



JITG

MUSIC FEST

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FESTIVAL GUIDE



WELCOME FROM THE MAYOR

On behalf of the City of Miami Gardens and our entire community, it is my great pleasure to welcome you to the 19th Annual Jazz in the Gardens (JITG) Music Fest. This special event has become a signature celebration of who we are – a vibrant, diverse, and culturally rich community that values the power of arts and music to bring people together.



Arts and culture are essential to the heartbeat of our city. It inspires creativity, fosters connection, and creates shared experiences that transcend backgrounds and generations. The JITG Music Fest reflects that spirit, serving as a platform where our culture is celebrated, talent is elevated, and community pride shines brightly.

This year's lineup showcases an exceptional caliber of artists and performers whose talent and artistry promise unforgettable moments on stage. We are proud to host such distinguished talent and to provide a stage where excellence thrives.

We are honored you have chosen to spend your time with us. We invite you not only to enjoy the music but also to explore all that Miami Gardens has to offer. We hope you feel the warmth, hospitality, and spirit that define our community.

Thank you for being part of this extraordinary celebration. Let the music play, the energy rise, and the memories begin, right here in Miami Gardens – it's where you want to be!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Rodney Harris". The signature is fluid and cursive, written over the word "Sincerely,".

Mayor Rodney Harris

MAYOR & CITY COUNCIL



MAYOR **RODNEY HARRIS**



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SATURDAY • MARCH 7, 2026

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JODY HILL LIVE
JAZZ ACT
BLACK NATIONAL ANTHEM

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ELLA MAI

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GLORILLA

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JHENÉ AIKO

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*FRIENDLY REMINDER TO OUR GUEST.
SUNDAY MARCH 8TH AT 2AM DAYLIGHT SAVING BEGINS.



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SUNDAY - MARCH 8, 2026

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JODY HILL LIVE
JAZZ ACT
BLACK NATIONAL ANTHEM

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TONIO ARMANI

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KING GEORGE

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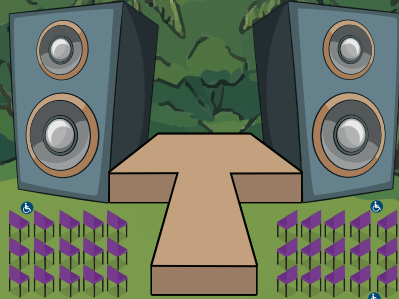
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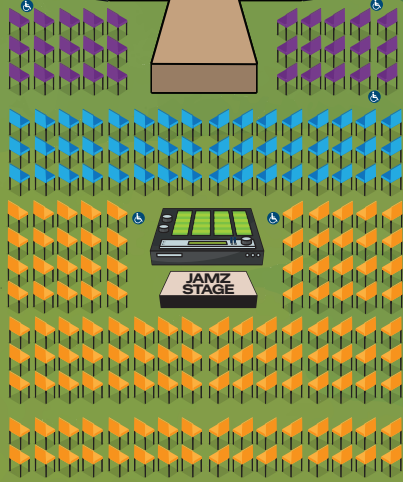


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MÝA • JOE • DAMIEN ESCOBAR

D-NICE SWV • DONELL JONES • CASE
& FRIENDS SUNSHINE ANDERSON • KENNY BURNS

MARCH 8TH

LUDACRIS • NELLY & ASHANTI • THE ISLEY BROTHERS
25TH ANNIVERSARY SET
STEPHANIE MILLS • EL DeBARGE • KING GEORGE
PASTOR MIKE JR. • TONIO ARMANI • BONEY JAMES