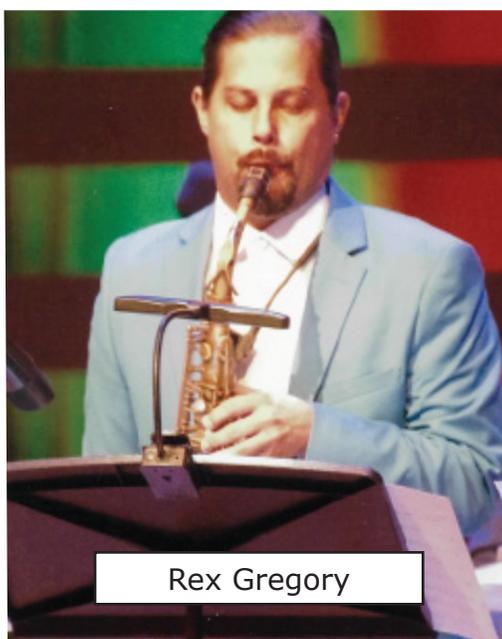
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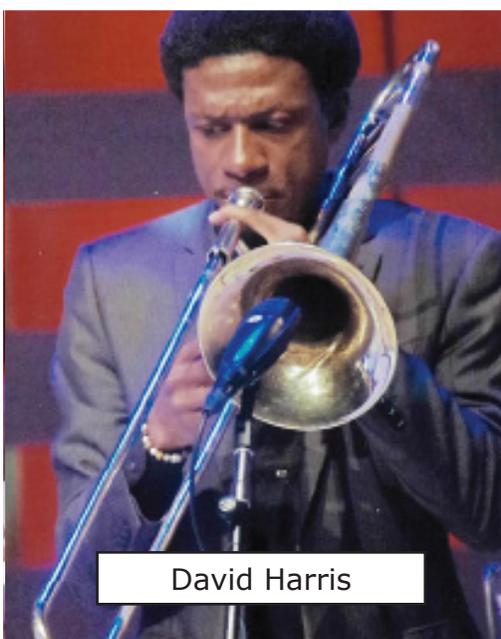
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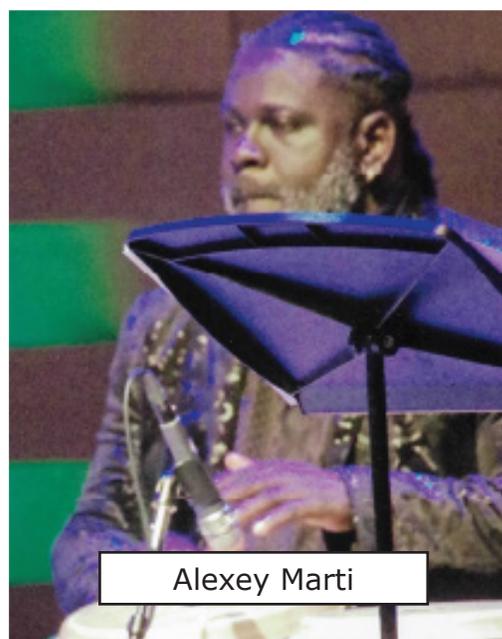
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Echoes of an Era Concert

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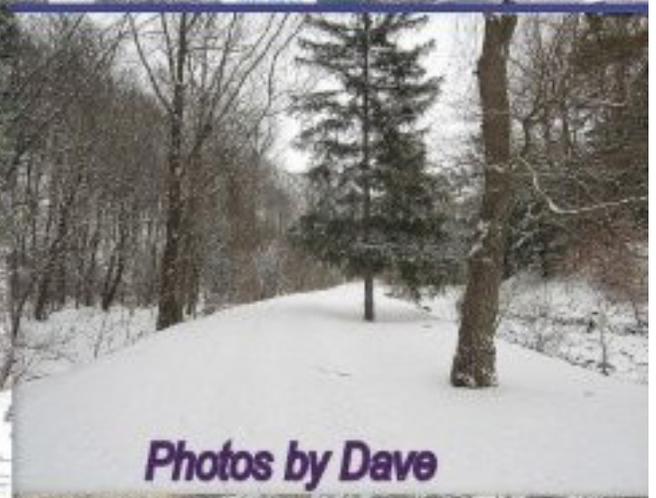


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WINTER IN THE PARK



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Lens Linderman Concert with Group, and Strings.

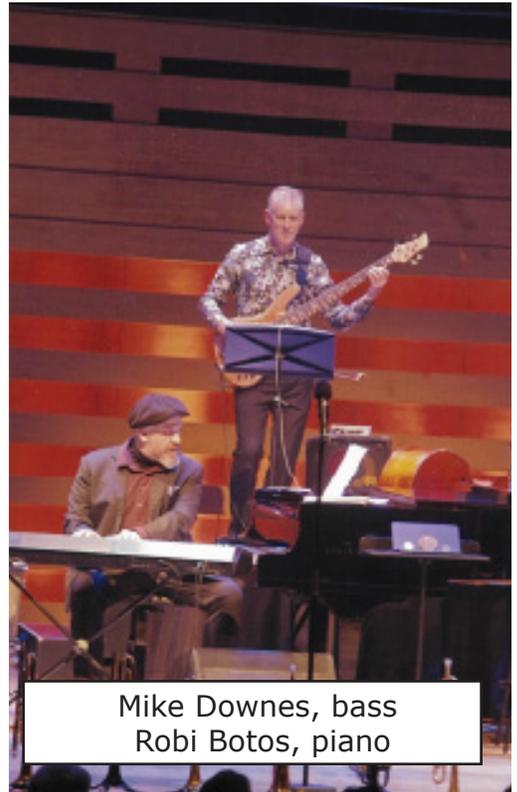
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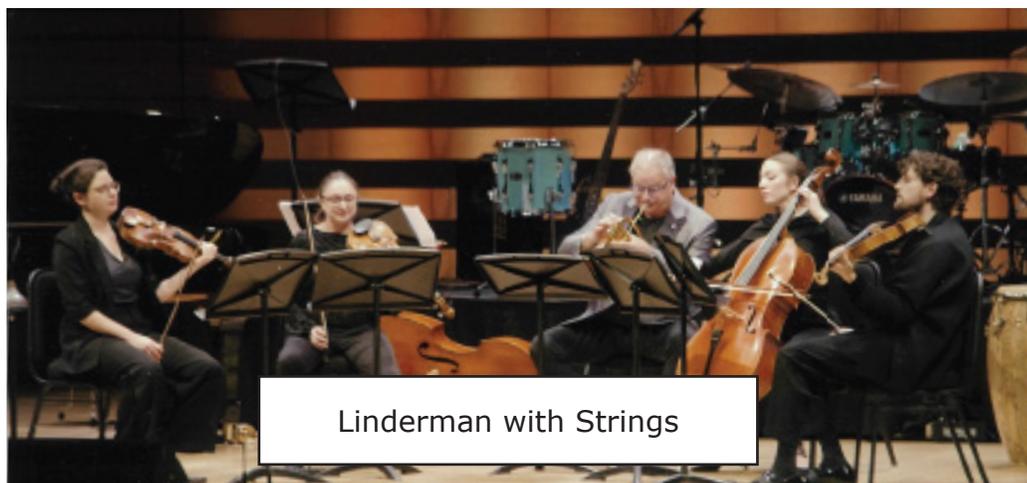
Lens Linderman,
Trumpet with Mark Kelso, drums



Lens Linderman



Mike Downes, bass
Robi Botos, piano



Linderman with Strings



Linderman with Quintet

I'M WITH HER BAND

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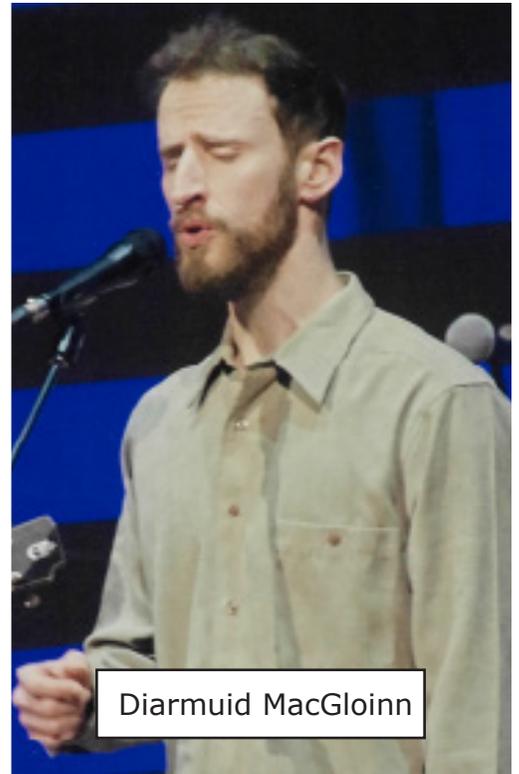
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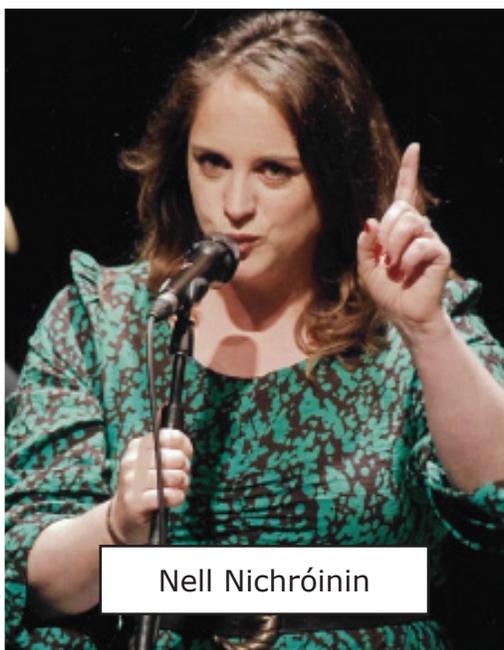
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DANÚ Band with Dancers

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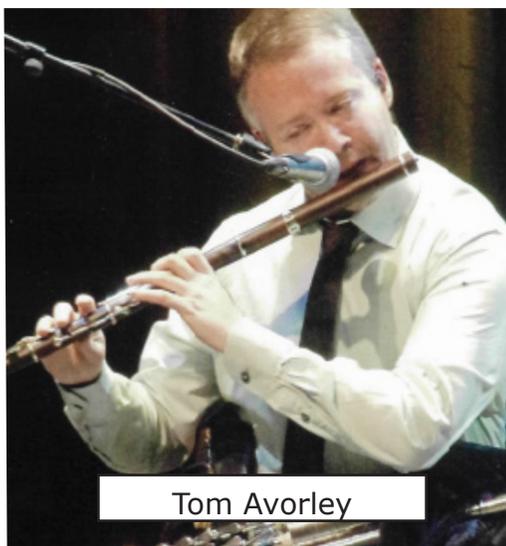
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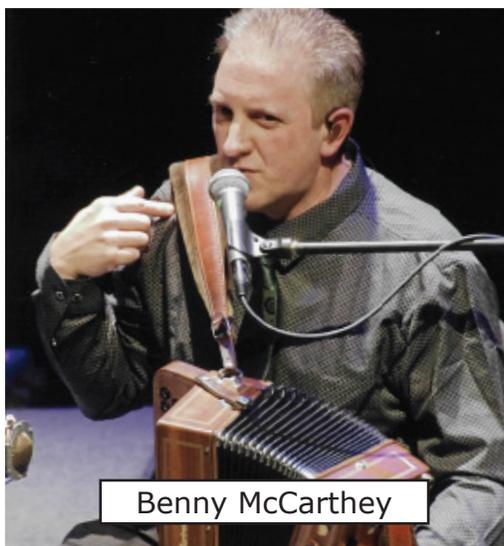
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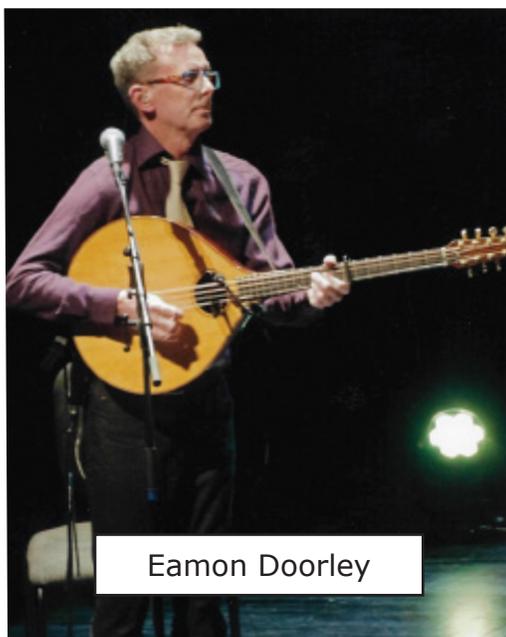
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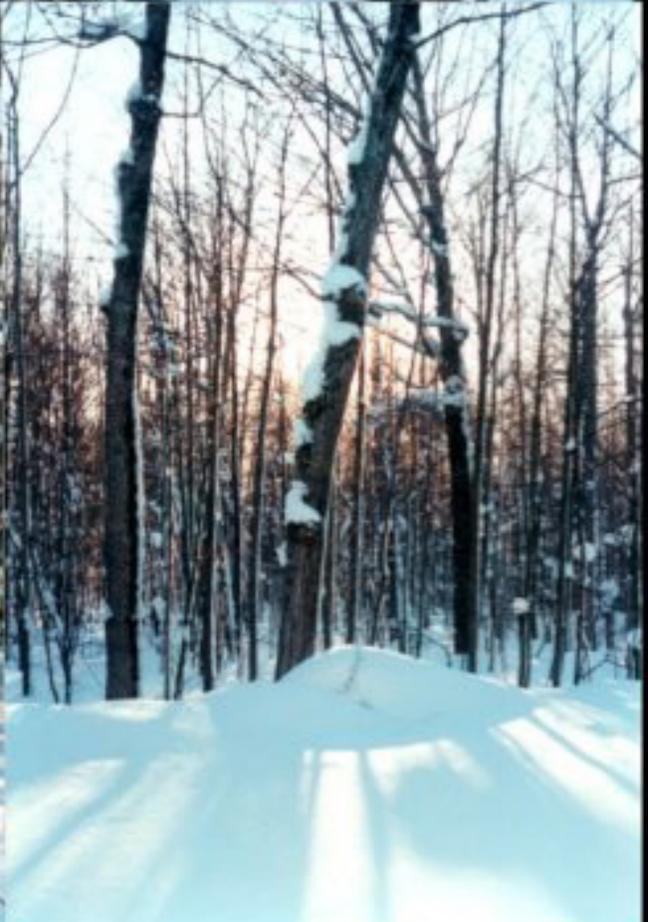
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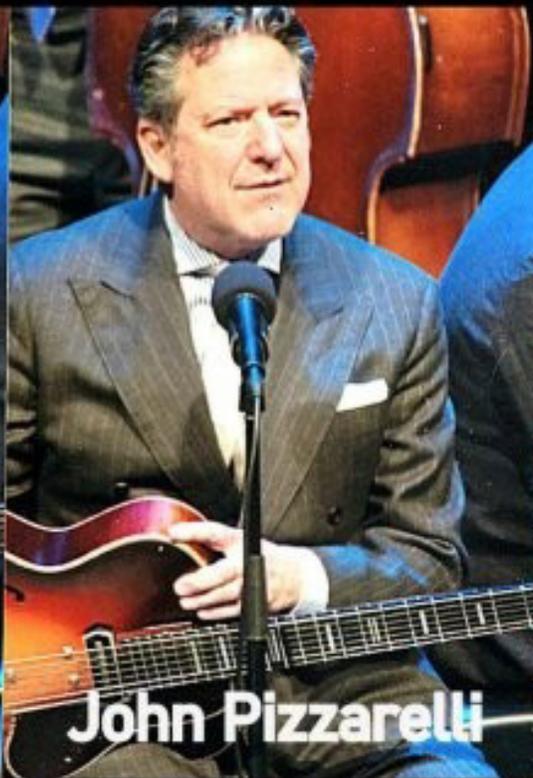
Winter Snow in Coldwater, Ontario.

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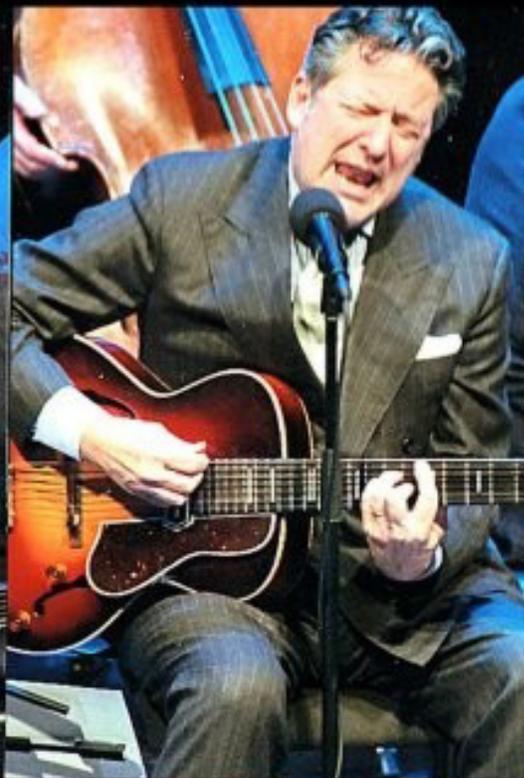


John Pizzarelli Concert

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John Pizzarelli



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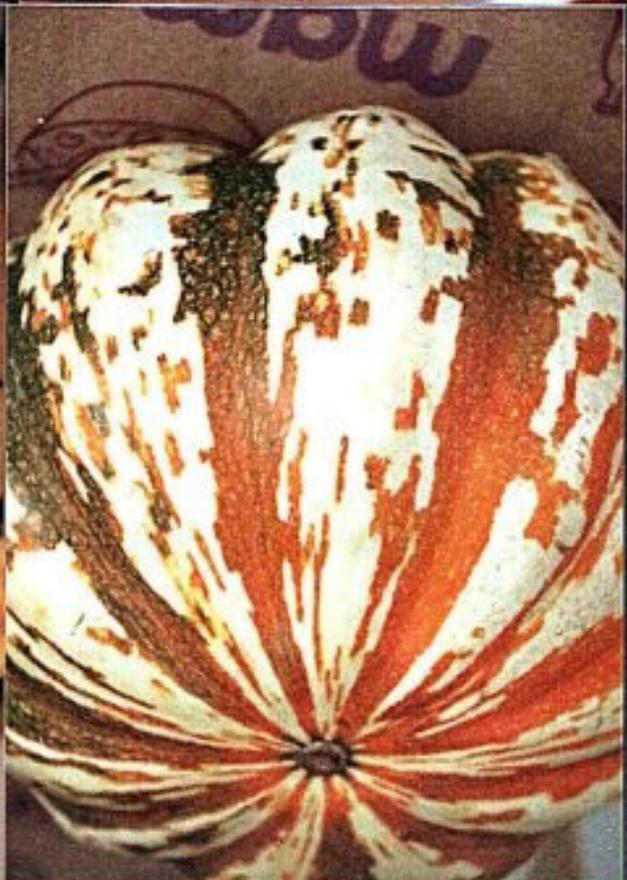
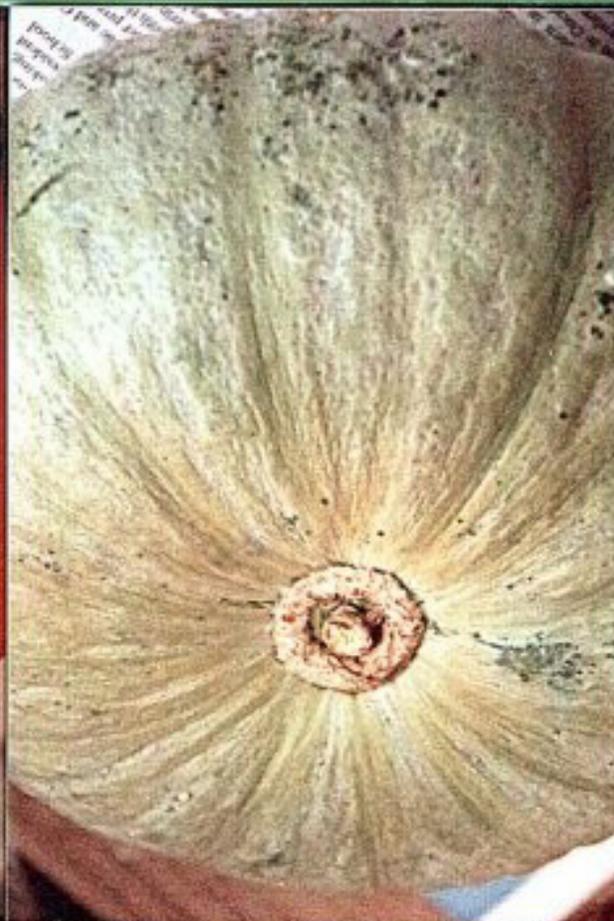
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Trio Shot

GOURDS - You can eat them too.

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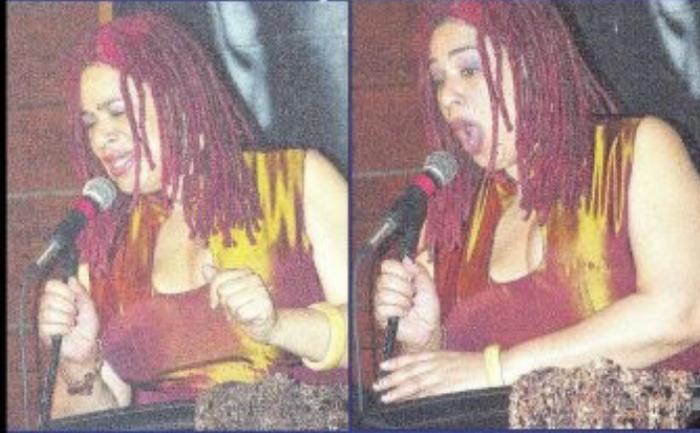
Dead leafs on Snow.

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BLACK HISTORY MONTH

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Sharron McLeod

This truly unique Toronto born jazz vocalist, composer & arranger has graced the jazz scene for at least 40 years. I know it was certainly a long time ago when I first heard her. To say the least she is very creative, a style of her very own. No doubt about it, Sharron expects the musicians who work with her, to adapt to her individual method. Most veteran jazz musicians know the vocalist they are backing, is always in the driving seat. Nobody knew this any better than the late great, Archie Alleyne, his brush work was impeccable. My sincere wishes to you, Sharron, for your continued success on the jazz scene. Dave Milbourne.

Archie Alleyne. 1933 - 2015

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Not only was, Archie one of the nicest individuals I have had pleasure of knowing. His drumming was superb, brushwork second to none. For over 60 years he was prominent on the jazz scene, playing with most major jazz legends. Black History Month is an excellent time to remember this Toronto born musician.

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